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President's Message

Welcome to February! Groundhog Day, Valentine's Day, and, much more importantly, the Alice's Love trip!!! I have not been able to go on one of these jaunts before, so I am really looking forward to this one. Fabric, friends, and food — pretty much the ideal recipe for a wonderful day.

I'm sorry I was not able to be here for the January meeting. Thank you, Jena, for running the show in my absence. It sounds like I missed an interesting speaker and a very productive Board meeting. Details, of course, are in the excellent minutes which you can read in this Newsletter. Thank you, Linda. I also want to call your attention to two upcoming events which are described in more detail in this Newsletter. One is a quilting benefit for the Paradise Fire victims, and the other is a Quilt ID event sponsored by the San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles. I hope one or both of these events will inspire you this month.

Happy quilting,

Jess Millikan, President

Outreach Scorecard



	January 2019	Year to date
Neonatal Quilts	60	124
Shelter Quilts	11	30

Judy Brumm, Outreach Coordinator

November Outreach Quilt Donors

Carole Alberts, Susan Conway, Barbara Conklin, Monika Peterson, Lynda Carswell, Gwen Matteucci, Jenna Walter, Karina Eichmann, Deb Dubois, Margaret Conti, Mavourneen Lopez, Grace Hardy, Phyllis Obley, Frances Monroe, Andy Wolff, Judy Ousterhout, Sandy Adger, Peggy Hoffman, Loraine Strong, Suzanne Jeuck, Sally Dolehide, Michele Parry, Maureen Laney, Janice Kelber, Mary Ellen Huber, Brigitte Aabye, Lori Atwood, Jean Dail, Mary Lazarus

"Get full details via [PQG Home Page Calendar](#)"

PQ Calendar			
Feb. 8	<i>Fri</i>	7:30am	Alice Love Event
Feb. 20	<i>Wed</i>	7:00pm	General Meeting
Feb. 21	<i>Thu</i>	9:30am	Jean Impey Workshop
Mar.20	<i>Wed</i>	9:30am	General Meeting and Board Meeting
Mar. 21	<i>Thu</i>	9:30am	Carol Stapleton Bag Class – Day 1
Mar. 22-24	<i>Fri – Sun</i>	10:00am	No Frills PQ Quilt Retreat
Mar. 27	<i>Wed</i>	9:30am	Carol Stapleton Bag Class – Day 2

Joyce Wheeler and Rose Erdozaincy delivered 76 quilts to Stanford's neonatal unit on January 25th.

There is no Board Meeting in February.



January Speaker Shelley Cavanna

Future PQ Program

March 20, 2019

Sarah Goer

www.sarahgoerquilts.com

Jean Impey

Finding Your Passion and Running With It

www.sewjean.com



Our February speaker, Jean Impey, say “My style, my passion, my energy is boundless... I love discovering, I love looking, I love seeing, I love the way others see, and I love doing! I don’t worry about doing it wrong. There is no such thing in the creative process. I like how Albert Einstein said, “The easiest way to be creative: try something different, even if you don’t think it will work.” I look forward to sharing my story, work and passion with you.

Sandy Kelly

Bee Charitable Day (Formerly: Tie-In) Update

Date: Thursday, January 17, 2019

We had a great turnout for our first Bee Charitable Day of the year. 28 members braved the rainy weather and sewed away, assembling neo-natal and shelter quilts. Thank you to Julie Curry, Gale Green and Barbara Hall for demonstrating and sharing some very helpful advice about doing quick turn binding and how to prepare a quilt top to be machine long arm quilted. Since we have had such a huge response to our Alice Love event, we are getting low on backing fabric. If you have backing fabric of 3 yards or more to donate, please bring it to the next guild meeting or call Judy Miyake or Linda Hester. As soon as we secure a date for our next Bee Charitable Day we will send out a blast. Thank you to everyone who attended, it was such a fun and productive day.

Judy Miyake and Linda Hester (Bee Charitable Day Co-Chairs)

Bee Charitable Day Pictures



Visiting Guilds Opportunity Quilts

We will have Guilds visiting and displaying their opportunity quilts at our monthly guild meetings. Currently scheduled are:

- Kristen Cissé, Vice President, Vallejo Piecemakers Quilt Guild, visiting us February 20
- Chris White from Diablo Valley Quilters in Danville visiting us March 20

We also can display our opportunity quilt to the Diablo Valley Quilters March 20 (theirs is an evening meeting). I am not able to attend this meeting and need a volunteer to take our quilt to Danville. The meeting starts at 6:00 p.m., you would only have between 6:15 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. to sell tickets. After that the meeting is very busy with no breaks. Please email me if interested gaquilts@hotmail.com

Gillian Arnold, Opportunity Quilt Chair

Announcing a New Long Arm Quilting Bee!

PQ has a new Bee!! Announcing the Long Arm Babes (aka LABs). This Bee is dedicated to providing mutual encouragement and support for members who have long arms or are certified long-armers. For more information, contact Gale Green or Julie Curry.

Gale Green and Julie Curry, LAB Queen Bees

Quilter of the Year 2019

The nominations are in! We have had an enthusiastic response and we have 15 nominees! Thank you all for your kind and thoughtful words about the nominees.

Ballots will be available at the February & March meetings so that we have a day and night meeting available. We'll announce this year's Quilter of the year in April and celebrate! Please only vote once (even though we all want to vote for multiple people 😊). You can turn a ballot in at a meeting, email your vote to me at jenakwalter@gmail.com, or snail mail your vote to Jena Walter 4149 Jefferson Ave., Emerald Hills, CA 94062.

The honoree will receive a beautiful certificate, free membership for a year and a workshop of her choice during the year.

Thank you so much with helping to make this wonderful award meaningful and special for all of us!

Jena Walter, Vice President

PENINSULA QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

January 16, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 9:32am by Vice President Jena Walter. The minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer Leslie Lohmeier reported balances of \$43,302 in our checking account and \$14,223 in Vanguard.

No corresponding secretary's report.

Announcements:

- [Jena Walter] It's time to nominate for Quilter of the Year! If you have not yet turned in a nomination form, you can mail or email one to Jena. Ballots will be available for voting at the February meeting.
- [Jena] Opportunity Quilt: Gill Arnold cannot take the opportunity quilt to the Diablo Valley Quilt Guild meeting in March. If anyone is planning to attend this meeting and can take the quilt contact Gill.
- [Lori Atwood] Annual challenge: the fee for the fat quarter and challenge instructions is \$5. Finished items are due at the April meeting.
- [Judy Miyake] Rita Leong received an invitation to participate in a quilting bee at the Congregation Beth Jacob Social Hall (1550 Alameda de las Pulgas, Redwood City). The bee runs the following hours:
 - Sunday Feb. 10: 3pm-8pm
 - Monday and Tuesday Feb. 11 and 12: 9am-3pm and 5pm-8pm
 - Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday Feb. 13,14, and 15: 9am-3pm

All quilters are invited to help make quilt tops that will later be quilted and sent to families who lost homes in the Paradise fires.

- [Judy Miyake] Bee Charitable will be held Thursday, January 17 at Hope Lutheran Church in San Mateo. Quilt kits will be available or bring your own charitable project to work on.
- [Gale Green and Julie Curry] A new bee is forming for long-arm quilters. The first meeting will be held at this month's Bee Charitable. Invitations have been sent to members who have long-arms, but anyone interested is invited, especially people who are long-arm certified.
- [Barbara Hall] There is now a second bus for the Alice's Love event in February with 11 spots currently open: let Margaret Conti know if you or someone you know is interested. We will take an IOU on completed projects for new signups. The buses will leave from the Park and Ride lot under 92 promptly at 8 AM on February 8th.
- Former member Erma Koch passed away last year; the Guild will donate to the San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles in her name.
- [Carol Stapleton] Get food requests for Alice's Love event to Margaret Conti by January 25.

- [Joyce Wheeler] The Main Gallery (1018 Main St., Redwood City) is interested in displaying some of our quilts. If you are interested, contact Pia Brand at 650-701-1018. There is a Co-op fee for display.
- [Sandy Kelly] The February workshop with Jean Impey will be held at Always Quilting on Feb. 21, not at the Sobrato Center. The class begins at 9:30
- [Terry Caselton] If you have ideas or suggestions for speakers for 2020 see Terry at the break. Terry presented a check to Gale Green in appreciation for John Green's playing at the holiday party.
- Welcome back to Loraine Strong!

Show and Tell:

Knotty Quilters	Healing Hearts	Sara Guyol	Cels
Michele Parry	Neonatal w/PQHST	Justine Barnard	Quilt for Mary Anne
Carol Blitzer	Neonatal with dog fabric	Charlene Miller	Alice's Love quilt -
Deb Dubois	2 twin quilts for Alice's Love		"Lamb and Sunbonnet"
Sue Barizon	Alice's Love quilt	Gwen Matteucci	Alice's Love quilt -
Carol Stapleton	3 Alice's Love quilts		"Summer of Love"
Irma Lopez	2 Alice's Love quilts and 2 UFOs	Gale Green	Scrap Basket and
Peggy Anderson	2 baby quilts		Paddlewheel, Woven Dreams
Sally Dolehide	2 Alice's Love neonatal quilts		and Smithsonian UFO
Birgette Aabye	2 Alice's Love neonatal quilts	Wanda Dragon	Alice's Love quilt
Lori Atwood	2 Alice's Love neonatal quilts	Loraine Strong	2 Alice's Love quilts
Mary Lazarus	2 Alice's Love quilts	Suzanne Jeuck	2 Alice's Love quilts
Judy Brumm	Jelly Roll quilt		

Membership Report:

Ruth Gilroy and Arlene Powell reported that 70 members were present. Door prizes of fabric and patterns donated by the speaker were won by Judy Miyake, Teresa Miller, and "Mom".

The meeting was adjourned at 10:39.

Submitted by Linda McAllister

PENINSULA QUILTERS GUILD BOARD MEETING MINUTES

January 16, 2019

The meeting was called to order by vice-president Jena Walter at 11:58am. Members present: Linda Hester, Michele Parry, Judy Miyake, Leslie Lohmeier, Jena Walter, Judy Brumm, Sara Medina, Kathy McGuffin, Ruth Gilroy, Linda McAllister

Minutes of the last meeting were approved.

Treasurer's report: projected deficit for this year is \$8,800.

Chair reports

- Educational: (Judy Brumm) everything OK
- Fundraising: The Alameda quilt guild is interested in displaying our opportunity quilt. We are not likely to attend due to distance. Leslie will contact Gill about this. Discussion about scheduling an evening Board meeting (perhaps via Zoom conference?) to discuss fundraising.
- Membership: 2 former members rejoined.

- Outreach: No report. Judy brought up whether people are working on charitable projects outside of PQ sponsored events, and should they be recognized.
- Web: there was a temporary problem with a form on-line that was due to our vendor changing the underlying software. It is now fixed

Old Business:

- Our Facebook page could use more activity: we could put up more pictures of our quilts. Kathy will take over getting photos of quilts from Judy.
- Pop-Up Quilt Show: Discussion about selling kits; tabled for further discussion.
- 2020 Opportunity Quilt: The Board gratefully acknowledged donation of a brown-toned antique-style quilt but decided it would not be suitable for Opportunity Quilt Outreach efforts and so agreed to donate it to one of our outreach programs. Tabled further discussion of 2020 Opportunity Quilt to next meeting.

New Business:

- New Member Tea will be April 27th at Jess' house.
- The Garden Center requested updated information about our seating maps and other requirements, to ensure that everything is set up as we need it since they will be keeping the closets locked and we will no longer have access to them to modify the set-up after we arrive. We will compile and provide the updated information.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:44pm

Submitted by Linda McAllister

Upcoming Workshops

“Spider Web Design” Featuring Jean Impey (www.sewjean.com)

Thursday, February 21, 2019 – Workshop Location: **Always Quilting**

The Spider Web design is an old quilt block sometimes called a String Quilt. In my one-day class, you will have enough time to make a pillow and then if you love the process, you can make the whole quilt. It's fun, it's creative, and you'll learn techniques that you will continue to use on other quilts you make. There is a \$12.00 Kit Fee which includes your own Plexiglass Kite-Shaped Template.



“Carol Stapleton Bag” Featuring Carol Stapleton

Workshop Location: Sobrato Center

This is a 2-day class, 1 week apart. Thursday, March 21 and Wednesday, March 27 – Must attend March 21 to complete your bag on March 27.

Make your own Carol Stapleton bag in this 2-day class.

“The ABC’s of Stitching Words” Featuring Sandra Bruce (www.sandrabruce.com)

Thursday, April 18, 2019 - Workshop Location: Sobrato Center

The ABC's of Stitching Words", will introduce you to how to create letterforms with your sewing machine using free-motion. There will be a variety of small projects offered in the workshop to practice writing with your machine, and if desired, make a little wall-hanging.



“Quilt as You Go” Featuring Carol Stapleton

This is a 2-day class, 1 week apart. Thursday, May 16 and Thursday, May 23 – Must attend May 16 to complete your quilt on May 23. Workshop Location: Sabrato Center

Carol's creations stand out in style, expert techniques, and creativity. We purchased many tickets with a dream of winning Carol's glorious opportunity quilt, “An Exercise in Red.” Many members expressed an interest in learning the quilt as you go technique that she used to create her amazing quilt. Carol will lead a workshop teaching this very technique.

“Architectural Quilts” Featuring Geri Patterson-Kutras (<https://www.geripkartquilts.com>)

Thursday, June 20, 2019 - Workshop Location: **Always Quilting**

The class is a lot of fun and participants create their own colorful cities, neighborhoods or villages. In this class we'll explore how to simplify your vision while learning how to identify those layers of interest and detail that make your work tell a story. No architectural experience required, just a love of lines, angles, color and a sense of adventure and fun! In this class I encourage each student to take the techniques that I demonstrate and make them uniquely their own. Geri does not teach to a pattern; each student uses skills they learn to create their own distinct visual stories.



WORKSHOP REGISTRATION 2018-19

Direct logistic questions to Rose Erdozaincy at nberdo@aol.com. Direct content questions to Sandy Kelly at BlondAdvice@gmail.com. In your email subject line, put PQG Workshop and name of the workshop. If you are not sure who can answer your question send to both Rose and Sandy, they will ensure your question is answered.

- Workshops take place on the Thursday following a General Monthly Meeting.
- Please arrive 30 minutes before class to setup your sewing station.
- **February class will be held at Always Quilting**
- March, April, May and June classes will be held at the Sobrato Center

Workshop Sign Up Process

We are moving into 2019 which means fun and learning in the workshops the guild sponsors for you.

We have implemented Paypal as a way for easy, fast and convenient sign up for workshops. You can sign up for one or all five workshops. OK, you say I don't have a Paypal account and want to take a few workshops. Hmm how do I sign up? You have 2 choices. You can go to the November 2018 newsletter and print a copy of the registration form, fill it in, check off the workshops you want to attend, write a check and mail to Rose Erdozaincy. Mark your envelope with Class Registration.

Your other choice is to create a Paypal account. How do I do that? What exactly is Paypal?

PayPal is a free online service allowing individual users to pay for transactions (products and services) through credit/debit cards or bank accounts. You can pay by simply choosing PayPal at checkout, logging into your PayPal account, and confirming your payment. Paypal completes the process for you with encrypted software.

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If you have questions about Paypal or the content of a workshop give me a call or send me an email. Sandy Kelly 650 560-0083 or blondadvice@gmail.com.

Payment is required at time of signup. To register for workshops, go online on the Peninsula Quilters website using the link: <https://www.peninsulaquilters.org/online-workshop-form>

Upcoming Quilting Events

Oct 29 - Feb. 21 Alameda County Arts Commission Exhibit of EBHQ Quilts - This year, the exhibit will run from Oct. 29, 2018 - Feb. 21, 2019 at the Alameda County Administration Building, 1221 Oak Street, Floors 1 and 5, Oakland, CA (3 blocks from Lake Merritt BART). The show is open to the public during normal working hours, Monday-Friday. Be sure to take some time to see these wonderful quilts.

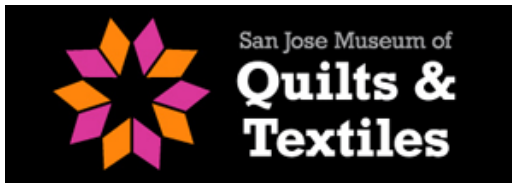
Dear Friends,

Feb 10 -Feb. 15 Congregation Beth Jacob's Quilting Bee to Support Paradise - Quilters are invited to join in to make quilt tops that will be quilted and brought to families who lost their homes in Paradise. Even if you don't quilt, we have many ways you can participate. The Bee will be held at CBJ Social Hall, 1550 Alameda de las Pulgas, Redwood City from Sunday, February 10 to Friday, February 15. The Quilting Bee will be open the following hours: Sunday 2/10: 3pm – 8pm, Monday & Tuesday, 2/11 & 2/12: 9am – 3pm and 5pm – 8pm, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday, 2/ 13, 2/14, & 2/15: 9am – 3pm. Bring your sewing machine and the quilting tools that you like to use, we'll supply the table. Quilt kits will be ready for you to get stitching. If you would rather bring your own fabric and plan, or iron and ironing pad, that's okay too! Bring what will work best for you. Not only will sewing machines be humming, we will have a quilt set up on a frame for those of you who enjoy hand quilting. And we can always use ironers and fabric cutters! We will supply work tables, quilt kits, three irons and ironing boards, a cutting station, and some treats and surprises, and fun each day! It's going to be a wonderful week. Come for an hour, come for a day, come for the week...just come to help create these gifts of warmth and love, meet other quilters, and have fun! **CLICK HERE IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING.** Please note that the sign up will show blocks of time when the Quilting Bee will be open. Signing up for a slot does not mean that you must stay for that amount of time, but that you will be here within that time; it just gives us an idea of how many people we can expect each day.

NOT A QUILTER BUT WOULD LOVE TO HELP? HERE'S HOW: * Donations of gift cards to Joann's fabrics will allow us to purchase supplies like thread, batting, and backing fabrics. Gift cards can be dropped off at the office any time. *Fabric donations; do you have cotton fabric that you've been meaning to clean out of the back of the closet? We can use it! Any fabric that isn't used at the end of the quilting bee will be donated to a quilt guild in Fairfield who have been continuously making quilts since the first fires broke out. *Snacks; quilters need sustenance, would you like to bake something sweet? If any of these speak to you, or if you have questions, please contact Ann Cauterucci at ann@bethjacobrwc.org

Jun 20 – 24 Shop Hop by the Bay - Shop Hop by the Bay is a group of quilt shops who work together to promote our love of quilting and sewing. We work to bring our love of fabric to our customers and to promote quilting and sewing to those who have never ventured into this creative process. We are passionate about what we do and celebrate this passion with our annual Shop Hop by the Bay! Just pick up your official Shop Hop Passport at the first shop you visit. Tour the stores, have your passport stamped and pick up your free pattern and fabric piece at each shop. Check out the list of participating quilt shops on the website www.shophopbythebay.com

Note: Additional quilting events can be viewed on the NCQC Calendar at www.ncqc.net



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and 12-9pm on the first Friday of every month



Jan 20 – April 14 International Techstyle Art Biennial IV - In 2010, the San Jose Museum of Quilts & Textiles launched its signature event, the **International TECHstyle Art Biennial (ITAB)**. Returning now for its fourth incarnation, **ITAB** is a juried exhibition of work by artists merging fiber media with new information and communication technologies in their artistic processes, as a medium of artistic expression, and/or in the content of their work. Leveraging its location in Silicon Valley, **ITAB** serves as the premiere platform for introducing the work of artists exploring the intersection of fiber and technology to a global community.

Jan 20 – April 14 Evanescence: Judith Content - Palo Alto based artist, Judith Content, explores the essence of image, memory or a moment in time through the process of hand dying and stitched silk. Through discharge dyeing and shibori dyeing techniques, Content's work references the natural landscape with painterly movement and depth.

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