



AVQA News

Antelope Valley Quilt Association

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MAY PROGRAM **Ruby Jubilee Quilt Show Preparations!**

TO DO LIST

- ✓ **Finish your entries**
- ✓ **Donate to auction**
- ✓ **Sign up to help**
- ✓ **Sell Opp Quilt tickets**
- ✓ **Help advertise**
- ✓ **Attend the show!**

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This meeting is always exciting! All those people who are exhibiting quilts show up to the meeting to get those quilt entries submitted and sign up for jobs at the quilt show. It's almost like a reunion!

The profits from the quilt show allow our guild to continue educating AVQA's members. AVQA's 40th Annual Quilt Show is June 3 & 4, 2017 Saturday – 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday – 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. AV Fairgrounds – Van Dam Pavilion.

Open sew will be May 13th at the Children's Center of Antelope Valley located at 45111 Fern Ave, Lancaster, CA -- from 9:00 am to ~3:00 pm on Saturday, May 13th.

Prior to the meeting, please gather for camaraderie at Camille's Sidewalk Café, 44140 20th St. West, Lancaster. See you at 5:00 pm prior to the general meeting!

Co-Chairs Programs,
Carolyn Lundie/Marilyn Hendrix

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

May 11	Quilt Show Preparations
May 13	Open Sew
June 8	Jackie DeVall – Wonderful World of Deb Tucker Tools
June 10	Jackie DeVall – Deb Tucker Rulers – Bread and Butter Table Runner Workshop
July 13	Nadine Kirk – A Reverse Applique Extravaganza
July 15	Nadine Kirk – Reverse Applique Autumn Leaf
August 10	Ice Cream Social



Guild Information

Next Guild Meeting: Thurs, May 11, 2017

Location: Lancaster United Methodist Church
918 West Ave J, Lancaster, CA

Time: 6:30 p.m. (doors open at 6:00 p.m.)

Next Board Meeting: Tuesday, May 16, 2017

Location: Bolts in the Bathtub
723 W Lancaster Blvd, Lancaster, CA

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Membership Dues: \$30.00 or \$35.00 if newsletter delivered by both email and USPS.

AVQA 2016-2017 Executive Board Members

President	Cheryl Neiman
1 st VPs	Carolyn Lundie & Marilyn Hendrix
2 nd VP	Sherry Delano
Secretary	Coral Brown
Treasurer	Nani Johnson
Parliamentarian	Donna Roberts

AVQA 2016-2017 Committee Chairs

Challenge	Peggy Vachon
Door Prizes	VACANT
Fat 1/4 Drawing	Kathy Greene
Friendship Circles	VACANT
Historian	VACANT
Holiday Party	Maria Bridgeo Thompson
Hospitality	Donna Roberts & Francis Harig
Librarian	Corine Cudney
Membership	Pat Crook
Newsletter	Pat Stauning
Opp Quilt Design	VACANT
Opp Quilt Promo	Carolyn Lundie
Philanthropic	Lynell Rodio & Peggy Campbell
Publicity	Jamie Harrington
Retreats	Sylvia Darroch & Pat Stauning
Scholarship	Pat Stauning
SCCQG Rep	Vicki Brown
Sunshine	Debbie Cowles
Travel	Sylvia Darroch
Veterans Quilts	VACANT
Web Site	Carol Macke

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Advertising Fees for the AVQA News:

Full Page Ad: \$40.00 per month

Half Page Ad: \$20.00 per month

Quarter Page Ad: \$10.00 per month (or 6 mos for \$50)

Business Card Size ad: \$7.50 / month (or 6 mos for \$30)

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10 – Sharon Hendricks
15 – Peggy Campbell
16 – Sue Leone
17 – Lynn Michaud
17 – Pat Stauning

19 – Annette Shepherd
24 – Sharon Fletcher
28 – Corinne Gurney
29 – Patty Frozina
30 – Rosie Cuevas

*If we've missed your birthday, please let the Membership Chair know and have a great birthday!!!



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

April 2017

Last month we had Scott as a speaker and workshop teacher and although I was not able to attend the guild meeting or the workshop I was told by others that everything went well. The guild can still use your help. We have positions on the board that needs filling. If you can spare some time to help the guild out let me know.

The quilt show is coming we are going to need every member to help us make the show great. Please be prepared to give of your time. If you attend a quilt show talk to the vendors to find out if they want to do our show. Get the information to Jamie as soon as possible.

I also need your help with one more thing. I need the meeting to run smoother and be shorter especially when we have a speaker. If you want to get up and speak at the meeting you need to let Coral Brown know ahead of time. She is our secretary and she will make the agenda for the meeting. If you are not on the agenda you will not be able to speak. I am also asking if you are on the agenda and you speak please keep it short. After all we come to hear the speaker, so let us take care of business so we can get to the speaker faster. I appreciate your attention in this matter. The last favor I am going to ask and this is a big one when we are up there running the meeting can we keep the talking to a minimum. It is distracting to those who want to listen. Some of you speak rather loudly and after all I am miked. The room is rather dead as far as acoustics go. So please be polite during the meeting. You can visit during the break.

Thank you again for your support and help.

Yours in quilting, Cheryl Nieman



AVQA General Meeting

April 13, 2017

Meeting called to order at 6:32 by 2nd Vice President, Sherry DeLano.

Minutes. Corine Gurney moved to accept the corrected general meetings minutes for March. And Fran Bianchi seconded. Motion approved.

Treasurer's Report. Pat Stauning moved to accept the treasurer report and Peggy Vachon seconded. Motion approved.

2nd Vice President. (Sherry DeLano). Next board meeting is April 18 at 6:30 at Bolts in the Bathtub.

Please pick up Opportunity Quilt tickets. Each member is responsible for buying \$20 of raffle tickets.

April's class is Scott Griffin- Improve Piecing at the Children's Center on Fern and Jackman.

May is open sew at the Children's Center.

June is Jackie Duvall Bread and Butter table runner.

Still need people to take Opportunity Quilt to other guild meetings, contact Carolyn.

2nd Vice President- (Sherry DeLano). We have 21 vendors. Forms for Quilts to be displayed in the show are due May 4. If you have a favorite business, see if they are willing to donate a basket for the basket raffle. The Baby Lock Jazz Machine donated by Al's Sew and Vac is to be raffled at Quilt Show. Signup sheets on the back table to help during the Quilt Show.

Librarian/ Block of the Quarter. (Corine Cudney) Library books are ready for checkout and returns. The block of the month is compass points block. Need auction items for the Quilt Show.

Membership. (Sue Jacobsen) 36 members and 1 visitor attended. Evelyn Tiede and Corine Cudney won the door prizes.

Publicity. (Jamie Harrington) Pick up fliers for distribution. We can use tops for the auction and ufo's.

Fat Quarter. (Kathy Greene Ku'u lei Arrendondo won. Purple is the color for April.

Philanthropic. (Lynell Rodio/ Peggy Campbell) Peggy announced that Friendship Circle, Bits N' Pieces, will be taking over Philanthropic in July.

New Business

North Orange Quilt Guild brought their Opportunity Quilt a beautiful vintage hand pieced basket pattern. Stop by and buy a ticket.

Parliamentarian.

 (Donna Roberts)

The slate for New Officers for the 2017-2018 year beginning in July 2017 are:

President: Cheryl Nieman
1st VP: Kathy Greene/ Carolyn Lundie
2nd VP: Sherry DeLano
Treasurer: Nani Johnson
Secretary: Coral Brown
Parliamentarian: Donna Roberts

Peggy Campbell moved to accept the new Executive board. Evelyn Tiede seconded it. Motion approved.

Show and Share. Had a wonderful insightful look at Scott Griffin's quilting career. Very funny.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30pm
Submitted by Coral Brown

AVQA Board Meeting

April 18, 2017

The Meeting was called to order at 6:42 by President Cheryl Nieman. Present at the meeting were Pat Stauning, Sylvia Darroch, Nani Johnson, Sherry DeLano, and Pat Crook.

Motion made to approve the minutes published in the April newsletter by Sherry DeLano. Seconded by Nani Johnson. Motion approved.

2nd Vice President (Sherry DeLano) Sherry gave an update on the Quilt Show. She needs someone to volunteer to be chairperson for Admissions. The person who original volunteered can no longer do the position. She asked Nani if we had received the Insurance Certificates for the A V Fairgrounds. Also, need the Insurance Certificate for the Children's Center of A V. Sherry will follow up with A V Fairgrounds to insure we will have free parking and exactly how much is due to the Fairgrounds. The last quilt show meeting

will be May 8 at 2:00 p.m. at Sherry's home in Rosamond.

Sylvia Darroch volunteered to be in charge of selling raffle tickets for the JAZZ Sewing Machine at the Quilt Show.

New Business

Membership (Pat Crook) Pat would like to get the Membership Roster out in July. She suggested we give out a raffle ticket if you hand in your membership form in May or June with payment. Prize will be a Jelly Roll donated by Cheryl Nieman. If you hand your form in by July you will be in the roster but will not receive a raffle ticket. Please get those forms filled out, which are attached to the newsletter or was sent by e-mail earlier in the month. Thank you everyone.

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Equipment: Pat Stauning suggested that the guild purchase their own projector and screen. Moving the large screen on the stage is dangerous. If anyone has a projector or screen they would like to donate or if you would like to donate funds toward the purchase that would be great also. Sherry DeLano did volunteer to pay for either purchase if the guild did not have the funds.

Postage: Pat Stauning commented that it cost \$8.40 per year in postage per member who receives a newsletter by mail. We have about 20 members who request the newsletter by mail. It cost approximately \$20 a month to print the newsletter. For those that receive an e-mail and hard copy please consider just getting the e-mail. Also the newsletter is always posted on Facebook under Antelope Valley Quilt Association. Thanks for your consideration.

Meeting adjourned at 8:08 p.m.

Submitted by Pat Stauning for Coral Brown

Announcements:

Newsletter

Please send newsletter submissions to this email: quiltsnob@hotmail.com. Deadline for next month's newsletter is

Sunday, 21st of May

Fat Quarter Drawing



At the April meeting, Ku'ulei Arrendondo won the fat quarters! Ku'ulei selected **PURPLE** as the color for the May drawing.

Please bring your **PURPLE** quilt shop quality fat quarters!

Limit is 5 per person.

Publicity

Quilt Show fliers will be available at the next guild meeting. Please take them to shops, hair solons, quilt shops, pet groomers, restaurants, doctors and dentist offices. Please take them to any place that will accept them at their place of business. Please take copies of the County Register. Our quilt show ad will be in the April-May edition!

Jamie Harrington – Publicity

Hospitality

Members with last names starting with **P - Z** are kindly asked to bring a snack for the meeting. Little bottles of water are always great too!

Membership

AVQA has a new member, Pat Crook, who is going to be Membership Chairperson. Sue Jacobsen is assisting Pat with Membership. Pat put a challenge out there for all members. If you bring or mail your membership form as well as pay by June's meeting, you will receive a raffle ticket for a drawing. The prize is a jelly roll donated by Cheryl Nieman. Who couldn't use more fabric???

We want to do this in order to publish the roster by July. If your membership form is received in July, your name will be in the book, but you will not be eligible for the drawing. Hope everyone is up for the challenge!! Let's help Pat get the roster out early!

Treasurer's Reports

April 23, 2017

Beginning Balance	
Checkbook Balance	\$10,547.72
Expenses	
Eve Hall Chef Food and tip (4336)	\$900.00
Exhibitor Pins (2 Years) (4337)	\$402.50
LUMC Meeting Hall (4338)	\$120.00
Publicity and Postage (4339)	\$69.75
Philanthropic (4340)	\$663.32
Make 'n Take (4341)	\$20.08
County Register (4342)	\$130.00
Bohn's Printing (4343)	\$130.00
Scott Griffin (4344)	\$978.98
Newsletter (4345)	\$20.10
Spring Retreat Door Prizes (4346)	\$399.34
SCCQG Fairground Insurance (4347)	\$25.00
Quilt Show, Fairgrounds (4348)	\$5,961.00
Total Expenses	\$9,820.07
Income	
Membership	\$95.00
Jazz Tickets	\$18.00
Opportunity Quilt Tickets	\$90.00
Quilt Show Vendors	\$660.00
Total Income	\$863.00
Current Balance	\$1,590.65
DSW Investments	\$16,773.21
Grand Total	\$18,363.86

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Quilt Show - Entry Forms

Quilt Show entry forms are at the end of this newsletter. Also electronic quilt show entry forms will be available on the AVQA website – www.avqa.org.

Please note the entry deadline – May 4th!!!!

AVQA Quilt Auction ENTRY FORM

POC for more info is
Corine Cudney (661) 722-9381

Entrant Name: _____

Phone: _____

Size (in inches): _____ Inches side to side (width) _____ Inches top to bottom (length)

Quilt Name: _____

Quilt Top made by: _____ Year(s) Made: _____

Quilted by if different from above*: _____

(*Please, if your quilt was professionally quilted, include the name of the quilter so that he/she may get proper credit for the work done).

Methods Used: Piecing - Hand or Machine Appliqué- Hand or Machine
 Quilting - Hand or Machine OTHER _____

Comments: Please include any comments you would like written about your quilt:

OPTIONAL: STARTING MINIMUM BID: \$ _____

If there is not an accepted bid at the above price, AVQA may lower the bid to \$ _____

If there is no bid at that price, I would like the quilt returned to me. YES or NO

PROCEEDS:

_____ I am donating all the proceeds to the Antelope Valley Quilt Guild.
_____ I am splitting the proceeds 70/30 (70% goes to AVQA / 30% goes to me)

Do you want a tax receipt? YES or NO

ATTACH THIS FORM TO THE QUILT AND SUBMIT BY ENTRY DEADLINE: **MAY 11TH**

AVQA use only

Highest bid accepted: \$ _____ 70% _____ 30% _____

2017 AVQA QUILT SHOW ENTRY FORM
ENTRY DEADLINE MAY 4, 2017

A Separate Entry Form is required (with Photo) for Each Item Entered.

ENTRANT's NAME: _____

Telephone _____ Email: _____

Quilt Title: _____

Pattern name and/or source: _____

Size: (Width x Length in inches): _____ Year Completed: _____

PLEASE CIRCLE CHOICE: JUDGED / NOT JUDGED (EXHIBIT ONLY)

SIZE CATEGORY: _____ Small/Medium (48 inches wide and under)
_____ Large (over 48 inches wide)

CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUE:

(Choose only one)

- _____ Appliqued – Hand
- _____ Appliqued – Machine
- _____ Pieced – Hand
- _____ Pieced – Machine
- _____ Modern
- _____ Specialty Techniques
- _____ Wearable Art/Other
- _____ Group (Top created by 2 or more)
- _____ First time entrant in AVQA quilt show

QUILTING TECHNIQUE:

(Choose only one)

- _____ Domestic Machine Quilted by Entrant
- _____ Hand Quilted by Entrant
- _____ Longarm Quilted by Entrant
- _____ Professionally Quilted

Quilted by: _____

Quilt available for purchase? ☐ Yes ☐ No Asking Price: _____

Comments: Please tell us about your quilt: Where did you find the pattern or inspiration? What techniques did you use? What type of thread, batting or embellishment did you use? Does this quilt have a story? What would you like to tell the person who is looking at your quilt? (USE BACK OF FORM FOR ADDITIONAL SPACE)

I have read and understand the Quilt Show Entry Rules. I also understand that liability insurance is the sole responsibility of the entrant. If offering my quilt for sale, I acknowledge that the guild will receive 10% of the asking price.

SIGNATURE OF ENTRANT: _____ DATE: _____

To be completed by AVQA:

QUILT NUMBER: _____ JUDGING CATEGORY: _____

2017 AVQA QUILT SHOW ENTRY RULES & JUDGING GUIDELINES

1. AVQA MEMBERS may enter quilts for judging or for exhibition. NON AVQA MEMBERS may enter quilts for exhibition only as space permits for a fee of \$15.00.
2. Quilts judged in previous AVQA shows cannot be entered again, except by invitation or exhibition, only.
3. Entrant must be the maker of the entry to be judged.
4. Multiple entries by the same entrant will be hung as space permits.
5. Each quilt entry requires a separate entry form with a photograph attached. The photograph may be of a quilt in progress (unfinished). Photo can be taken at the April meeting during the break.
6. DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS THURSDAY, MAY 4th. Entry forms will be published in the newsletter and electronic forms will be on the AVQA website. Forms will also be available at Guild meetings. **WE NEED YOUR ENTRY FORMS BY MAY 4TH.**
7. Quilts must be finished, clean, and free of odors and pet hair.
8. A four-inch sleeve is required on all quilts except small quilts. Quilts wider than 110 inches cannot be hung on AVQA quilt stands unless folded and draped over the rod.
9. All quilts should have a cloth label sewn on the back. The entrant's name and the quilt's name should be included. Names on the quilts will be covered during judging.
10. Quilts that are to be judged must be delivered to the Lancaster United Methodist Church, 918 West Avenue J, Lancaster on Thursday, June 1st, 2017, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. **only**. Exhibit Only quilts **may** be delivered during that time or to the Antelope Valley Fair Grounds Friday, June 2nd, between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Receipts will be provided with each entry. Alternate check-in arrangements may be made by contacting Sue Jacobsen.
11. The facility will be closed during the "take down" process of the show to all except to those who are working.
12. Quilts may be picked up at the checkout station between 5:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 4th, 2017. **BRING YOUR RECEIPT.** For security purposes, entries may only be removed from the facility through the checkout station.

JUDGED QUILTS

GUIDELINES: Small/Medium = up to and including 48 inches wide; Large = 49 inches wide and above. Judges reserve the right to move, split, or combine categories dependent on number of entries received.

PIECED QUILT: A quilt is considered to be pieced if the piecing is predominant over all other techniques.

APPLIQUED QUILT: A quilt is considered to be machine appliqued if both machine and hand applique techniques are used. A quilt is considered to be hand appliqued when ALL of the applique work is done by hand.

MODERN QUILT: A 'modern quilt' is a quilt inspired by modern design, including some of the following characteristics: the use of bold colors and prints, high contrast and graphic areas of solid color, improvisational piecing, minimalism, expansive negative space, and alternate grid work; can include 'modern traditionalism or the updating of classic quilt designs.

GROUP QUILT: A quilt with a top that has been constructed by two or more people. Examples of this type of quilt are round robin, block exchange, or a quilt made by a friendship circle.

SPECIALTY TECHNIQUES: Machine or hand quilted entries using predominantly specialty techniques such as cross stitch, embroidery including redwork, stenciling, painting, trapunto, whole cloth, crazy quilting, cathedral window, yo-yo, and rag quilts. This includes quilts that do not fit into the Applique or Pieced categories, and include quilts made using innovative techniques of construction, design and embellishment such as used in pictorial quilts, abstract quilts, Snippets, and quilts of original design using innovative piecing or applique techniques.

WEARABLE ART/OTHER Wearable Art: the piece must be intended to be worn as a garment or fashion accessory, i.e., hat, belt, purse, vest, scarf. The item must contain recognizable quilting. Other: this can include quilted items such as pillows, placemats, table runners, dolls and other stitched toys, tree skirts, Christmas stockings, sewing machine covers, and tea cozies.

FIRST TIME ENTRANT: This is the first time the member has entered a quilt for judging in an AVQA quilt show.

BEST HAND QUILTING: Must be submitted by the person who did the hand quilting.

BEST MACHINE QUILTING ON DOMESTIC MACHINE BY ENTRANT: Must be submitted by the person who did the quilting.

BEST MACHINE QUILTING ON LONGARM BY ENTRANT: Must be submitted by the person who did the quilting.

BEST MACHINE QUILTING BY PROFESSIONAL: Must be submitted by the person who did the quilting.



Antelope Valley Quilt Association
Membership Registration
July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018

All guild members must complete a new registration form when renewing each year.

For Administrative Use

Received: _____

Entered: _____

Check #: _____

Receipt #: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone (Home): _____ (Cell): _____

(Work): _____ E-mail: _____

☐ New Member

☐ Renewal

Birthday: Month _____ Day _____ Receive Newsletter: by email ☐ by US Mail ☐ both ☐

If you are not in a circle, are you interested in ☐ joining or ☐ starting a circle? (Check one)

If you are a new member, how did you hear about AVQA? _____

DUES (check one)

☐ \$30 Regular

☐ \$35 if newsletter is received by both electronic means and the United States Postal Service

Make checks payable to AVQA.

Complete your registration and pay your dues no later than the July meeting to be included in the Roster.

You may mail this form with your check to:

AVQA Membership

P.O. Box 4107

Lancaster CA 93539-4107

PARTICIPATION

Please be sure to complete the following section. This information helps our guild Nominating Committee and officers fill openings on our board and committees.

1. Would you be willing to serve as an officer of the guild? Check the positions that interest you.

☐ President

☐ VP Ways & Means

☐ Treasurer

☐ VP Programs

☐ Secretary

☐ Parliamentarian

2. Would you be willing to ☐ chair a committee or ☐ serve as a committee member?

Check the positions that interest you.

☐ Door Prizes

☐ Librarian

☐ Opportunity Quilt (Design)

☐ Publicity

☐ Friendship Circles

☐ Membership

☐ Opportunity Quilt (Promotion)

☐ Retreats

☐ Historian

☐ Newsletter

☐ Philanthropic

☐ Travel

☐ Hospitality

3. Would you be willing to ☐ serve as a coordinator or ☐ assist a coordinator? Check the projects that interest you.

☐ A/V Equipment

☐ Challenges

☐ Holiday Party

☐ Photography

☐ Block of the Month

☐ Community Service

☐ Meeting set-up (tables, chairs)

☐ Sunshine

☐ Bylaws

☐ Fabric Swap/Lotto

☐ New member tea

☐ Web Site

4. On the back of this form (or a separate piece of paper) please answer the following questions, if applicable:

a. What suggestions do you have for workshops or lectures?

b. Would you be willing to teach a workshop? Describe topic(s).

c. If you have a quilting or sewing business or skill you would like to have listed in our roster, please describe it.

Each month, we'll feature a quilting website and what better one than our own website! .

<http://www.avqa.org/> Carol Macke and Roxanna Flint before her have done a fabulous job maintaining our website. It is loaded with information about AVQA to include our by-laws and library catalog. Check it out!



Tip of the Month - Ripping Seams

Oh my gosh, I hate to “reverse sew” as I call it. But I’ve become quite experienced at it after years of quilting. Here are some different tips from quilters on how to handle reverse sewing/ripping out seams.



TIP: Rip It Good

“If you have to unsew, use a seam ripper to undo every 4th or 5th stitch *on the bobbin-thread side* of the patches. Then pull the top-thread side and the seam will magically unzip!” – Karen S., Managing Editor

TIP: Sticky Stitches

“Whenever I have to remove my stitching (which is more often than I’d like to admit), I keep an adhesive lint roller nearby. After unpicking the stitches, I pass the lint roller over the seam. The stray threads easily stick to the tape. Now I’ve got a clean slate, along with high hopes that I’ll do it right next time!” – Jenny, Content Editor

TIP: Thread-Free Fashion

“When you have those little thread bits from, say, a seam you just unsewed, a nylon-net dish scrubbie is a great (and cheap) tool for swiping them off your clothing. You can get craft netting at fabric and craft shops by the yard, to make your own for pennies on the dollar. Either gather strips, using your machine basting stitch, to make a sewn thread remover, or cut strips and crochet them. Years ago I worked in a fabric store and we had a box of craft netting under the counter so we could dethread before leaving work at the end of the day.” –Karen S., Managing Editor

Source: <http://blog.shopmartingale.com/quilting-sewing/blog-hop-fabulously-fast-quilts-to-make/>