

Sagebrush Quilters Guild

Eblast for Jan 4, 2017

Executive

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Treasurer – Monica W	Workshops – Joy G	Eblast – Cheryl D
Program – Vacant	Wed morning quilt-in – Val B	
Membership – Marnie F & Judy N	Fri morning quilt-in – Joyce W	

President – Lorraine

Happy New Year everybody!

I hope you enjoyed your break, however you chose to spend it and the winter weather did not interrupt your plans. Although it was a busy time I got to spend time with family and friends and cook some amazing dinners, something I don't get enough time to do most of the year. Please remember to bring your first quilt, or an early quilt, that you made, to our meeting for an extended show and share. It will be interesting to see how we all got started. If you have any ideas for activities or workshops or demos or anything else for the remainder of this year or even for next year, please let the committee chair know. It is never too early to start planning ahead. And on that note, a large number of our executive, including myself as president, are at the end of their terms, so please consider taking on a leadership role for next year. See you all on Monday

Bev M

Next meeting show off your 1st attempt at quilting, or at least the earliest attempt you still have. It can be a full size quilt, a wall hanging, a piece of clothing or whatever you still have. We would like to hear why you decided to get into quilting and if you had problems/or issues with your construction and how you solved them. Hope to see lots of first attempts at the meeting.

Wednesday Quilt In – Val B

Jan. 10. Brenda E	Feb. 7. Katja's sewing day	Mar. 7. Katja's sewing day
Jan. 17. Katja's sewing day	Feb. 14. Marilyn P	Mar. 14. No day
Jan. 24. Doreen F	Feb. 21. Marie A	(Sorrento Retreat)
Jan. 31. Fay H	Feb. 28. Marcia S	Mar. 21. Ann G
		Mar. 28. Fay H

Row Robin – Monica W

The Row Robin exchange is at Monday's meeting. Please bring your completed Row to pass on.

Round Robin - Julie O

The Round Robin exchange takes place on the 8th. If you are unable to attend please make arrangements to do the exchanges with the appropriate people at a mutually convenient time.

Community Projects - Jeri B

The next Sewing Day at Katja's is on Jan. 10th. Feel free to drop by and see what goes on. Perhaps you might be interested to join us. We always have fun. Tomorrow, I'm bringing another group of quilts to the Cancer Ward.

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Important dates from Workshop Chair – Joy G

Saturday, January 27 with Aileen, instructor at Katja's Quilt Shoppe, She has a retreat bag class. She needs 5 minimum participants and can fit up to 10 in the classroom. The cost is \$33 and runs from 9 am - 1PM Supply list and Registration at Katja's Quilt Shoppe. Students will get a 15% discount at the store for all class supplies. Hopefully this will work out for Sagebrush Guild members who are interested in this class. Aileen is looking forward to it!

Monday, Jan 22 program evening presentation by Jane Laithwaite on Pogaji (Korean quilting). Invite a quilter friend.

Monday, Feb. 5 from 9:30 - 5:00 Jillayne Wickware is teaching - Taupe theory/the Artist Journal at Thread and Paper , Salmon Arm. Cost: \$69.30 (\$66.00 +GST +includes \$10.00 kit fee) Any class supplies purchased at Thread and Paper are 20% off. Here is the class description as it will appear on the store's website. Learn the magic of these soft and subtle colours, creating colour palettes that draw on Yoko Saito's taupe colour theory along with your own preferences and style. With the use of shape and stitch, Jill will guide you in the creation of a unique and beautiful reference ledger you can add and refer to time and time again.

Quilt 'til U Wilt – Saturday, February 17

Retreat - Doreen F

We are taking names, money and registration forms for Sorrento Retreat being held March 14-18, 2018.

From Sandy M

Mark your calendar for Saturday, January 13 from 9-4 at KSV,, all guild members invited!! Also, if you are not on my UFO List,, and want to go on it or have more info, please contact me ASAP! Contact Sandy M. for more info for either activity!! Happy New Year!

From Judy N.

I saw this link on Facebook and took a look. The idea is that you make small quilted hearts and leave them in public spaces for people to randomly find. There is a tag that you can print and attach which says "I am not lost. I need a home" and the information for the I Found a Heart Website and Facebook site. People who find the hearts can post a photo to the Facebook page and there are many stories where people report that finding this heart came at a time that they needed it or it brightened their day" Such a small way to spread joy"

<http://www.ifoundaquiltedheart.com/>

