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Hello Fall

It's time for warm days, cool nights and a headlong rush into holiday gifting. In this issue you'll find:

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October Events

Business Meeting: Wed, October 2

6:30 p.m. social time, 7:00 p.m. meeting begins

We're kicking off the 2024 group projects including Community Quilts, Medallion Quilts, Pet Cuddles, Block of the Month and Friendship Blocks. Come early to explore and join the fun.

Veterans Memorial Building, ([map](#))
1351 Maple Drive, Santa Rosa
Open to everyone
In-person and zoom (zoom link for members only)



Fabric Sale and Craft Boutique: Sat, October 12

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Free parking and entrance

Join us for a day of indulgence for all things quilting and crafting

- Fabrics & Notions
- Quilts for Sale
- Handmade Crafts
- Raffle Baskets
- Bake Sale



Fabric Price: \$5 per lb (tax included)

Veterans Memorial Building, [Map](#)
1351 Maple Drive, Santa Rosa
FREE parking and entry fee

[More Details Here](#)

Program Meeting: Wed, October 17

[Playing with Color - A Hands on Collaboration Activity](#)

6:30 p.m. social time, 7:00 p.m. meeting begins



Have you ever made a quilt and it didn't come out as you expected? It is most likely because of the colors, values and contrast of the fabrics.

This meeting will be a group activity exploring color theory by creating fabric swatch worksheets to reinforce color theory concepts. If you are an expert, come and help those who are learning.

Veterans Memorial Building,

[Map](#)

1351 Maple Drive, Santa Rosa

Open to all, \$5 entry fee for non-members

After all, who doesn't need some color practice?

[More Details Here](#)

President's Message



What a busy month! I made it my goal for September to clean up my sewing room, finish some of those UFO's and get myself organized to be an effective, organized, together president!

Well, I got my UFO's done. I'm still working on getting myself organized. There is so much to do and learn, but I feel I have the best team to help me. The skills of those taking on quilt guild positions is so reassuring. I know we're going to have a great, best, post pandemic year yet!

Just remember, there is a place for you in our guild. We are all here to promote quilting within our community, and to surround the ones in need with beauty and comfort. Please know what we do makes a difference. Looking forward to seeing all of you at our next meeting.

Kathy Vedder, President

October 2 Meeting Activity Announcements

Fat Quarter Frenzy

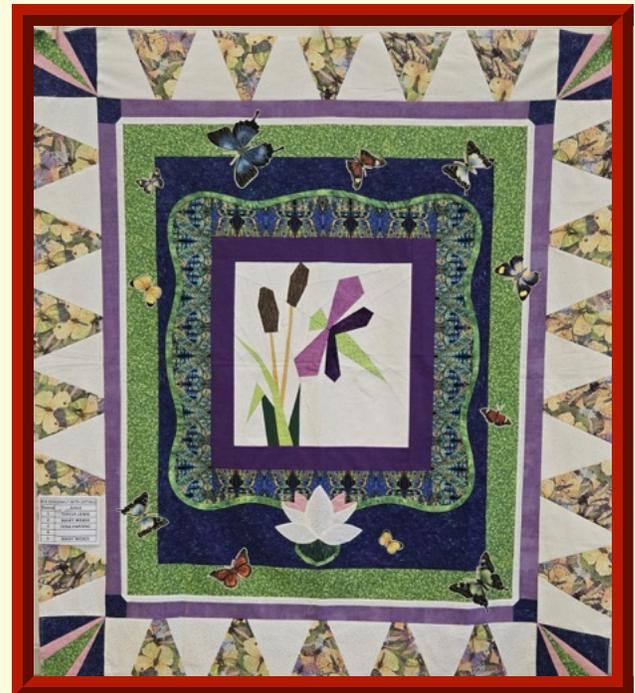


Donate a fat quarter (or more) and enter to win all the donated fat quarters. This month's theme is a celebration of autumn.

So dig out those fall colors and bring them to the meeting. One entry per donated fat quarter.

Open to all in-person attendees.

Medallion Quilts



Join several people in creating a spectacular quilt by adding borders to a center sewn by one person. This year, there will be 20 medallions with 3 rounds each. Sign ups for round 1 will take place at the October meeting. Learn more here: [Medallion Quilts | mgsc](#)

[View the 23/24 winners here](#)

Learn about Moonlight Quilters Activities
including Block of the Month, Friendship Quilts, Pet Cuddles and more:

[Browse Our Full Calendar of Upcoming Events](#)

Preview: October Star Quilter



Diane K. Hoxeng

Diane's quilt journey started 60+ years ago in Sunnyvale when her mother encouraged her to make her own doll clothes.



Quilting became a passion in the mid-90s. She's been a member of several quilt guilds including Moonlight Quilters and the Santa Rosa Quilt Guild. After retiring from fulltime work in 2023, she's been concentrating on consistent quarter-inch seams, matching them up, using her scraps and trying 3D projects like bags.

Meet Diane at our October 2nd meeting, where she'll share 10 or more examples of her beautiful work and tell us more about her quilt journey.

Become a Member

Moonlight Quilters is a 510(c)3 organization that is supported by member dues. Members enjoy access to exclusive events such as Basic Skills Classes, Workshops, zoom links to meetings and more. Dues are \$60/year and are due September 1. Scholarships are available for those who have trouble paying their 2024-25 dues.

If you have questions about membership, contact [the membership chair](#).

Use the link below for the online membership application and to pay your dues;

Become a Member

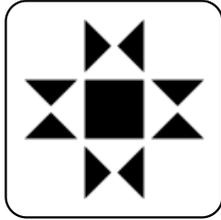
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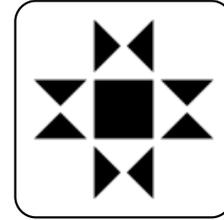
VaDonna Daneri	October 9
Karen Bolan	October 14
Patricia Fratis	October 15
Deb Doyle	October 15
Pam Larger	October 19
Teresa Breazeale	October 24
Diane LaFoe	October 31
Kathy Vedder	November 9

Welcome New Members





Sasha Eckstein



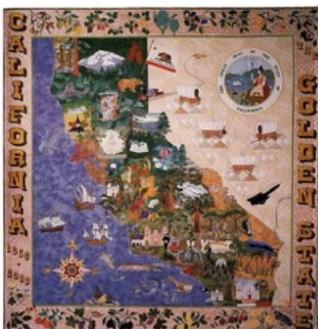
Sandee Wickham

Community News

The California Heritage Quilt Project has begun the process of digitizing the California Heritage Quilt Project Documentation/Quilt Days that were held between 1984 and 1986. Records indicate that the Santa Rosa Quilt Day was held November 11, 1985 with 153 quilts documented.



The Quilt Days project consisted of 32 quilt days over 2 years all over the state. 3,000 individual California quilts were documented on paper and in slide photography. Their purpose was to find the most historic quilts and present them in a book written by Jean Ray Laury. The book was completed in 1990, the records were archived in 1991 at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art as part of the American Quilt Research Center under guest curator and writer Sandi Fox.



Honoring the quilts and quilters of California

Digitizing is an expensive endeavor, but our enthusiastic supporters have helped to raise more than half the funds needed to complete the image digitization, we need to reach out and ask for any support in donations that can be made.

To date, we have been the benefactor of many guilds where we have presented, American Quilt Study Group - Lucy Hilty Grant 2023, individual donors' enormous generosity, local quilt history groups like Repiecers.

With your help, your generous, tax-deductible donation can be made by clicking the link provided on our website www.chqp.org or you may mail a check made out to CHQP to our PO

Box at CHQP PO Box 241, Jurupa Valley, CA 91752. Questions?

Email caheritagequiltproject@gmail.com

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