

Volume 17 - No. 4 Editor: Deanne Meidell



Guild Meeting Tuesday, August 12, 2025

2025 Surfside Quilters Guild Challenge

10:00 am - 12:00 pm 9:30 am - Welcome & Check In

Bankson Hall at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church 33501 Stonehill Dr. - Dana Point

Pam Hadfield - President's Corner



August Message

I hope you are enjoying your summer with family, friends, and sewing. Summer is **sew** busy and is going **sew** fast. We had a lovely 2 days with Julia McLeod learning all about sewing with silk fabrics. It's always fun to add a new skill to our repertoire of skills.

We have a lot to look forward to and things to get ready for in the coming days and months. Our planning efforts are

already beginning for the December "Give Back" meeting. November is our Fest, so we will not be able to do any collecting that month for our December meeting. Therefore, we are starting a bit early to collect donations. We are thrilled to be working with Debby Thrailkill again in helping supply suitcases full of needed items for the foster children in So. California. Debby has teamed up with Dana Point Women's Club, a philanthropic organization serving women, children, and families in So. Orange County since 1951. They will now be known as **Project Foster** and have 501 C (3) status as a non-profit corporation. Being able to serve the community in this way is a highlight for us in our December "Give Back" meeting. We are a Guild with much compassion and a desire to serve where needed. Thank you for supporting our Guild in this effort. I will put a list of items that would be helpful for us to collect in this newsletter as well.

Editor's note: Scroll down to see the list and more about Project Foster.

New Member Social Tuesday, August 26, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. Pam Hadfield's Home (More info to follow)



Quilt block: ConnieKresin.com

August Program - Sherri Peltier

For the program in August we will have the display of our **Surfside 2025 Challenge**. It will be pretty exciting to see what our members have created. It's always fun to see who will win the grand prize. The following day will be a day of free sewing at the church since there is not a planned workshop. (see below)

Hope to see you all. Fondly, Sherri Peltier

Let's Face It! Challenge Janis Toman

Let's Face It – we have some beautiful quilts and projects to share at the August Guild meeting. We received 37 creative and thought-provoking entries. Themes include faces of people, dogs, a pumpkin, a colorful zebra and even the face of the Statue of Liberty. There are some fanciful birds, flowers, butterflies, stars, and even an American Flag. We received some darling bags and some beautiful scenery. We also have some creative labels for our new label category. There are so many wonderful quilts for you to view and enjoy at the August meeting. You won't want to miss it!!!!



Co-Chairs: Janis Toman, Jan Hirth



Bankson Hall at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

Please wait for the door to open at 9:00 am (Driving directions may be found at the end of the newsletter.) **ELEVATOR:** Park at the lower end of the parking lot and walk through the garden maze. Below the old sanctuary is an elevator.

Select the 3rd floor and it will take you to Bankson Hall.



Please be cautious and polite
as you leave the church parking
lot after Guild meetings.
We depart at approximately the
same time the pre-school
dismisses their little ones.



Membership - Karen Hanway & Cathy Harris



Our July meeting on Tuesday, July 8, was attended by 94 quilting enthusiasts, including 2 new members.

Welcome to Surfside Esther Carlton and Ginger Letzel

Our Guild now has 173 members.

The winners of our name tag drawing were Juanita Bass and Odette Osantowski. Looking forward to gathering again with everyone in August on Tuesday the 12th. Sew it, quilt it, love it.... Repeat! Karen Hanway and Cathy Harris

(From left) Karen Hanway, co-chair, Odette Osantowski, and Juanita Bass





Workshops - Mary Arter & Monica Shafer



Workshop Sign Up Information

To sign up for any workshop, email Mary Arter at mearter@gmail.com then send her a check.

Please make checks payable to Surfside Quilters Guild (no abbreviations).



July Workshop Raffle Winner: Deb Warren

Surfside Sew-In Days in August & September

Wednesday, August 13 and



Wednesday, September 10, 2025 9:30 AM to 3:30 PM

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church - 33501 Stonehill Dr. Dana Point

Description: Expand your sewing space! Join us for these Sew-In days.

We'll provide cutting stations, ironing stations, large tables, and

wide open floor space (plus snacks). Work on your own projects or make items for the November Fest Boutique.

Please sign up with Mary Arter to guarantee a table.

Click here: meater@gmail.com

October Workshop

Blooming Needle Keeper With Mama Lohde Wednesday, October 15, 2025

9:30 AM to 3:30 PM Gloria Dei Lutheran Church (Dana Point)





Description: Come join Mama Lohde for a fun and creative workshop where you'll make your very own *Blooming Needle Keeper Book*! In this class, you'll learn essential wool appliqué techniques and be introduced to **32 beautiful and unique embroidery stitches**.

We'll cover both basic and advanced stitches, including:

Chain Stitch, Knotted Chain Stitch, Back Stitch, Pekinese Stitch, Berry Stitch, Closed Fly Stitch, Colonial Knot, Drizzle Stitch, Threaded Back Stitch, Pistil Stitch, Buttonhole Stitch, Straight Stitch, Lazy Daisy—and many more!

Kit: You will purchase the kit directly from Hanne (Mama) Lohde for \$35. Kit includes:

- Hand-dyed wools
- Full patterns
- Embellishment instruction

- Hand-dyed embellishment threads
- Wool threads for appliqué

Supply List: Pick up a copy of the supply list when you register.

Cost: The cost of the workshop is \$25. Please make checks payable to Surfside Quilters Guild.

Block of the Month **Judy Kamman & Holly Betz**

BOM for 2025-2026 Hillside Houses





You can build your own hillside in one of three sizes: 60" x 70" throw ... 30" x 37" wall hanging ... 15" x 18" mini quilt. There will be 18 houses divided into 12 individual blocks. Please reference the pattern to help with the shading and transitioning between houses. A coloring page is included to help plan your design.

Fat quarters or scraps are recommended for the two smaller sizes.

This design was a free QAL on Instagram offered by

Pretty Little Quilts in 2015.

Please join along! Holly 949-525-2804 Judy 714-329-6609



Hillside Houses Block 4

	1140	uST		
Color	15 1/2 x 25 1/2	Wall-Hanging Size	Mini 41/4 × 63/4	
House #6 Left Side Light Gold/Yellow (AMB 67)	1 - 10 1/2in x 3in (A) 2 - 2 1/2in x 3in (D) 1 - 3 1/2in x 3in (E) 1 - 10 1/2in x 5 1/2in (N)	1 - 5 1/2in x 1 3/4in (A) 2 - 1 1/2in x 1 3/4in rectangles (D) 1 - 2in x 1 3/4in rectangles (E) 1 - 5 1/2in x 3in (N)	1 - 3in x 1 1/8in (A) 2 - 1in x 1 1/8in (D) 1 - 1 1/4in x 1 1/8in (E) 1 - 3in x 1 3/4in N) 1 - 3in x 1 1/8in (A) 2 - 1in x 1 1/8in (D) 1 - 1 1/4in x 1 1/8in (E) 1 - 2 1/4in xq, out in half on the diagonal (F)	
House #6 - Right Side Orange (AMB 36)	1 - 10 1/2in x 3in (A) 2 - 2 1/2in x 3in (D) 1 - 3 1/2in x 3in (E) 1 - 6in square, out in half on the diagonal (F)*	1 - 5 1/2in x 1 3/4in (A) 2 - 1 1/2in x 1 3/4in rectangles (D) 1 - 2in x 1 3/4in rectangles (E) 1 - 3 1/2in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F)**		
Roof - Right Side (Light Gray (AMB 5)	1 - 5 1/2in sq (G) 2 - 6in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F)*	1 - 3in sq (G) 2 - 3 1/2in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F)**	1 - 1 3/4in sq (G) 2 - 2 1/4in sq, out in half on the diagonal (F) ***	
Roof - Light Blue (AMB 87)	2 - 6in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F)*	2 - 3 1/2in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F)**	2 - 2 1/4in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F) ***	
House #9- Aqua (AMB 33)	1 - 6in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F)*	1 - 3 1/2in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F)**	1 - 2 1/4in sq, cut in half on the diagonal (F) ***	
House #B - Dark Olive (AMB 43)	3 - 2 1/2in x 3in (0) 3 - 2in x 3in rectangles (I) 3 - 5 1/2in x 3in rectangles (M) 1 - 6in square, cut in half on the diagonal (F)*	3 - 1 1/2in x 1 3/4in rectangles (D) 3 - 1 1/4in x 1 3/4in (I) 3 - 3in x 1 3/4in (M) 1 - 3 1/2in sq. cut in half on the diagonal (F)**	3 - 1in x 1 1/8in (D) 3 - 7/8in x 1 1/8in (I) 3 - 1 3/4 x 1 1/8in (M) 1 - 2 1/4in sq. cut in half on the diagonal (F) ***	
Assortment of colors for windows	7 - 2in x 3in rectangles (I)	7 - 1 1/4in x 1 3/4in (I)	7 - 7/8in x 1 1/8in (I)	

Things you need to know:

- Each letter for the pieces represents a certain size block. They will be repeated for the left and right sides of the house.
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 House numbers (ex. House #1) is on a coloring sheet available in PDF format on my blog.

 Right sides together is (RST)

 When cutting your squares in half to make half-square triangles (hats), save any leftover halves for future blocks.

 Square assembled hat to:

 *5 1/2in sq (throw size)
- - ** 3in sq (wall-hanging size)
- *** 1 3/4in sq (mini size)

Window Units:

To make one window unit, sew an (I) to each of the short sides of (E). Then sew a (D) to each of the sides of both (I) pieces. Press open.

Make 1 for the left side of the house, and 1 for the right side. (2 total).



Half-window Units

To make one window unit, sew a (D) to the left side of a window (I). Then sew an olivergreen (I) to the opposite side. Press open. Sew an (M) to the top. Make 3 units total.



To make the roof, gather and arrange your (F) hists and (G) pieces for House #6 and House #4 (bottom right).

After you have arranged your pieces, start assembling your hsts. Sev two hsts (RSTs) along the diagonal edge. Press open and square to *,



For House #6, Sew the roof into two seperate units: half for the left side, and half for the right. Sew your (F) and (G) pieces together for House #4







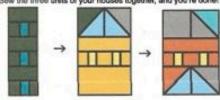
Assembling Block 4

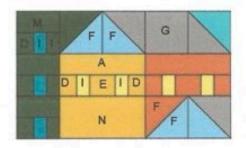
Sew your three half-window units together vertically.

Sew the left side of the House #5 together, adding the roof to the top.

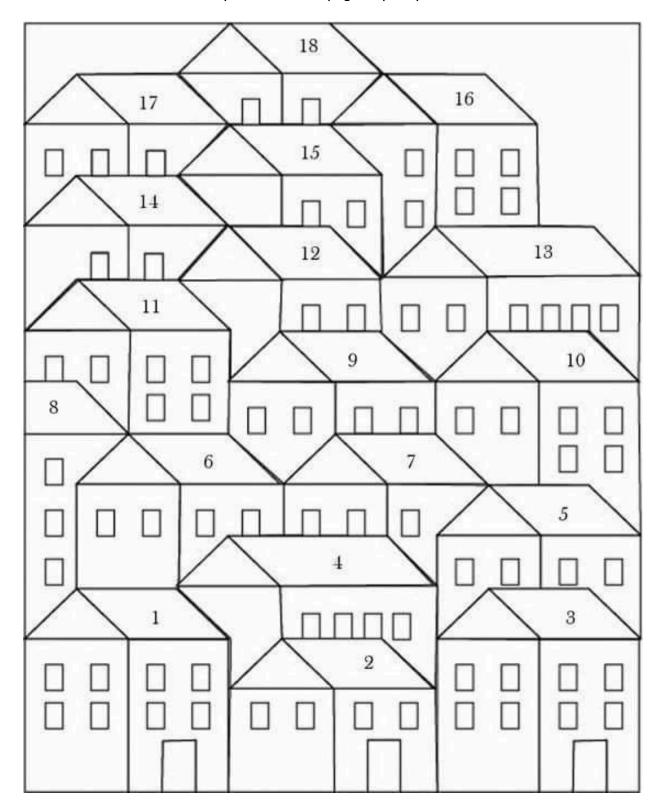
Sew the right side of your house together (note: there is the roof on top on the roof from House #4 on bottom.

Sew the three units of your houses together, and you're done! That wasn't too bad, right?





Click here to download: Instruction Page You can use "zoom" to make the print a little bigger. You may use this color page to plan your colors.



Parliamentarian - Jeanette Brooks

From Jeanette Brooks.....

On Tuesday, July 15, the Surfside Board General Members voted unanimously on a revision to the Surfside Quilters Guild Bylaws that were

last revised and accepted on January 9, 2024. At this time we are revising and replacing...

ARTICLE VII - STANDING COMMITTEES

- F) PUBLICTY / SPONSPORS: Publicize the events and activities of the Guild as deemed necessary, report newsworthy items pertaining to the quilt-related achievements of the members, and actively solicit sponsors for the newsletter and directory.
- F) PUBLICITY Will share the events and activities of Surfside Quilters Guild as deemed appropriate with the use of social media and website.
- G) SPONSORS Actively solicits advertisers for the Surfside Quilters Guild newsletter, directory, and website.

Please review this change to the Bylaws. I will take any questions from the floor at that time and we will vote on this change at our August 12th General meeting.

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Let's Get to Know - Susie Russell



We have three new members to get to know this month. Be sure to read their paragraph and look for each of them at the next meeting so you can welcome them to our Guild.



Liz Salsbury

Liz is new to our area having moved here in May from the lovely Bainbridge Island, Washington. The move was to be closer to family and also to downsize. She will have more time now to pursue her interest in all types of sewing. In the past Liz has made purses, clothing, quilts and attempted some alterations. In her enthusiasm to move she gave away ALL of her fabric!! So perhaps we will find her looking over fabric at the philanthropy table! Welcome Liz!

Marie Taylor

Marie and her husband raised 3 children as well as did marriage and family counseling together. She currently is semi-retired from the healing art of Alternative Medicine so she has more time for tatting, crocheting, and doing lacework or quilting. Her interest in tatting was sparked by receiving a tatted cross in a graduation card. Marie is currently working on an "I Spy" quilt for her youngest grandchild who lives in Tennessee. It will incorporate photos of Marie and her husband. She loves being outdoors and does rock balancing at the beach. Please look for Marie and say "Hi."



Viviana Medina

Viviana had a very interesting career as a certified mastectomy fitter for over 10 years. She is now running her own small business called "Capistrano Sudsery" where she teaches soap making classes. Besides these interests she loves baking, gardening, music and enjoying a good conversation which she can also do in Spanish, her native language.

Viviana proudly states that she finished chemo in December and is in maintenance mode and is ready to make new friends. So come say "Hi" at the next meeting.



Julie Layne (Julie was introduced in the June newletter, but with no photo.)

While parenting 4 daughters, Julie developed a business sewing classical tutus and other ballet costumes for local dancers. It was a natural fit since she had been sewing garments since her early twenties. During that time she gave quilting a try and decided it wasn't for her! She went on with her other hobbies of embroidery, cooking, and fruit and vegetable gardening. But Covid hit and no one was needing tutus! She turned to quilting again and found a new love! Julie currently has her own long arm quilting and ballet costuming company called "Piece +Pointe." Welcome, Julie!



Philanthropy - Linda Chiu & Nancy Pestal



Sew, if you haven't visited our NEW venue, please join us on Wednesday - August 20, from 9:30-1:30 Community Presbyterian Church 32202 Del Obispo, SJC

We have fun projects, fabric to sort, kits to cut out for tops and pillowcases. There are binding and backs to prepare, or bring your machine to sew a quick top for our community.

July Report: Fabric Sales: \$61 ... Quilts Received: 16 ... Pillowcases Received: 24

We hope to deliver many quilts and pillowcases in November and December. They will go to kids at Project Foster (My Own Case), Orangewood, CHOC, Ronald McDonald House, Camp Pendleton Marines and families, VA Hospital in Long Beach,



also to Meals on Wheels Seniors in San Clemente, Dana Point, and San Juan Capistrano.

What do we need? **Kids quilts in fun and bright colors**. Think of what could be made for teens. If you have enough fabric...please make a pillowcase to match, or send us a 10" width of fabric strip to make one.

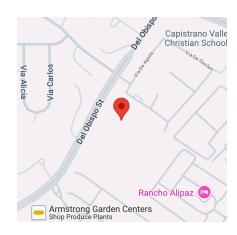
Thanks to all who keep our donations going! We appreciate the generous support of our Guild.

Happy Sewing! Linda and Nancy

Philanthropy Location

Community Presbyterian Church 32202 Del Obispo St. San Juan Capistrano

Parking is very convenient, no steps to get into the workroom!



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Hospitality - Jaine Culbertson



Members are invited to bring goodies to the meeting of their birthday month..... or any month!



July Winner: Priscilla Hackbarth with Jaine Culbertson

Odds 'n Ends - Deanne Meidell



Our July speaker, Julia McLeod, gifted us with some gems during her presentation:

"Turn failure into a feature." She was referring to the antique velvet quilt which had several places where the points didn't match. Her solution was to add beautiful velvet buttons to cover those places and the quilt was even more interesting!

The 6-Minute Circle: Dale Fleming's Method for Machine Piecing an Inset Circle https://www.hgtv.com/videos/how-to-create-easy-circle-quilt-blocks-62279

"Quilter on Fire" Podcast: Presented by Brandy Maslowski "Each episode shares the real stories behind the quilts and quilters." quilteronfire.com

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Show & Tell - Carol Gobrogge



July Show & Tell

From Nancy Prince's Thread Painting Class

From Left: Mary Arter, Nancy Ota, Pam Hadfield





Mary Arter We Are the Storm

Design by Libs Elliott, using generative programming language to create the design. It consists of hexagons, divided in various ways: triangles, kites, trapezoids, semicircles. English paper pieced and hand quilted.



Mary Arter It Must Be Jelly

Made for the Cherrywood Challenge, but not chosen for the exhibit. Fusible appliqué with embroidered embellishments, on a collaged background.



Odette Osantowski Holiday

Kit donated to me to complete for November Fest. It will be an auction item.



Odette Osantowski Patriotic Panel

I added half-square triangles (HST) to a panel. Donated to Philanthropy.



Odette Osantowski Patriotic Stars

Made in the Scrap Happy group with red, white and blue halfsquare triangles (HST). This will be for the Marines holiday party.



Jan Hirth

I purchased a "Tilda Friends" panel and cut the ladies out in rectangles and framed them.
I added hats, jewelry, scarves, and shawls to the friends. Quilted on my domestic machine.



Esther Carlton

This beach house framed wallhanging was made for a birthday gift.



Paula Pangle Spring Flowers

My sister and I saw this quilt on the internet 5 years ago. We decided on size and colors. This year she is coming to California and we are going to make hers.



Maggie Bell I Love Cats!

This is another quilt for the Wildcat Sanctuary in Minnesota. It will an auction or raffle item for the Sanctuary.



Janice Tsuma Scrappy quilt using Joann Bishop's pattern from Scrap Happy group.



Dawn Johnson Indigo Dye Scarves

I took a class in Indigo and Shibori dyeing. I had so much fun learning this new technique.



Dawn Johnson Patchwork Purse

This kit was one of the items in a Missouri Star Advent box. I added an inside pocket.



Viviana Medina Laura's (Heart) Quilt

Ed. Note: This quilt appeared in last month's newsletter, but Viviana's name was spelled incorrectly as Vivian. My apologies, Viviana.



Monica Shafer La Fin du Monde

This quilt started in a virtual class at "QuiltCon Together" during the pandemic. I chose the largest size and decided to piece the background which is why it has taken so long to finish.

Machine pieced and quilted.



Monica Shafer Surf Wave for Surfer Skip

I was inspired by the Robin Pickens lecture, workshop, patterns, and fabrics. This "Surf Wave" pattern will make a perfect gift for my older brother, Skip. Machine pieced and quilted.



Judy Nunn Patriotic Debbie Maddy Quilt

I took this class on my January 2025 Hawaii Quilting cruise Quilted by Karen Wendel.





Deb Hadley Red, White and Blue Flag

Laura Heine design, collage technique, Inktense paint pencils.
The flagpole fabric displays the names of the women of the Suffrage
Movement who were instrumental in the addition of the 19th Amendment
to the Constitution which gave women the right to vote.
Created by Deb Hadley, label by Laura Miller, quilted by Jean Impey.

Monthly Mini - Katy Lillie & Judy Nunn

July Winners







Joyce Benveides

August Monthly Mini

Tickets are \$5 for 6 or \$10 for 12 at the Monthly Mini table.





November Fest - Christina Ehrengruber



November Fest - November 11, 2025

So many things are starting to come in. Wow!

Thank you to all that have donated for this year's November

Fest. It is shaping up to be a fantastic one! Everyone has been hard at work. They all do such a wonderful job.

Christina Ehrengruber christinae@cox.net 949-441-8266

Boutique Workshop - Sherri Peltier

The July boutique workshop will be this cute Christmas tree hanger taught by Elizabeth Geer.

The class will be held at **Quilt Passions** classroom on **July 18th at 10:15 am.** If you plan to join us... Contact Julie Kemmerer **brokerjulie@gmail.com** 949-813-5986

Or, Sherri Peltier <u>sherripeltier@reagan.com</u> 949-441-8264

Bring your snacks and lunch if you can stay for the day.

Please come and join us for the fun!



Raffle Baskets - Carol Gobrogge

We already have commitments for five baskets. We need gift cards from any store.

Contact: Carol cmgobrogge@gmail.com or 949-291-3562. Or come visit the November Fest table at the next Guild meeting to sign up! Empty baskets will be available for pick-up at the August Guild meeting.



Here is the link to buy basket items on Amazon.

https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/12BAZ EIOUOYEF?ref_=list_d_wl_lfu_nav_7

Click on "lists," then look for "Amazon guild baskets." Have the items sent to: Carol Gobrogge 3009 Brillante San Clemente 92673

Here are some suggestions for baskets:

Tea/Coffee: tea pot, tea cozy, cups, mugs, special napkins, teaspoons, coasters, flavored sugar, tea towel, scone mix, jams, olives, a novel, bookmarks.

Notions: thread, needles, binding clips, paper piecing papers, and templates, marking pens, glue, rulers/templates, patterns, retracting tape measure, tote (tote could be the basket).

Grandparent/Kids: books, coloring books, crayons, markers, pencils, scissors, games, puzzles, cards, craft kits, Highlights subscription, ice cream gift certificate, jump rope.

Kitchen: wooden spoons, spatulas, measuring cups/spoons, cookbooks, magazine subscription, recipe cards, apron, mitts, dish towels, timers, cutting board, bookmarks.

Beach Fun: towel, sunscreen, tote, water bottle, hat, book, magazine, beach ball, crossword/Sudoku puzzle book, snacks.

Happy Hour: Cheese, gift certificate to wine shop, tapenade, crackers, sparkling water or wine, pretty wine glass, snack napkins, cutting board, cheese knife, nuts, chocolates, corkscrew, etc.

Fabric Baskets: Fat Quarters, polka dots, batiks, geometrics, kids, babies, scraps, wool.

Spa Day: pedicure/manicure gift certificate, lotions, nail polish, nail files, facial masks, massage oils, polish remover, cleansers, shampoo/conditioner.

Gardening: trowel, flower and vegetable seeds, houseplant, books/magazine, gift certificate to a nursery, sunscreen, hat, gloves, water bottle, tote bucket, (bucket could be the "basket').

He-Man Basket: pliers, gift certificate to Home Depot or Lowes, gloves, sand paper, tape measure, yard stick, tool belt, assorted nuts and bolts and nails, tacks, picture hangers, wood glue, water bottle, flashlight, working man's lotion, magnets, (a bucket could be the basket).

Seasonal: Winter, Fall, Summer, Spring: items that denote the season: i.e., pumpkins, trees, leaves, flowers, food, ornaments, greeting cards, postage stamps, glitter, glue.

Picnic: Table cloth, napkins, paper plates and plasticware, cups, pickles, olives, gift certificate to Ralphs or Trader Joes, Blue ice, sunscreen, board game.



Quilt Auction - Mary Arter

Odette Osantowski made this beautiful quilt which will be one of the auction quilts. We are still accepting more quilts to be auctioned.

You can reach Mary Arter at: mearter@gmail.com or 585-750-0736.

Silent Auction - JoAnn Bishop, Odette Osantowski, Maggie Bell

Some suggestions to donate for the Silent Auction are quilt kits, cutting tools, sewing machines, quilt racks, or any other quilt related large items.

Contact: Joann Bishop <u>BISHOP370@aol.com</u> 949-929-7359

Odette Osantowski odetteoo@cox.net 949-412-4988



Sponsors - Julia Renaud



Hello, Members!

Each month I will be featuring one of our sponsors. This will give our sponsors more exposure to you all. They will have the opportunity to let you know about their business.

I hope you enjoy learning more about our sponsors' businesses. Please try to support them because without them it will be very difficult to continue our hobby of quilting.

Sponsor Chair, Julia Renaud Julia@renaudusa.com



From Casey at Pal's Sew & Vac...

My Mom and Dad opened the first PAL's Sewing & Vacuum in September 1967, and we've been serving Orange County, LA, Riverside, San Bernardino and San Diego Counties ever since. I grew up in the sewing business and learned how to not only sew, but how to repair sewing machines from a young age. I love this

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Surfside Quilters at the O. C. Fair Sharon Whelan - Coordinator



Karen Hanway, Pam Hadfield, Jeanette Brooks



Karen Hanway with a young seamstress



Monica Shafer, Marcia Kuehl, Sharon Whelan

Thank you to Jeanette Brooks, Pam Hadfield, Karen Hanway, Maggie Bell and her daughter Jen, Monica Shafer, and Marcia Kuehl for representing Surfside Quilters Guild with me at the Orange County Fair on Friday, July 18, 2025. Our Guild volunteers enjoyed interacting with those - young and not so young - who approached our exhibit table to ask questions about our Guild. Karen guided a young one to sew on her darling red featherweight plus Monica Shafer and Marcia Kuehl taught English Paper Piecing using hexi shapes.

Our Guild has exhibited our beautiful Presidents' quilts at the fair for 13 years now with a three year break by the fair due to the pandemic. I look forward to next year, showcasing Pam Hadfield's and Mary Mulcahey's Presidents' quilts and the sewing techniques by our members.

List of Items Needed for the December Give Back Meeting

From Pam Hadfield Items to donate for packing our suitcases: Items to donate for packing our suitcases (updated list)

School supplies

Pencil cases

Word Finder books (Dollar Store)

Toiletries (brushes, combs, deodorant, soap, toothpaste, tooth brushes, shampoo)

Reading books – used in good condition

Card games, coloring books, markers

We have enough stuffed animals. Thank You!

Twin sheets

Fleece blankets

Our quilts & pillowcases

We have enough committed suitcases for this project. Thank You!

Nancy Ota taught the pencil holder "ZipIt!" to be included in the bags:



Marilyn Novak was surprised that she could easily sew in a zipper.



Judy Dimmick found this project super easy.



Our fearless Surfside Quilters Guild President, Pam Hadfield, finished the first one.

More Info about Project Foster (formerly MyOwnCase)

Excerpts from the Dana Point Times (June 20, 2025)

From Debby Thrailkill

"My Own Case has grown to a point where it was time to become a separate nonprofit corporation with our own administrative structure or partner with an established charitable entity," Thrailkill said. "We are very grateful to be 'adopted' by the Dana Point Women's Club, which has welcomed and supported us since the beginning. We will be able to maintain and even expand operations while preserving our essential mission."

At its recent annual meeting, held June 5 at Community House, DPWC celebrated the adoption and formally welcomed a team of "Project Foster" volunteers as new members of the club. The Board of Directors of DPWC announced that, effective June 1, the unincorporated nonprofit entity known as "My Own – A Case for Kids" (My Own Case) will partner with DPWC and operate as one of its philanthropic programs under the name "Project Foster."

Click here to read the full article:

Dana Point Women's Club

https://www.picketfencemedia.com/danapointtimes/eye-on-dp/dana-point-women-s-club-adopts-project-foster/article_7129d310-d170-4c40-a1ac-5afc108e825e.html

PHD - "Projects Happily Done" Sheri Hill & Johanne Gibson

PHD, "Projects Happily Done," is an open friendship group meeting the 4th Friday of the month, January thru October each year. We share our projects, ideas and questions. Bring your list of 9 projects and you'll be encouraged, supported, and enticed into finishing one project a month. Call Sheri Hill for more info.

Fourth Thursday
Seaside Villas Clubhouse - Dana Point
10:00 am to 11:30 am.

Directions to Seaside Villas Clubhouse at end of newsletter.

Scrappy Happy Friendship Group Joann Bishop

Next Meeting - Fourth Thursday Seaside Villas Clubhouse - Dana Point 10:00 am to 11:30 am.

The Scrap Happy friendship group meets every 4th Friday at the Seaside Villas in Dana Point and is open to all. We meet from 11:30 to 1 pm, after the PHD group, so pack a lunch or snack to nosh before the meeting, if hungry. You'll find us sharing tips, pattern sources and color ideas as we make scrappy quilts from our stash.

Sunshine and Shadows - Diana Jacobs



Please keep Cathy Harris in your thoughts as she and her doctors try to come to a diagnosis for her low blood pressure and fatigue. Her help with membership is being missed as well as her welcoming smile. You can find her address & phone # in our membership directory should you want to send your own personal cards or give her a call. A card is on the way to her from the Guild.

I look forward to hearing from you about who needs cards sent to them, or updates on events in our members' lives. Your help is greatly appreciated.

My email address is **logan.casta@gmail.com**. Please put in Subject line "S&S." Diana Jacobs

Happy August Birthday

Lyndy Dye - 1
Judy Kamman - 1
Linda Farlow - 4
Jan Kemp - 5
Barbara Graham - 6
Amira Mansour - 6
Deanne Meidell - 8
Suzanne Stanton - 8

Deborah Warren - 9

Nancy Ota - 12

Barbara Shaw - 14

Claudia Redfern - 15

Suzy Hickey - 16 Lynn Loe - 17

Mary Arter - 19

Victoria Crane - 20

Linda Warzyca - 24

Katie Rains - 28

Becky McDaniel - 30



Surfside Quilters Guild Income Expenses 2025-2026

2025-26				Income & Expenses
Approved				May - April
Budget	INCOME	May	June	Way - April
	Bank Fee Refund			0.00
3,500.00	Bus Trip (one trip)			0.00
1,200.00	Challenge ""	70.00		70.00
	Donations			0.00
250.00	Guests	50.00		50.00
175.00	Magazine Recycle	10.25	12.00	22.25
6,800.00	Membership Dues	5,540.00	580.00	6,120.00
1,200.00	Monthly Mini Raffle	81.00	61.00	142.00
4,000.00	Novemberfest Basket Raffle			0.00
6,000.00	Novemberfest Boutique Sales			0.00
6,000.00	Novemberfest Quilt Auction Sales			0.00
1,500.00	Novemberfest Silent Auction Sales			0.00
1,500.00	Philanthropy Donation	276.00	100.00	376.00
1,500.00	Philanthropy Fabric Sales	155.00	65.00	220.00
16,500.00	Retreat (Two)	8,256.00		8,256.00
3,600.00	Retreat Prepaid Deposit			0.00
	Special Events			0.00
1,100.00	Sponsors		650.00	650.00
350.00	Workshop Raffle	20.00	24.00	44.00
5,000.00	Workshops / Sewcials		575.00	575.00
60.275.00	TOTAL INCOME	14,458,25	2,067.00	16,525.25
	Sales Taxable Income	165.25	77.00	242.25
	Raffle Income	101.00	85.00	186.00
	EXPENSES			
100.00	Bank Fee			0.00
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100.00	Bank Fee Bank Certificate (CD)	97.38	56.62	0.00
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Meeting Location For:

- SQG Board Meeting
 - PHD Group
- Scrappy Friendship Group

Seaside Villas Clubhouse 33715 Surfside Dr.

SQG Board Meeting 10:00 am (3rd Tuesday)

PHD Group 10:00-11:30 (4th Friday) Scrappy Friendship Group 11:30-1:00 (4th Friday)

Parking near the clubhouse is limited—See the map for remote parking.



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President - Pam Hadfield
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November Fest

Chair - Christina Ehrengruber Boutique - Sherri Peltier, Julie Kemmerer, Julia Renaud Baskets - Carole Gobrogge Auction - Mary Arter Silent Auction - Joann Bishop, Odette Osantowski

The Surfside Quilters Guild, a 501(c)(3) corporation was established March 2009 to promote quilting and fiber arts in the South Orange County area. The Guild offers the opportunity to share experiences with other quilters in an atmosphere of fellowship as well as to enhance the knowledge and skills of its membership. Newsletters are distributed via the internet. Meetings are the second Tuesday of the Month. Dues are \$40 annually for the membership year from May 1st through April 30th. Guests are always welcome for a donation of \$5. Membership and Volunteer forms are available on our website.



Meeting location: Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 33501 Stonehill, Dana Point

From North:

Take 5 Freeway south and exit Camino Capistrano, exit #81. Turn left onto Camino Capistrano and proceed to Stonehill Drive. Make a right and go up the hill past Del Obispo Dr. You will make a left hand turn at the next light which takes you directly into the Gloria Dei parking lot.

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Take 5 Freeway Northbound. Exit 79 toward CA-1/Pacific Coast Hwy onto CA-1 N (Pacific Cst Hwy-California's Rte 1). Turn right onto Del Obispo St.

Go for 0.8 mi. Turn left onto Stonehill Dr. Go for 0.3 mi. Make a left at the signal light into Gloria Dei parking lot.

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