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Meet the Teachers on July 16 in Pleasant Hill

On Wednesday, July 16 NCQC will present the second "Meet the Teachers Day" for 2003. Come prepared to meet thirty different teachers than those who presented in January, and round out your Program schedule for next year and 2005 too! Each teacher will present for three minutes, but will also be available to meet and discuss his or her programs and classes following the presentations. This is one of our most successful meetings and we encourage you to attend.

July 16, 2003

Hello Northern California Quilters!

Welcome to the first issue of the Northern California Quilt Council's e-mail newsletter. Your feedback is most welcome. Our goal is to provide you with guild, shop, teacher and individual quilt-related information. We coordinate a master calendar of quilting events in the Northern California area and provide a forum for discussing common concerns and new ideas.

• New Quilts of Northern California

NCQC will have an exhibit at the Pacific International Quilt Festival again this year, so finish up your special quilts and enter them! You can also enter the PIQF contest and have your quilt shown in New Quilts of Northern California. The closing date for entries for New Quilts is later this year - September 5 - so there is time to take a good picture of your quilt. An abbreviated version of the entry form is included in this newsletter. A copy will also be posted on the NCQC web site. Guilds can put the form in their newsletters or make copies and distribute them at meetings. Please encourage your members to enter. There will also be forms at the July 16 NCQC meeting.

The exhibit will be juried to about 60 quilts. Medium sized quilts show the best, and quilts longer than 90 inches will hit the floor. We would like quilts that are new and have not been widely shown before - your latest work! Entries should include a color picture or slide and a close-up with the title and dimensions of the quilt and your name on the back of the pictures. Send to: New Quilts of Northern California, 2935 Sloat Road, Pebble Beach, CA 93953. If you have questions, call Sue Broenkow at (831) 373-5389.

• California Raffle Law by Susie Ernst

Thanks to Cindy Rubin for pulling the proper California Penal Code (Section 320.5) regarding the new (July 1, 2001) raffle law. This law is important for every guild that wishes to have a raffle quilt (or opportunity quilt) as a fund raiser. After reviewing the law, it appears that to have the minimum paperwork and reporting, each guild

Community Center
320 Civic Drive,
Pleasant Hill
10:00 AM

The Northern California Quilt Council meets in a facility where food and beverages are unavailable. Please take this into account when planning your attendance at this event.

YAHOO! Maps
[Map of Pleasant Hill, CA 94523-1921](#)

NCQC Sponsors Quilt and Wearable Art Judging Seminar

by Elizabeth Marrs

In June 2003 NCQC presented "Judging Quilts and Wearable Art" in conjunction with the Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds and The Traveling Quilters. It was held in a quiet venue, the Viña de Lestonnac Retreat Center in Temecula, where the 16 students, 4 instructors and the support staff could concentrate throughout the 3 intensive days (and evenings, too) of instruction.

The course provides participants with the necessary skills to evaluate quilts and wearable art competently, objectively, and diplomatically. It includes comprehensive coverage of the key elements of design and workmanship. Multiple "hands on" sessions give the students valuable practical experience in working through the evaluation process.

must be assured of ALL of the following:

1. The raffle involves a general and indiscriminate distributing of tickets. 2. The tickets are offered on the same terms and conditions as the tickets for which a donation is given. 3. The scheme does not require any of the participants to pay for a chance to win.

If your guild does not comply with the above 3 items, your guild must do the following:

Apply for registration of a non-profit program each year that they have a raffle quilt. A completed registration form and registration fee of \$20 must be submitted by Sept. 1st of each year during which a raffles is expected to be conducted.

Office of Attorney General, Registry of Charitable Trusts,
PO Box 903447, Sacramento, CA 94203-4470.

Copies of the guide may be obtained by writing to the Attorney General, Public Inquiry Unit, PO Box 944255, Sacramento, CA 94244-2550.

Website - <http://ag.ca.gov/charities/>

A special thanks to Marilyn Davenport fo theTurlock Guild for this information.

• Northern California Quilt Council Calendar of Events

Events for 2003

Continuing Events

8 June to 31 July Different Seasons, Different Reasons, An exhibit of quilts from the Carmel Adult School. Back Porch Fabrics, 157 Grand Ave. Pacific Grove, 10-5 Mon-Sat., 12-4 Sunday Contact: 831-375- 4453.

10 June to 10 Aug. Stories Untold: Jewish Pioneer Women 1850 - 1910. San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles, 110 Paseo de San Antonio, San Jose, CA 95112. www.sjqiltmuseum.org. (408) 971-0323.

Events for July 2003

16 July NCQC Quarterly meeting: Meet the Teachers 10:00 a.m. at Pleasant Hill Community Center, 320 Civic Drive, Pleasant Hill.

19 to 20 July 'The Colors of Summer' A Quilt and Fiber

Instructors Barsha Elzey, Elizabeth Marrs, Helen Powell and Heather Tewell traveled to southern California to present "Judging Quilts and Wearable Art." Representing NCQC were Sue Broenkow and her able aide and former course participant, Joan Hughes.

For information about future offerings, contact Helen Powell at (916) 451-7638 or fax (916) 736- 0558.

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Arts Exhibit presented by Creative Quilters of Nevada, Lawlor Events Center, University of Nevada, Reno, North Virginia & Fifteenth.. Sat 9-6 & Sun 9-4. Featured Quilt Artist: Yvonne Porcella & Featured Wearable Art Artist: Rami Kim, Workshops on Saturday and Sunday by: Yvonne Porcella, Rami Kim, Scarlett Rose & Regis Liess, Special display of Celtic Quilts, For info: e-mail rknrk@gbis.com or send SASE to Rita Kuehn, POB 1102, Gardnerville, NV 89410

26 to 30 July C&T Publishing will host its 6th Annual Teachers Retreat in Moraga, California. Open to quilting teachers, shopowners, and aspiring teachers, the 4-day conference features instructional classes for teaching from new release quilting books with the latest techniques, and presentations on marketing, teaching and professional development. Instructors include Darlene Christopherson, Sally Collins, Laura Lee Fritz, Sylvia Landman, Gwen Marston, Mary Mashuta, Diana McClun, Laura Nownes, Freddy Moran, Velda Newman, Kathy Sandbach, Lawry Thorn and Hari Walner. The conference is facilitated by Teacher Development Seminars, Diana McClun and Laura Nownes. For more information visit , 925/944-6428 or nownesfamily@attbi.com.

26 and 27 July An International Celtic Quilt Exhibit sponsored by KIXE-TV featuring Philomena Duncan. 9 am to 5 pm, KIXE Studio, 603 N. Market St. Redding, CA. for information cal Kitty at 530 243-5493.

Events for August 2003

3 Aug to 2 Oct Landscape Inspirations, quilts by Vicki Johnson. Back Porch Fabrics, 157 Grand Ave. Pacific Grove, 10-5 Mon-Sat., 12-4 Sunday Contact: 831-375-4453.

9 Aug Great Petaluma Quilt Show, Petaluma, CA Show is Saturday only, 10-4:30PM and FREE -- an outdoor show featuring the quilts of Gai Perry at Couches, Etc., the Hoffman Challenge of 2002 at the Petaluma Historical Museum. Crafts faire in Walnut Park. 707-778-8015

28 to 31 August Marin Quilt & Needle Arts Show, Marin Exhibition Hall, Avenue of the Flags, San Rafael. Hours of the show: Thursday Aug 28 6-9pm Fri, Sat, Sun 10a - 5pm. mailing address PO Box 1904 Novato, CA. Phone number 415 507-9146. Featured Artists this year are Velda Newman, quilts; Sylvia Polk, Needle Arts and Sharie Rody, Knitting. The show opens on Thursday night, August 28 with a Champagne Preview Party 6 - 9 p.m. Visit our web site www.mnag.org for more information or to

download an entry form. contact Betty Murry, 8209 Blackney Rd., Sebastopol, CA 95472. (707)829-1427. BMURRY21@aol.com

Events for September 2003

6 to 7 Sept Truckee Meadow Quilters present The Biggest Little Quilt Show in The West "Celebrating Nevada", Saturday 10-5 and Sunday 10-4, Unique Vendors, Demonstrations, Door Prizes, Raffle Table, Country Store and much more. 2003 Opportunity Quilt: 'Celebration,' Featured Quilter: Regis Leiss, Liverstock Events Center, Exhibit Hall, Fairgrounds at Wells and Sadler Way, I-80 exit 14, Reno, Nevada. For More Information and quilt show entry form, send SASE to: Truckee Meadow Quilters, Attn: Brenda Montgomery, POB 5502, Reno, NV 89513

20 September A Very Special Quilt Show. Almost 5 generations of one family of California quilters. at El Dorado Nursery & Garden, 3931 C Durock Rd., Shingle Springs, CA 95682/ (530) 676-6555

20 to 21 Sept The Sierra Quilt Guild of Tuolumne Country presents its annual show at the Mother Lode Fairgrounds, Stockton Rd., Sonora, CA Sat. 10 to 5; Sun. 10 to 4. infor: Chrys Day (209) 586- 3974. clday@mlode.com

26 to 27 Sept Kings River Quilt Guild and the Reedley Downtown Association presents: Kings River Quilt Festival 2003, Friday, 10 am to 7 pm and Saturday, 10 am to 5 pm. at the Reedley Community Center, 100 N. East Ave, Reedley. Featured artist is Janice Gerdts. Trolley Service will be available Saturday to the Reedley Downtown Quilt Walk and the well know Mennonite Center and fabric shop. Vendors Mall and food by the Gourmet Garden. Barbara Reynolds 559- 591- 4259 or email: barbarar@cos.edu or larryd@jps.net

26 to 28 Sept Sew-Quilt & Craft Expo. San Mateo County Expo Center, San Mateo CA. Sponsored by The PCM Group, Reno, NV Hours: 10:00am to 5:00 pm daily Admission \$7.00 with a \$1.00 coupon available at JoAnn fabrics and at or call for information at 800-472-6476.

27 September Siskiyou Country Quilters' Guild biennial quilt show. Yreka Community Center, 810 N. Oregon Street, Yreka, California. Opportunity quilt drawing, Miniature Quilt silent auction, cafe', door prizes, vendors, guild challenge, "Impressions in Black & White". Hours: 9:00 to 5:00. \$2.00 donation. Contact: Darlene Campbell, 2009 Lichens Road, Montague, Ca 96064--530-459-5416 or idabel@snowcrest.net.

27 to 28 Sept Diablo Valley Quilt Show, 10 to 4 approx., Charlotte Wood Middle school, Danville.

Events for October 2003

2 to 5 Oct Nostalgic NeedleArt III, a needlework and embellishment conference in Ontario, CA. For information, visit their website at <http://www.nostalgicneedleart.com> and join the mailing list to be notified when then class schedule is available. Call Jan Raymond at 909-591-8050 to receive a brochure.

4 to 5 October Ladies of the Lake Quilter's Guild Presents: FALLING LEAVES QUILT SHOW at the LAKE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS 401 Martin St. Lakeport, California. Over 200 quilts exhibited, a vendor mall, country store, door prizes, theme baskets, a featured quilter, demonstrations, a silent auction, and a special doll exhibit. For more information please call: Shelly Aldrich, P.O. Box 875, Kelseyville, CA. Phone/fax 707- 279-4739 shelley@bassfishinclearlake.com or Cheryl Jones-Murray quiltmaster@saber.net

4 to 5 October Gateway Quilters of Merced. Merced County Fairgrounds Pavillion. Sat. 10 to 5; Sun. 10 to 4.

5 Oct to 4 Dec. Wilda Work. Quilts and Watercolors by Wilda Northrop. Back Porch Fabrics, 157 Grand Ave. Pacific Grove, 10-5 Mon-Sat., 12-4 Sunday Contact: 831-375-4453.

10 to 12 Oct "Pieces from the Past Quilt Show" presented by Docent Council of the San Joaquin County Historical Museum, Erickson Building, Micke Grove Park, 11793 N. Micke Grove Rd., Lodi, CA. 10 to 4 both days. (209) 331-2055. info@sanjoaquinhistory.org. <http://www.sanjoaquinhistory.org>.

9 to 12 October Pacific International Quilt Festival, Santa Clara Convention Center, Great America Parkway, Santa Clara. www.quiltfest.com

11 to 12 Oct Sierra Gold Quilter's Guild presents "Gold Country Quilt Harvest" Amador County Fairgrounds, 18621 Sherwood St., Plymouth, CA. Sat and Sun 10 to 4. info: Judy Garcia (209) 293-4916 or Barbara (209) 293-7363

15 October NCOC Quarterly meeting: Challenges 10:00 a.m. at Pleasant Hill Community Center, 320 Civic Drive, Pleasant Hill.

17 to 19 Oct River City Quilters' 26th Annual Guild Show - Illusions. Scottish Rite Temple. 6151 "H" Street, Sacramento, CA Fri. 10 to 5; Sat. 10 to 5; Sun. 10 to 4. Special Exhibits: A special selection of American quilts from the collection of nationally-known quilt historian Joyce Gross. The exhibit will include quilts made by Pine Eisfeller and Rose Kretsinger, and stunning examples of appliqué, piecing, and trapunto Quilt Show Chair: Marilyn Maddalena Telephone: 916-921-9632 mm@marilynquilts.com

Events for November 2003

1 and 2 Nov Tuleburg Quilt Guild of Stockton presents 'Our Quilt Heritage' at the Stockton Civic Auditorium, Center and W. Fremont Sts, Stockton. Daily 10 to 4. call (209) 478-8618 or 957-2762

7 to 8 Nov Pioneer Quilt Guild Quilt Show. Rocklin Community Center, 2003 Sunset. 10 to 6 on Friday and 10 to 5 on Saturday.

8 to 13 November ART QUILT TAHOE. 2003 faculty includes: Sue Benner, Hollis Chatelain, Nancy Crow, Caryl Bryer Fallert, Mickey Lawler, Libby Lehman, Ruth B. McDowell, Velda Newman, Dolph Smith, Gabrielle Swain, Lorraine Torrence, David Walker. Conference includes superb accommodations, gourmet meals, faculty presentations, quilt exhibit, quilt shop. Call: 530- 887- 0600 <http://www.artquilttahoe.com> Fax: 530-887- 0555 Email: fabric@gvnet

EVENTS FOR 2004

Events for January 2004

14 to 15 February The Guild of Quilters of Contra Costa County 2004 quilt show will be February 14 [10-5] and 15 [10-4] at the Centre Concord, 5298 Clayton Road, Concord. For further information: email quiltkathy@aol.com. www.contracostaquiltguild.org

21 January NCQC Quarterly meeting: Meet the Teachers

Events for March 2004

March 13 to 14 East Bay Heritage Quilters Present "Voices in Cloth 2004 - Extraordinary Quilt Show" Oakland Convention Center 550 Tenth St. at Broadway, Oakland, California, Saturday 10-5, Sunday 10-4. Information : Phone: (510) 233-6771, Email:

Events for April 2004

3 to 4 April 29th Annual Monterey Peninsula Quilters Guild Quilt Show. Opens with Champagne Preview Party, 7 to 9 PM April 2 at Chautauqua Hall, 16th and Central Avenues, Pacific Grove. \$10 at the door. Show continues from, 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM, April 3-4. Admission to quilt show \$5 general/\$4 seniors/children under 12 free. Quilt Show Vendors and Guild sponsored tea room at the Masonic Lodge, Central and Congress Avenues, vendors selling quilts, antiques, fabrics, items for quilters, sewers and crafters, entrance free. Saturday, April 3, starting 5:30pm Quilt Auction at the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, entrance free.

21 April NCQC Quarterly Meeting

Events for May 2004

3 to 13 May. Jeanne Mills and Jo Anne Parkin of Scrap Basket Tours are organizing and leading a textile tour to London and Bath, England. Our aim is to promote your love of textiles and excite and encourage your quilt making as you travel with a small group of like-minded quilters. Contact: Jeanne, P.O. Box 51143, Pacific Grove, CA 93950, jmills@redshift.com www.go-fast.org/tours4quilters

May 9 thru 13 QUILTERS' ESCAPE 2004 An annual quilting seminar/retreat on the California North Coast in the redwoods overlooking the Eel River. 2004 national instructors are: Jane Sassaman, Judy Severson, Dixie McBride, Cynthia England and Janet Jones Worley. Please send SASE to QUILTERS' ESCAPE, 3414 K Street, Eureka, CA 95503 ph 707 442-0081 or visit www.quiltersescape.com for detailed information

Events for July 2004

21 July NCQC Quarterly meeting.

Events for October 2004

14 to 17 October Pacific International Quilt Festival, Santa Clara Convention Center, Great America Parkway, Santa Clara. www.quiltfest.com.

To have an event included in the NCQC Calendar, members of NCQC should contact : Ann Anastasio, 2382 Sheffield Dr., Livermore, CA 94550 OR aanastasio@comcast.net by the fifteenth of the month prior to a quarterly meeting (3/15 for April, 6/15 for July,

9/15 for October) except for the January meeting, which needs to be received before 12/1. *Please include all details of your event, dates, full name of event and sponsor, times, exact location, and name and phone/email of contact.*

- **New Quilts of Northern California Entry Form**

The NCQC invites you to submit your quilt to the New Quilts of Northern California exhibit, part of the Pacific International Quilt Festival, which will be held at the Santa Clara Convention Center from October 9-12, 2003. *Your quilt may also be entered in the PIQF contest but you need to fill out an entry form* which can be obtained from: David and Peter Mancuso, P.O. Box 667, New Hope, PA 18938.

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NAME_____

ADDRESS_____

PHONE_____

TITLE OF
QUILT_____

ORIGINAL DESIGN_____ TRADITIONAL_____ MADE

IN A CLASS_____ SIZE _____ W X

_____H DESIGN

SOURCE_____