



September 2019

This Month's Guild Meeting

Sunday, September 8th – 11am to 12pm at Quilt in a Day, followed by an open sew-in from 12pm to 4pm.

Member of the Month

Colleen Molen will be our featured member of the month. She will be sharing some of her quilting journey during the September meeting.

Pincushion Swap

We will be having a pincushion swap after this month's **September meeting**. Make any size or shape that you want; we just ask that they are brought to the meeting in a brown paper bag for our blind swap.

Elections

We started the election process for the 2020 board at last month's meeting with initial nominations. We will also be running one more round of nominations at the September with elections being held at the October meeting. All current board members are eligible for one more year in their positions, but all positions are available for nominations.

Guild Registration and Dues

2019 dues and registration are due. If you have not registered (all new and renewing members must complete the form) for this year, please sign up [here](#). Dues are \$25 for the remainder of the year (July-December) and payment information is provided at the end of the registration form.

Sew Ins

Central County Sew In – UTC Area

The next sew in at the [North University Library](#) will take place on **Saturday, September 21st** from 9:30am – 1:30pm.

Upcoming sew in dates:

Saturday, October 19th 9:30am – 1:30pm

Saturday, November 16th 9:30am – 1:30pm

Quilt in a Day Bonus Sew In (4th Sundays)

Sunday, September 22nd 11:00am – 4:00pm

Sunday, October 27th 11:00am – 4:00pm

Sunday, November 24th 11:00am – 4:00pm

East County Sew In – Lemon Grove

Sew ins take place at the [Lemon Grove Library](#)

Saturday, September 7th 1:00pm-5:00pm

Saturday, October 5th 1:00pm – 5:00pm

Saturday, November 2nd 1:00pm – 5:00pm

Mission Bay Sewing Machines Plus

We have secured a monthly spot to sew at the Sewing Machines Plus location in [Mission Bay](#). This sew in will cost \$5 per person and will take place in the evenings.

Thursday, September 19th 5:00pm-8:00pm

Tuesday, October 15th 3:00pm-7:30pm

Upcoming Events

Jen Carlton-Bailly Workshops

Jen Carlton-Bailly will be coming to teach two workshops in September.

She will be teaching a full day class, Caution! Curves Ahead on **Saturday, September 14th** from 9:30am – 3:30pm at Quilt in a Day. The cost of the class will be \$100 and includes lunch. Spaces for this class are full, but we do have a waitlist open for this class. For more information or to sign up for this class, check out the blog: [Caution! Curves Ahead Class](#)

Jen will also be teaching a half day hand sewing class, Curvlets on **Sunday, September 15th** from 11:00am – 3:00pm at Quilt in a Day. The cost of the class will be \$50 and does not include lunch. Spaces are still available for this

class. For more information or to sign up for this class, check out the blog: [Curvlets Hand Piecing](#)

Bag/Zipper Workshop

Member Alison Gurganus will be teaching a workshop all about bag making where participants will learn about different types of interfacing, how to install a zipper, work with vinyl, and use piping. This class will take place on **Saturday, September 21st** from 9:00am – 2:00pm at Quilt in a Day. The cost of this class will be \$25 and does not include lunch.

For more information or to sign up for this workshop, check out the blog: [Bag Workshop](#)

Holiday Party

Our annual holiday party for current guild members is coming up in just a few short months! We will be holding this year's party at the [Alta Vista Botanical Gardens](#) in Vista on Sunday, December 8th. We will be having a potluck meal for this event and more information will be forthcoming.

Holiday Mini Quilt Swap

We will be having our annual mini quilt swap at the holiday party in December. Sign ups for the swap will take place on our blog and will be live on Sunday, September 8th. Sign ups will be open for one week and then partners will be assigned after that. More information about the swap will be available on the blog.

UFO/Orphan Block Swap

We will be having an orphan block and UFO swap after the **October** guild meeting. For this swap, the idea is that you take an object from the table with the intention of making something with that item. You do not need to bring something to the swap in order to take something home with you.

Scrap Swap

We will be holding our scrap swap after the **November** guild meeting. Bring all of your fabric scraps of any shape or size!

Quilt Con Entries

Entries for the Quilt Con show are open now thru December 2nd. For more information about entering or to enter your quilts, check out the site here: [Quilt Con Entries](#)

We will be having a talk during the **October**

meeting led by member Colleen Molen, who has assisted during the judging process in the past. She will be giving some tips about entering your quilts into the show.

Charity Corner

Current Charity Drive

Chemo Lounge (September-December)

We support the Riverside Chemo Lounge by providing quilts for patients to use during their treatment at the center. Patients are able to keep the quilt that they choose.

Our focus for this trimester is on lap/throw sized quilts – approximately 50" x 60" - 60" square.

Chemo Lounge Block Kits

Block kits for our group quilts will be available at the September meeting. Each kit will make 2 slab blocks in either a red or blue color scheme. Blocks will be due back at the November meeting.



Quilt Con Charity Quilt

The upcoming theme and color scheme has been announced – Text with a white, black, and grey color palette. More information about this year's challenge can be found here: [Charity Challenge](#)

The idea for our quilt comes from the fact that San Diego is a border city and known for welcoming refugees, so our quilt will be made up of the word "welcome" in the various languages of the city/county. Blocks are due back at the October meeting.

Questions? Email Kristyn at sdmqgcharity@gmail.com

Next Meeting

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