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## President's Message—Betty Fessler

Oh my gosh, another win for Kerry Hansing! Sandy Klop was a delight as a speaker with many quilts to show from her years as a fabric and quilt designer. Her colors were saturated and beautiful and everybody enjoyed her lecture. I received word that her workshop was well-enjoyed by everyone and that a great time was had by all—wish I could have attended. Her patterns were many and I have to say I spent more than I should have, but I couldn't help myself.

Don't forget that the may program is our birthday party along with a joint TOM session for new and interested quilts on the easy way to do many things; several of our more proficient quilters will be hosting these tips. See the Programs Section for more information.

Be sure to read the Round Robin, Challenge and Mystery Quilt sections as well.

...Betty Fessler



**Special Addition to Birthday Celebration from Kerry Hansing !** Bring your Tea Cup & Saucer for tea, cake will be served too ! Also bring a Birthday Wrapped quilting notion. Every quilter has a duplicate quilting tool sitting in their quilt space, now is your chance to wrap it up and share with someone. No gag gifts !

## Sew & Tell Info

### Newsletter Deadline:

**Due by 18th of the month.**

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## Website Info

We're on the Web:

[www.LLQG.org](http://www.LLQG.org)

Christy Bengston, Web Editor

Newsletter now online.

## TIP-of-the-Month—9:15 am Demo—

Monthly demo on various topics to assist all members learn new or improve skills. We will meet in the "kitchen corner" at 9:15 !

We hope to do this each month, please suggest topics to Jane Alameda. Some ideas are: bindings (calculations, turning corners, etc.), flying geese made easy, blocking your quilts, prairie point, Dresden plate the easy way and many more.

## May Birthdays

Fran Wilson 5/2

Sandra Johnsen 5/11

Jeanne Netherwood 5/14

Carol Corwin Weiss 5/23

Kerry Hansing 5/26



## Sew & Tell News



### Membership: Kitty Jones & Valerie Vinzant

A BIG WELCOME to Jane Lunas and Jeanie Larsen. Jane is a prior member returning after a couple years of break. A lot of you recognize Jeanie as well. The April Membership Roster includes their contact information. We look forward to seeing the ladies at upcoming meetings. Valerie & Kitty

### Secret Pals Jean Elsa

Don't forget to pick up /exchange your surprises !



### Round Robin Kitty Jones

Hi Ladies;

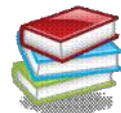
I hope you're busy working on your starting block for your round robin. You will need to have it ready to go and pinned onto your fabric grid for the May meeting. Be sure to include in your bag any items (fabric, patterns, etc.) that can be used to create the additional blocks. We'll meeting at 9:30 in the lunch room on May 13th. See you then!

Kitty

P.S. DO call me if you have any questions 707-277-7261



### Library Ginny Leber & Suzanne Lee



Are you wishing to try a new technique or have an idea for a quilt? Maybe you have a pile of scraps and you want something to do with them. Come look at the books in our library. There will be one or two that will help you move forward with your project. If you have checked out a book for more than two months, it is time to return it, there is someone else who would benefit in using it. We will have a book sale at the June meeting. Books from Julie Nodine will be in this sale. If you have books to donate to the sale bring them to the May or June meeting.

## Programs—Kerry Hansing

### May Program—Celebrating our Guild Birthday

We will enjoy an expanded “Tip of the Month” demo programs spear headed by Jane Alameda, Martha DeLeon, Judy Oliver and Marj Sweeney. The main focus will be on “~~What to do with that Quilt Top:~~” (i.e., squaring up, how to make/apply binding), with an added bonus of “how to do your own quilting using your home machine”. All are welcome to have chats with those ladies you haven’t seen for awhile !

### June Program—Marcia Stein

We have Marcia Stein lecturing on “IT HELPS TO HAVE A CAMERA: Finding photographic subjects and using them in quilts”. Marcia is a San Francisco textile artist who makes pictorial quilts and whose award-winning work has been shown in a number of juried exhibitions at galleries, museums, and quilt shows.



**Sunday’s Class** is \$45 and is titled “Picture This”. The class is an opportunity for you to use one of your photos to create a quilt. Maria will help you simplify your enlarged photo by tracing the design. If you have taken a class previously with Marcia and not completed it, you may bring your UFO to work on.

### Block of the Month Debbie Vivrette

Winner of the April blocks “Goofy Bunny” was Barbara Haddon. May’s Block is called “Wild Spring Poppies”.



Instructions/handouts are available at our meetings or please visit the website [LLQG.org](http://LLQG.org) if you need the information.

### Hospitality—Robin Moritz & Gail Coyle

If your last name begins with A -J you are asked to bring the snacks for our Birthday Celebration, many ladies have signed the list.



### Treasure Chest

Linda Wankel & Kerry Lopez



A special shout-out to the ladies of the lake who make and donate items for our monthly Treasure Chest raffle. A heartfelt shout-out to the ladies who purchase raffle tickets and/or donate money each month knowing they don’t need more fabric at all !! We really do appreciate you all so much !! In May, we plan to celebrate birthdays with you—lots of surprises and extra goodies.

Thanks again for all that you do and share. Kerry & Linda

## 2017 Quilt Show

**Linda Morrison, Chairperson**

Can you believe—only 5 months until our show ! Our committee chair persons are preparing to have another terrific show.

I'm hoping each of you can complete two quilts for entry into the show, any size is fine !

Mark your calendars for our Quilt Show Meetings: May 15th, June 19th, July 17th, August 21st and September 18th. You're welcome to join us and see how we put it all together !

Please see **Carolyn Dexter** to participate in the Country Store, she has price tags and inventory sheets.



## Challenge—Terry Phelps

2017 Guild Challenge—Are you ready for some extra fun?

## Mystery Quilt - Shirley Liskey

**CLUE #2** Betty Fessler emailed everyone a document that had the corrections for Clue #2. Please be sure and double check to be sure you proceed correctly



### CLUE #3

Shirley recommends a triangle to square ruler, Kerrie's Quilt Shop will carry this for us, please call her to let her know you want to purchase one. You will be making 128 sq. triangles for this clue.

## LakeWorks—Barbara Haddon

**WANTED**— Quilter needed to quilt the Lakeworks string quilt. Top and back finished, batting available.

Please contact Barbara Haddon [brhaddon@gmail.com](mailto:brhaddon@gmail.com) or 415-209-3044 and I'll get it to you.

Thank you !

## Community Service - Judy Oliver

707-239-2206. Judy Oliver  
Thank you everyone for your continued contributions !



# MEETING MINUTES

Ladies of the Lake Quilt Guild Meeting Minutes, April 8, 2017

General Meeting

Called to order at 10:00 a.m. by President Betty Fessler.

Cell phone reminder by President Betty to avoid disruptions.

**Membership:** .There were two guests: Chancy Fessler and Kerrie Hershey. We have new members: Jeannie Larsen, Jane Lunas

Total attendance:

**Treasurer's Report:** Sandra Redshaw reported last month's activity: Income \$1867.00 and Expenses of \$2,800.40.

## Announcements:

1. Linda Morrison's Mother Marian (frequent guest at guild meetings) passed away
2. Special QuiltCon 2017 exhibit at San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles 4/24-7/16
3. Connie Cracraft is finally settled in her new house in HVL
4. John & Shirley Liskey have made a \$100 donation to the guild, that his company has matched for \$200 total ... thanks!!!
5. Terry Phelps informed us of a job opening at Bird Brain Designs
6. Sue Schedler indicated that we did NOT get enough signups for a scissor sharpener at the meeting. Please be aware that scissors can be sharpened at Kerrie's Quilt Shop.
7. Jane Alameda held the first TOM (Tip of the Month) demo prior to the meeting. There will be more to follow, at 9:15 am, prior to subsequent meetings. Topic in newsletters.
8. Reba Chavez told of an event at the Willits Art Center requesting quilts; quilts must be "for sale" quilts.

## Chairman Reports:

1. BOM, Debbie Vivrette announced Barbara Haddon as April block winner. See details in newsletter for May Poppy Block
2. Terry Phelps reminded members of the Challenge, due at the August meeting. Two sizes (small/large), with a holiday theme of some sort
3. Community Service: Judy Oliver thanked members for baby quilt donations
4. Mystery Quilt: Shirley Liskey said "step 2" is available .. Contact her

5. Quilt Show: Marj Sweeney said bookmarks will be available in May
6. Round Robin: Kitty Jones: Today is final day to register. Project begins at May meeting
7. Ways & Means: Barbara Haddon showed the strip quilt, and thanked participants. Idea for next one: crazy quilt !

**Program::** Sandy Klop presented an amazing and inspiring quilt exhibit, prior to her class on Sunday on “Feathered Star” design.

**Future programs:**

**May:** Guild Birthday Party will feature a “Demo Bonanza”

**June:** Marcia Stein (lecture & workshop on Sunday) photos into Art Quilts (see newsletter for details)

BIRTHDAYS for this month were Shirley Liskey, Peggy Perry, Beverly Mohr, Valerie Vinzant, Christy Bengston, Nanette Ettinger & Kitty Jones

BREAK:

SHOW-n-TELL: Kitty Jones, Gail Coyle, Rachael Heher, Marj Sweeney, Deborah Miller, Susanee Hoyt, Jane Lucas, Sandra Redsha, Lynda Jenson, Phyllis Tapia

Block-of-the-Month winner: Barbara Haddon

Membership winner: Marion Onstad

Treasure Chest: Drawing Winners were, Barbara Haddon (2), Betty Fessler (2), Janet Castagnetti, Terry Phelps & Jane Lucas

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:10 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Jane Alameda, Secretary

## BOARD MEETING

Ladies of the Lake Quilt Guild

BOARD Meeting: April 8, 2017

Called to order by President Betty Fessler at 12:41 pm

Present: Betty Fessler, Kerry Hansing, Jane Alameda, Sandra Redshaw, Bev Mohr, Valerie Vinzant

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Betty discussed the special exhibit of quilts from QuiltCon 2017 display at San Jose Museum of Quilts & Textiles from 4/24–7/16/2017.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Getting a “scissor-sharpener man for an upcoming meeting did not have enough ladies sign up. Kerrie’s Quilt Shop does offer this service.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Treasurer will check with Christy Bengston to see if the website fee has been paid or not.

Marj Sweeney suggested using some of the Op Quilt budget to rent a room in Santa Clara to house members who will work the hours required to have our Op Quilt displayed. After discussion, the board Voted against doing this.

Betty briefly discussed an email forwarded from Connie sent by Flipcause, a company that specializes in computerization of non-profit organizations. In reading their features we decided that this was not for us.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Jane Alameda, Secretary

## FOR SALE

**Peggy Schroeder** has the following for sale. You can reach her at 707-279-1365 or

Email her at buckpeg123@gmail.com

1. One, 1957 Featherweight sewing machine, with case. It is in good condition.
2. One, Babylock six needle embroidery machine, has hat hoop (never been used) and lots of extras. Has only 129 hours of use. GREAT condition.
3. One, Brother ten needle, Entrepreneur Pro, PR1000e, embroidery machine, hat hoops as well as two each of most of the hoops. Loads of extra stuff. It has only 11 (Yes eleven) hours of use on it. Everything is basically new on it.

**Pat Dandy** has a FREE large table for an Artista 170 machine. Call 707-277-7336

## 2017 Officers and Chairwomen

Executive Board		
President	Betty Fessler	279-5009
Vice President	Kerry Hansing	925-698-5157
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Member-at-Large	Bev Mohr	263-1492
Member-at-Large	Dottie Kauffman	462-7036
Parliamentarian	Shirley Viada	459-9646

### Upcoming Events in Northern California

See a list of upcoming shows at  
[quiltinghub.com/Find/Events/Quilt-Shows/In/California](http://quiltinghub.com/Find/Events/Quilt-Shows/In/California)

**May 6th & 7th—Ukiah Grapevine Quilter's Quilt Show**  
 Redwood Empire Fairgrounds, Ukiah

**May 6th & 7th - Pine Tree Quilt Guild Show**  
 At the Nevada County Fairgrounds  
 Grass Valley, CA  
[www.pinetreequiltguild.com](http://www.pinetreequiltguild.com)

**May 18, 19 & 20 Sonoma County Craft, Quilt, Sew**  
 Grace Pavilion 1300 Bennett Valley Rd., Santa Rose

### Ladies of the Lake calendar at a glance 2017

- May 13 Guild general meeting  
 LLQG Birthday Celebration:  
 Expanded "Tip of the Month" Demo's
- June 10 Guild general meeting  
 Program: Marcia Stein  
 Class: Cost is \$45, Photo's in Art Quilts

## Committee Chairs

Affiliate	Terry Phelps	707-274-1855
Block of the Month	Debbi Vivrette	707-339-0525
Community Service	Judy Oliver	707-239-2206
Challenge	Terry Phelps	707-274-1855
Free Bees	Suzanne Hoyt Rachel Heher	707-994-4890 707-995-6050
Historian	Pam Ayle	562-533-1588
Hospitality	Robin Moritz Gail Coyle	530-250-7765 707-245-0547
Library	Ginny Leber	707-279-2757
Membership	Valerie Vinzant Kitty Jones	707-483-6996 707-277-7261
Mystery Quilt	Shirley Liskey	707-277-0973
Newsletter	Sue Schedler	707-900-8265
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Opportunity Quilt Promo		707-
Post Mistress	Sandy Redshaw	707-701-6074
Programs	Kerry Hansing	925-698-5157
Property & Equipment	Bev Mohr	707-263-1492
Publicity	Nanette Ettinger	408-442-0353
Quilt Show 2016	Linda Morrison	707-263-4504
Round Robin	Kitty Jones	707-277-7261
Secret Pals	Jean Elsa	707-263-1301
Set Up, meetings		707-
Sharing & Caring	Carol Hill	707-489-6055
Show & Tell	Lynda Jones	707-998-3263
Skills Day	Mary Ann Riley	707-500-5023
Treasure Chest	Kerry Lopez Linda Wankel	707-262-1994 707-263-3156
Ways & Means	Barbara Haddon	415-204-3044
Web Editor	Christy Bengston	707-367-4081



**Thank you to our Affiliates! - Terry Phelps**

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<p><b>Broadway Quilts</b>                  20525 Broadway. Sonoma CA. 95476                  707-938-7312                  BroadwayQuilts.com                  Gery@BroadwayQuilts.com                  Gery Rosemurgy, owner</p>	<p><b>Meissener Sewing Center</b>                  1250 Mendocino Ave                  Santa Rosa, Ca 95401                  707-575-5253                  www.meissnersewing.com</p>
<p><b>Sew Little Time Quilting</b>                  337 Point San Pedro Road. San Rafael CA. 94901                  415-686-6067                  SewLittleTimeQuilting.com                  colleen@SewLittleTimeQuilting.com                  Colleen Granger, owner</p>	<p><b>Cindi Jo's Quilting</b>                  14023 Point Cabrillo Drive                  Mendocino, CA 95460                  704-357-4774                  queenbee@mcn.org</p>

**January 14 Meeting**

**Don't Forget . . . .**

**Name badge**

**Secret Pal gifts**

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up-to-the minute changes.**

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