



Stitch 'n Times

Santa Rosa Quilt Guild

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President's Message

I just came across the cutest children's book called "*The Day the Crayons Quit*" and it got me to thinking about how it applies to quilting. The story is composed of letters written by each of the crayons in the box to a little boy named Duncan. They all had a complaint to make. The blue crayon thanked Duncan for making him his favorite crayon, but he told Duncan he was getting tired of being used all the time and was now merely a stub of a crayon. The beige crayon was tired of always being used for hay and wheat, and really... how exciting was that? The red was used for all the holidays and fire trucks and all sorts of things and wanted a break. On and on each crayon went about how Duncan never used them for anything else than what they had always been used for.



So this got me to thinking about myself and how I tend to use the same colors for the same things over and over. I think all of us have a comfort zone that we fall back on. But once in a while it is nice to step out of our comfort zone and "color outside the lines." One way to do this is to make our community quilts in colors that we typically never use. Another way is to use colors we know a gift recipient will like but which we are not entirely comfortable with.

With many holidays just around the corner, think about how you can "color outside the lines" either by using different colors or different techniques. I just made a pink and turquoise quilt and anyone who knows me, knows that this is definitely "coloring outside the lines" for me, but it was fun using colors I seldom use.

As the days get shorter and the "to do" list gets longer, I want to take the time to wish each and every one of you a very Happy Thanksgiving and a wonderful holiday season. We have much to be thankful for.....one of the many things is that we have so many friends through our Santa Rosa Quilt Guild.

Vicki David

Programs and Workshops 2014

Thank You!

A thank you from your 2014 Program Co-Chairs!

We want to THANK everyone for the support we received this year as Program Co-Chairs. Every class was sold out! We enjoyed working with you, and our instructors love seeing your finished "Show & Tell" quilts on the Guild's website.

We're passing the baton to Rhonda Denny, our 2015 Program Chair.

Go Rhonda!



Genelle Voorhees
& Joanie Bellinghausen

Upcoming Programs

Gari, Rhonda and Phyllis have put together a varied and interesting schedule of speakers and workshops for 2015. It is important that you sign up early for workshops, so that we will know whether there is sufficient interest; workshops that do not generate sufficient interest need to be cancelled 5 weeks in advance. Please put a check in the envelope when you sign up, or mail it to the Program Chair, Rhonda Denny.

Since January only has one meeting, and it has a very full agenda, the first speaker will be on February 19th. Merrill-Lee West will present a trunk show of her work. She came into quilting after 30 years in the fashion field and currently resides in the Sacramento area. Check out her website, www.Merrill-Lee-Designs.com and learn more about Merrill-Lee and her work.

Her workshop on February 20th will be a Bargello Heart. Bargello is a very simple technique involving strip sets: cut strips of fabric, sew them together into strip sets, slice the strip sets and recombine these slices to make a pattern. The heart looks complicated but is made in four sections (two of which are mirror images of the other two). This workshop is suitable for all levels of quilters.



In March, we will have Pamela Day, a fiber artist inspired by sumptuous colors and luscious fibers, who is coming to us from Somerset, CA. Her trunk show of handbags is studded with tips and tricks. Her website, www.Poozles.com provides more information and illustrations of her work.

Her workshop on March 20th features her New Yorker bag, with four sizes and styles. It has all the benefits of a structured handbag and is great for embellishing.

By the time this newsletter is published, the one-page Guild calendar should be available online, so you may preview the list of 2015 speakers and workshops.

Rhonda Denny will be Chair of the 2015 Program and Workshop Committee.



Rhonda Denny
& Phyllis Gallaway

Block of the Month

With only one meeting in December, and the next meeting on January 18, this will be the last Block of the Month for 2014.

As we wind up our exploration of paper piecing, "Winter House" may remind those of us who are Eastern transplants of snowy days and warm hearths.

Like the last two Blocks of the Month, "Winter House" is based on a design by Jennifer Ofenstein of sewhooked.com, but with an SRQG twist. Choose whatever fabrics you like for the house, fun or traditional. This block would really lend itself well to some embellishment if you choose.

The block is due December 4th.

We've had a lot of fun with "Good Foundations" this year, and hope you have followed along and gained a feeling of competence with paper piecing.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

Block of the Month



November Winter House



Jim Jensen & Marlene Sullivan

Library News

So many clichés ~ “another year has come to an end,” “time passed so quickly, we must be having fun,” “it takes a village” ~ and they all apply to this report.

Most importantly: the fantastic success of our SRQG Library happens because of the many hard-working members who appear magically to assist with checking in books, filing, organizing, delivering items, setting up and taking down the Silent Auction Tables, and so much more. Not many are aware that helpers appear before I have unlocked the doors around 9:00 a.m., and many stay to help me lock up at 3:00 p.m. Many start out volunteering in the library area as it is a great way to meet people, and we welcome all the help we can get, even for five minutes.

The generosity of members is so appreciated. Our Silent Auction Tables continue to fund the library piggy bank. The library has not had to take a penny from the guild’s budget in over twenty years! We now boast about having over 3,000 items in our library. Whether you haul in items to donate to the tables, or bid on treasures to take home – thank you!

The following is a list of the books that came into our possession since our last newsletter. For images of the covers and more detailed descriptions of the items, just click on LIBRARY on our website www.santarosaquiltquild.org. Linda Hooper has written easy-to-understand directions about how to utilize the library site. To locate her instructions, click on the underlined “here” in the second paragraph at the top of the library page. Let me know if you would like guidance with the site and we’ll sit down at the Library’s laptop computer after a meeting. *A hint: if you are looking for an author, remember to type in the last name first, and if you are searching for a book title, type in the first “important” word leaving the a, an, and the’s ‘til the end.*

CREATIVE IMAGE TRANSFER (Using Transfer Artist Paper “TAP”) by Lesley Riley (requested by Judy Dieter)

ART TECHNIQUES FOR QUILT DESIGN with Carrie Bloomston – a DVD (requested by Judy Dieter)

THE BECOLOURFUL QUILT COLLECTION by Jacqueline de Jonge

Library News continued

MAKING WELSH QUILTS by Mary Jenkins and Clare Claridge (requested by Jim Jensen)

100 ANY-SIZE CHRISTMAS BLOCKS by Rita Weiss and Linda Causee

50 ANY-SIZE TRAVEL BLOCKS by Rita Weiss and Linda Causee

100 ANY-SIZE FLOWER BLOCKS by Rita Weiss and Linda Causee

PIECED DRAWING by Patti R. Anderson

HANDFULS OF SCRAPS by Edyta Sitar

PLAYFUL PATCHWORK PROJECTS by Kari Pearson (a Donation)

KIDS QUILT TOGETHER – THE ABCs OF GROUP QUILTS by Kathy Emmel (a Donation)

FUSING FABRIC – CREATIVE CUTTING, BONDING AND MARK-MAKING WITH THE SOLDERING IRON by Margaret Beal (a Donation)

BIG ‘N EASY – SUPERSIZED QUILTS FOR QUEEN BEDS by Judy Hopkins (a Donation)

PAPER, METAL & STITCH by Maggie Grey and Jane Wild (a Donation)

POLKA-DOT KIDS’ QUILTS by Jean Van Bockel (a Donation)

THE SURFACE DESIGNER’S HANDBOOK – DYEING, PRINTING, PAINTING, AND CREATING RESISTS ON FABRICS by Holly Brackman (a Donation)

TAKE 5 – QUILTS FROM JUST 5 FABRICS by Kathy Brown (a Donation)

Be sure to let me know if you find an item that our library needs!

And don’t forget that we have magazine subscriptions to:

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Sew-A-Row

The last rounds of Sew-a-Rows were due at the November 6th meeting. They will be raffled off to the participants at the December 4th meeting.

I am collecting starter rows and medallions for 2015. The last day to hand me a starter will be on January 15th.

For those who don't know, a "starter" is the center of a medallion or row for a sew-a-row. They can be any size. We've had large starters as well as miniature starters (which, by the way, are always a hit). Most of the starter medallions are the size of a large quilt block and most rows are 4 or 5 blocks put together. Questions? Just see me.

Thank you everyone for participating!

 Debby Bainbridge

Library News continued

Plus many past issues of:
QUILT LIFE (Alex Anderson and Ricky Tims) Discontinued with the October 2014 issue -DARN!
MINIATURE QUILTS
JAPANESE magazines
QUILTMANIA (European)

Wearing your nametag is a huge help to everyone. This is an excellent way for us to get to know each other.

Check out as many of our more than 3,000 books, DVDs, and CDs, plus magazines, as you wish ~ just remember to return them to the very next meeting, pretty please, as there are so many members in the guild who also wish to use the items.

Our library needs many, many volunteers. You do not need to formally sign-up to help – we'll take whatever time you can spare before or after any meeting. If you do not like the job you are given, don't be shy – let us know what you would rather do. I can never thank everyone enough for their assistance and support with making our library the best in the entire world!

Happy Holidays to All!



Sharon
'The Librarian'
Fry

Friendship Blocks

We had a very productive year with Friendship Blocks – many requests made and many blocks completed! Quite a few members have sufficient FB credits to request to have blocks made – please, think about making a request. I would love to start the new year with several requests, and I know that members are anxious to make blocks and accrue their own credits. I am hoping that we start with 2 or 3 requests for blocks from Community Quilts, as we have in the past.

Program description: you get credits when you work on the Guild opportunity quilt and when you make a friendship block for someone else. When you have at least 3 credits, you may request to have up to 20 blocks made for you, specifying theme, pattern, colors, fabric, etc. If you receive more blocks than you have credits, it is like a loan, and you must "pay back" those additional blocks by making blocks for others until you have the number of credits equal to the number of blocks you receive.

Thank you to all who have participated this year.

 Phyllis Gallaway

Technique Sharing Workshops

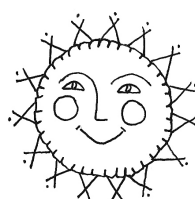
A very large "Thank You" to all those who shared a technique with us this year! Judging from the attendance at each of the TSWs, you are very much appreciated. Next year, Diana Roberts and Janice Rodgers will be coordinating TSWs – please contact them with suggestions.

Program description: After most meetings, Guild members conduct a brief demonstration or a hands-on session illustrating a technique with which they are familiar.

On January 15, Diana Roberts will demonstrate using wool in your appliqué.

 Phyllis Gallaway & Gari Jones

Sunshine



Knowing that someone cares can really make a person's day brighter. Please contact me by phone or email if you know someone who could use a card from the SRQG.

Happy Sewing,
Jan Westerman (Ms. Sunshine)
www.srqg.org

Cloverdale Citrus Fair

It may be early, but when the holidays are over, you may be looking for an excuse to get back to sewing.

It's time to start thinking about entering quilts into the Cloverdale Citrus Fair. The dates for the fair are February 13 – 16, 2015.

Exhibitors' books are still being written. The deadline for Arts and



Citrus Fair continued →

Citrus Fair continued

Crafts entry forms is January 23rd at 5 pm. You can find the entry forms online at:
www.cloverdalecitrusfair.org.

Last year, the quilts were displayed nicely in a separate room and were easy to see. Again, this year Santa Rosa Quilt Guild will be awarding the "Best Hand Quilted" quilt with a ribbon and \$25.00. We also give a ribbon and \$10.00 for a "Special Quilt" in the youth division, but there have not been any quilts that qualify in the past few years. Maybe you know a young quilter who could take home our prize?

An email will be sent when the Exhibitors' Books are ready to download.

 Pam McVey

Fran Threewit - Our Knitting Giants Fan!

Santa Rosa Quilt Guild has more than its share of San Francisco Giants fans. The most ardent fan could well be Fran Threewit. A native of San Francisco, Fran's mother had a lifelong passion for the Giants; Fran recalls her taking a city bus to the "fan bus" which would take them on to the stadium.

It took Fran awhile to catch up to her mother's dedication, but for the past ten years Fran has been a steadfast fan and has even travelled to other cities just to see a Giants game.

Maureen Burns, a fellow knitter, came up with the idea of recording the team's season in a scarf, but she picked up other interests and passed the idea on to Fran.

Fran followed every Giants game for the 2014 season including not just wins and losses, but also travel time, home and away games, and special events. After each game, she sat down and knitted two rows representing the team's daily activity. Each event is represented by a different color yarn: orange = games won at home; grey = games won away; black = games lost at home or away; white = travel day; gold = a special event during the game, e.g. grand slams, no-no's, etc. The scarf begins with gray as they started the season out of town and ends with the Wild Card game and all that followed. Fran has worked shiny gold yarn into rows that represent the World Series. When she completes the scarf, she plans to stitch in something like "2014 World Champions."

Friends and family have urged Fran to approach the Giants home office to offer the scarf for display or marketing. Who knows, a wise promoter might even replace the rally towels with a "Champion Scarf!"



Go Giants! Go Fran!

 Jim Jensen

Needle and Thread

Jim Jensen

Jan Andrews

Hospitality, two times Past President, Newsletter Guru since 2005, keeper of the Membership Roster, Recording Secretary for the past three years ... it's no wonder Jan Andrews was awarded an Honorary Life Membership as soon as she fulfilled the requisite 5 year waiting period because she has voluntarily offered her skills to SRQG since the first day she walked through the door.

Jan's older sister sewed a lot when they were kids. She loved to play with scraps of fabric and learned to sew at age 11. When she was 20 she made her first quilt of 6" squares; it lived on her waterbed



for many years. Within a year, she tied her first baby quilt using a Peanuts panel for her sister-in-law. She considers her first "real" quilt to be a Dresden Plate, all hand appliquéd and quilted.

Jan is fascinated with all aspects of quilting. After 40+ years, she is delighted that she finds quilting just as exciting as ever for her. Quoting Mary Poppins, Jan says quilting is "practically perfect in every way." She finds inspiration through the incredible amount of information available on the internet. Closer to home, she deeply appreciates the talents displayed at our Show and Tell. Jan says she is inspired by Mitzi Dowling's appliqué ("better than the pros"), Lori Platt's sense of color and pattern, Linda Hooper's border designs and Vicki David's appliqué. Jan used to be a die-hard needle turn appliquér, but she was convinced by Vicki David and Phyllis Gallaway that using freezer paper and starch is much easier on small projects.

Not a big fan of batiks, Jan's fabric preference goes toward '30's and Civil War reproductions. At the opposite end of the spectrum, she also likes the modern brights paired with gray.

Needle and Thread Continued

Jan is grateful to be involved as a member of a guild where most people are willing to jump in and do something when they are asked. She cherishes the friendships she has made in the past 10 years. Although she terms out this year as recording secretary, she looks forward to continuing to help out Jan Westerman and Rhonda Denny as part of the membership team.

Jan is currently working on a wedding quilt, three baby quilts and a 50th anniversary quilt for her sister. She does her own quilting on her Sweet 16. When the subject of UFO's comes up, she just laughs. If you know Jan at all, you know she is obsessed with Halloween, so no surprise that she has many Halloween projects in various stages of undone. New dogs in the family make it very difficult for Jan to get much hand work finished since her lap is always otherwise occupied.

Back in 1975, Jan was commissioned to make a quilt that honored twenty Colorado Children's Book Award nominees. She copied the covers of the books and transferred them into appliqué. As far as she knows, the quilt still hangs in the children's section of the Fort Collins, CO, library.

And, as a special treasure, Jan owns a copy of "The Lorax" that Doctor Seuss signed "To Jan Gibson, my favorite quilt maker."

... and she is one of our favorite quilt makers, too. How very fortunate we are to be associated with Jan Andrews ... her talents, dedication, ever-positive attitude, friendship and sense of humor make her one of our own treasures.

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Community Quilts

An enormous THANK YOU to all who contributed to the Community Quilts project this year! Because of your generous hearts and incredible talent, our guild donated quilts to over one thousand deserving babies, children, adults, and seniors. We received requests for quilts from many organizations and were able to meet all of their needs. In January, we will post the list of organizations and numbers of quilts donated.



Members kept busy all year ~ donating & washing flannel ~ donating fabric ~ making tops at home ~ completing quilts at home ~ making quilts from start to finish ~ coordinating orphan blocks ~ coordinating Community Quilts friendship blocks ~ sewing on


labels at meetings ~ making quilts with their mini-group friends ~ coming to workdays at Pam's house ~ joining us at 5th Thursday Retreats ~ participating in Quiltathons ~ helping with set up & clean up ~ overseeing work stations at Quiltathons ~ sharing expertise at 5th Thursday Retreats & Quiltathons ~ knitting baby hats. This project is successful because so many members are involved.

We are pleased that Laura Barrett received a Merit Award this year for her work with the Community Quilts project. Her participation continues to be invaluable. **Lavella Cassinelli and her mini-group** made and donated hundreds of quilts to local veterans this year. Their donations have made a positive difference in the lives of many veterans.

If you choose to make donation quilts during the holiday season, we are in need of baby quilts for the neonatal intensive care units at Sutter and Memorial Hospitals and for public health nursing. These quilts should measure 32" x 40", and we especially need more in little boy or gender-neutral fabrics. Thank you!

Mark your 2015 calendars and plan to join us on January 29th for a relaxed 5th Thursday Retreat at the Luther Burbank Art & Garden Center. The first Quiltathon of the year will be on February 5th. Look for details in the January newsletter.

It is our pleasure work with all of you on this important outreach project.

 Pam Beebe & Anne Dondero

Holiday Party!

Your Holiday Party Committee has been busy at work making plans for our December 4 meeting. Hours have been spent making decorations and plans to make this a special day. Because so much preparation has gone into the planning of this party, the committee would like to know how many people are planning on attending. You can do this by either signing up at the membership table indicating that you are planning on being there or by emailing Linda Hooper at lindahpr@sonic.net. This is not to make a reservation but rather a way for the committee to plan the appropriate number of tables and make sure everyone has a place to sit.

A Food Bank barrel will be in the hallway for any contributions you may wish to make in lieu of our previous gift exchange which will not occur this year. Requested food items are: breakfast cereal, canned meat or chicken, canned tuna, peanut butter, jams and jellies, canned soup, canned vegetables, canned fruit, pasta, macaroni and cheese, baby food, baby cereal, tomato sauce, pasta sauce, and rice.

We look forward to seeing everyone there,

Carol Jarvis, Linda Hooper, Norma, Viglienzone, Genelle Voorhees, Pam Brown, and Vicki David

COMMUNITY QUILT SIZES

If you are making donation quilts on your own, these are the approximate sizes most needed:

32" x 40" Baby Quilts	For Sutter & Memorial NICUs, Public Health nursing, & teen moms. We provide kits for making the tops, or you may use your own fabrics.
40" x 60"	For Valley of the Moon and other organizations serving children in need. Please use bright colors for young children or fabrics that will appeal to teenagers.
50" x 65"	For 18 year olds aging out of the Foster Care system.
40" x 60"	Lap quilts for adults. Given to Secret Santa, deserving seniors in local convalescent hospitals, & others.
Doll Quilts	For little girls & boys. We collect them throughout the year and donate during the holidays.

Thank you to all who are involved with this important outreach project!

Block of the Month 2015

As we shift into a new year, I will show you how to make some fun blocks that will concentrate on using something we all have a lot of ... "Scraps."

The first block, "Little Square," will be introduced at the December 4th meeting. Finished blocks are due February 5th, 2015.

Directions will be posted on the website in December.

I'm looking forward to sharing some of my favorite block designs with you, and hope you enjoy creating these scrappy blocks.



Sue Gragg



Block of the Month



January
Little Square

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Opportunity Quilt Corner

Season's greetings Guild members – there is still time to purchase your OPQ tickets to sell or keep for the exciting drawing April 2nd, 2015. Consider these as great stocking stuffers! Below is a gentle reminder of how our OPQ works and why we do it.

What is an Opportunity Quilt?

As a non-profit organization we create a beautiful quilt, made by a committee of our members each year. This quilt is then raffled off through ticket sales to our members and outside organizations.

How it benefits the Guild?

It is one of the primary sources for revenue for our guild to support our community work. We ask our membership to purchase 40 tickets a year- this is based on \$5 for 10 tickets - so an investment of \$20 annually to your guild. Rolling Rhonda sells them at the sign-in table and has a list of members who have already purchased tickets. If \$20 is stretching your budget you can take 40 tickets and sell them yourself to friends and family. Remember, we are a team and need your help.



Where can I learn more about our quilt?

Check out our Guild homepage on our web-site which has a picture of our OPQ (Opportunity Quilt) www.srqq.org

We are on target to reach our goal this year - which is to raise \$4000 by April 2, 2015. We would not meet this goal without our members support!

I don't want to be remiss in shouting out a huge thank you to our volunteers, you're the heart and soul of it all and without your help we would not succeed. A special thank you to the OPQ team, Dianne Cheli, Pat Kearns, and Glenda Ross for their unwavering support, the best anyone could ask for.

Holidays cheers to all.



Lynette Whitman

Change of Information?

**Don't forget to notify Team J-Rho
At the Membership Table!**

November - December 2014

Pointless Sisters

The Pointless Sisters continue to exhibit their work successfully. Currently the WWII Home Front Project Quilt Exhibit is at the Rosie the Riveter National Historic Park in Richmond. From November 14 to December 28, members Linda Morand and Cathy Ortelles quilts are on exhibit. To see the whole collection on line, including quilts by Ann Hines, Ellindale Wells, Jennie Alexich and Geri Beam, go to <http://www.wwiihomefrontquilts.com/gallery-winter2014-2/>

Look for our exhibits in 2015 at the Santa Rosa Golf and Country Club (January 12-April 10), Rincon Valley Library (March 3-April 25), Occidental Center for the Arts (July-August), and Sprint Copy Center (fall). Our next challenge is "An Altered Point of View" and that challenge will have its debut at the Occidental Center for the Arts exhibit.

A current project we are involved in is submitting a proposal for the FiberSpace Exhibition Program at the San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles.

An interest group of the Santa Rosa Quilt Guild, the Pointless Sisters Art Quilt Group shares their work, discusses new trends in art quilting techniques, provides education programs and sponsors group challenges. We create an encouraging, non-competitive space for members to hone their skills while exploring their own individual journey of artistic development.

Several times a year we have technique sharing demonstrations or activities after lunch. Last month Geri Beam led "Fiber Etch" and at our November 25 meeting, Cathy Ortelles will present the activity "Working with Gelli Plates."

There is no meeting in December. On January 27 we will have a potluck. We meet on the 4th Tuesday of the month at the Luther Burbank Art and Garden Center on Yulupa. We socialize from 9:30 – 10; the business meeting runs from 10-12 noon followed by a lunch break and the monthly program.



Carroll Hirsch

Welcome Our New Members!

Mary Ann Hayre

Diana Watson

Please look for these new members and
make them feel welcome!



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hours

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john@villagesewing.com
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For the Record

The minutes of our meetings can be found
archived on the blog on our website.
Please review them and report any correc-
tions to Jan Andrews or Vicki David.

No
Board Meeting
Happy Thanksgiving!

2014 Executive Board & Committees

President Vice President Treasurer Recording Secretary Program Chairs Program Chairs Elect Corresponding Secretary Parliamentarian Block of the Month* Boutique* Community Outreach* Community Quilts* Fair Liaison Field Trips Finance Friendship Blocks *	2014 ELECTED BOARD Vicki David Jim Jensen Helen Smith Jan Andrews Joanie Bellinghausen & Genelle Voorhees Phyllis Galloway & Gari Jones Joy McGoran Jenine Giblin 2014 COMMITTEES Jim Jensen & Marlene Sullivan Betty Upchurch, Joni Poole & Carol Jarvis Mirna Estes Pam Beebe & Anne Dondero Pam McVey Wendy Mouille Helen Smith Phyllis Galloway	Historian* Hospitality* Library* Membership* Newsletter Editor & Circulation* Newsletter Proofreading Nominating Opportunity Quilt Tickets* Pointless Sisters Sew-A-Row* Sunshine* TSW (Tech. Sharing) * Videography Website* Past President*	Sharon Fry Carolle LeMonnier Judy Lindberg Edie Sorensen Georgiann Morrissey Sharon Fry Rhonda Denny, Jan Westerman & Jan Andrews Jan Andrews Diana Roberts Jenine Giblin Lynette Whitman Janet Shore Debby Bainbridge Jan Westerman Gari Jones Linda Hooper Jim Jensen Chris Nolen
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Remember!

- NAME TAG • SHOW AND TELL • COFFEE MUG •
- LIBRARY BOOKS • LUNCH • NO PETS • NO FRAGRANCES •
- REUSABLE PLATE & FORK • CELL PHONE ON SILENT •

SRQG 2014 - 2015 Calendar

NOVEMBER

- 20** **Program Meeting**
Alethea Ballard ~ "Trunk Show"
 TSW: Metha Schuler ~ Selvedge Bags
- 21** **Workshop**
Alethea Ballard ~ "Chair of Your Dreams"
 Luther Burbank Art & Garden Center
 2050 Yulupa, Santa Rosa
 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- 25** **Pointless Sisters**
- 27** **Happy Thanksgiving!**
No Board Meeting

DECEMBER

- 4** **Holiday Potluck!**
 Bring a dish for the luncheon buffet
 Bring canned food for
 Redwood Empire Food Bank
- 11** **Joint Board Meeting**

JANUARY

- 1** **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**
 No meeting today - enjoy your holiday!
- 15** **Business Meeting**
 Installation of Executive Board
 Sew-A-Row starter rows due.
 TSW: Diana Roberts ~ Using Wool in Applique
- 22** **Board Meeting**
- 27** **Pointless Sisters**
- 29** **Fifth Thursday Guild Retreat**
 Luther Burbank Art & Garden Center 9:00 - 3:30
 Bring your own project or work on a community
 project! **All are welcome!**

