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Sunbonnet Sue Quilt Club Newsletter - March 2019

Bertha Corbett Melcher is credited as a creator of the Sunbonnet designs. She illustrated children's Primer books in the early 1900s. Eulalie O. Grover used them in her book, "The Sunbonnet Babies" which was published in 1900. The girls had their faces hidden by their bonnets.

Club Meeting Schedule

Club is open 8:30 – 4 PM each Wednesday.

- Mar 6 9 AM Board meeting
 9-9:30 Quilter's College registration
 9:35 to 2:30 Program. **Bring a bag lunch**
- Mar 13 10:30 AM Business Meeting, Show & Tell, Announcements**
- Mar 20 10:30 AM Show & Tell then Announcements
 Sue's Sew Day @ Clubhouse
- Mar 26 10:30 AM Show & Tell and Announcements**
 Community Quilts Workday @ Clubhouse Join us to make Joy
 Quilts & see a binding demo



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Upcoming Events & Quilt Shows

UFO Reveal April 17. Last year a panel of Club members selected a UFO for submitting Sue's to finish. Members are to bring their completed (at least the top) "assigned" UFO to share. There will be prizes!

Mar 15-17 Quilter's Anonymous "Color Dance in Fabric & Thread" Quilt Show
Evergreen State Fairgrounds in Monroe, WA

<https://www.quiltersanonymous.org/index.php/Quilt-Show.html>

Apr 25-27 Everett Quilt Show "It's Raining Quilts!" Edward D Hansen Conf. Center,
2000 Hewitt Ave Everett WA

www.everettquiltshow.com

May 3 & 4 New Dates! Kitsap Quilters 33rd Annual Quilt Kitsap County
Fairgrounds, President's Hall, Bremerton <https://kitsapquilters.com/quilt-show/>



March Birthdays

3/1	Stephanie Swensson	3/12	Mary Ann Clayton
3/2	Loretta Bilow	3/12	Lois Dunn
3/3	Merrily Ripley	3/13	Ann Elliot
3/7	Sylvia Johnson	3/20	Phyllis Fankhouser
3/8	Sharon Herr	3/26	Rhonda Coler
3/8	Sandy Rudd	3/27	Lindy Feigenbutz
3/9	Gayla Heisel	3/30	Eleanor Geiger

New Member Judy Briley, Port Angeles

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EDUCATION

Education Committee Chair Anne Davies reports that classes this year will be fun and affordable.

Mar 13—Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry - Trunk show at Club



Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry is internationally recognized for her award-winning fine-art quilts, which have appeared in hundreds of national and international exhibitions, collections, and publications. Honors include 100 Best Quilts of the 20th Century, Silver Star (lifetime achievement) Award, and selection as one of the thirty most influential quiltmakers in the world. Caryl has lectured and taught in eleven countries around the world and continues to share her knowledge through her publications and her website <http://www.bryerpatch.com>

Apr 3 - Class NOTA—Exploding the Square (one day class). Waiting list available.

May 8- Amy Green, Northwest Quilt and Fiber Arts Museum —Overview of museum's current programs and upcoming shows.

Aug 7- Kathy McNeil—"Every creative act begins as a connection between the artist and their world."

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Aug 10 -Suzi Parron—Barn Quilt Painting (one-day workshop)

Sep 18-Susan Carlson —Fabric Collage Quilts Four-day workshop is full (waiting list available)

Oct 2 & 3- Joen Wolfrom—It's Color That Makes Quilts Go...WOW (lecture); A Marriage of Blocks (one-day workshop)



Tired Sue's on the bus home from Sew Expo in Pullayup Mar 1. VP's Denise Burrell and Dee Swender provided fun, snacks, and prizes. It was great to ride and not drive!

COMMUNITY QUILTS from Carol Prael

COMMUNITY QUILTS WILL FEATURE JOY QUILTS ON MARCH 27TH AND NEED YOU TO HELP!

The snow is gone, and the binding demonstrations promised for February will be the teaching moment. But wait, there's more — lots more planned for the day.

We are asking you to spend a sewing day making joy quilts. You will be able to apply what you are shown in the demonstrations as you apply binding to the Joy Quilt you make.

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Here's what to expect:

- We will display a variety of Joy quilts wrapped around their animals to give you ideas.
- We'll have information about how they are distributed and how they are used in the community.
- Learn about the best sizes and how labels are made and attached.

Lots of fun fabric and batting for you to choose from so that you can make joy quilts that day and practice your binding skills.

Books showing basic, big blocks just right for joy quilts will be hand-picked by the librarians.

Here's what to bring:

- Your compassion for children who need a touch of joy and comfort during a crisis.
- Your sewing machine and basic supplies. Don't forget your walking foot to quilt your layers and attach your binding. You might even want to try your hand at free motion with your free motion/darning foot.
- At least one cuddly stuffed animal for your joy quilts. We are short of animals!

New is nice, but gently used is fine, so scour the thrift shops and the back of your grandchildren's closets. Loretta says that the animals need to be at least 12 inches tall but no larger than 22 inches. If the animals are not new, they need a bath. They wash beautifully in the washing machine using your normal laundry soap.

This is an open schedule so you can spend the day. Lunch information will follow in an email.

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Charity Quilt Gifted to Soroptimist Club

The Soroptimist Club of Sequim received a floral quilt for their upcoming Garden Gala that will be held at the Boys & Girls Club on March 16th & 17th. Connie Van Roosendaal & Elaine Churchill accepted the quilt and told members of the club how raffle funds are used to provide scholarships for young women. The quilt was made and quilted by MaryAnn Clayton and showcased blocks of crayon colored flowers with scrappy green blocks.



Library News

Oh, what you will find!

The library is finally back in business!

Thanks for your patience! It has been a long “Spring Cleaning” but we are ready to go.

We...

...Took everything out
...Scrubbed and purged
...Discovered hidden treasures
...Added fresh items
...Returned and rearranged
...Closed the doors and, yes,
...(Just like cleaning the linen closet or fridge)
...Rejoiced!

The big difference?

- Books are now arranged by subject rather than numbers.
- Subjects are arranged by numbers placed chronologically according to the date that book was added to the collection.
- Some terms have changed but the check-out process has not. Come check it out. We hope you will enjoy.

Your librarians,
Nancy Wilcox and Vicki Naumann

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Only 5 ½ months until the Quilt Show!!!

Please remember that as new members we encourage you to enter your quilt into the quilt show. Also, this year we are only able to accommodate large quilts that are 90" x 90" or less. The reason for this is the height of our standards. If you have any questions regarding the show or how you can help during the busiest time of the year, please contact Brianne Moores @ 360.461.3406

Don't forget the Quilt Challenge for the Quilt Show!

The title of our Quilt Challenge for the 2019 Quilt Show is

"Beatles Tribute"

Join the fun and make a quilt that represents one of the over 200 songs by the Beatles. It can be done in any quilting style. The only rules are 1) no smaller than 12" on a side and 2) no larger than 24" on a side. You can make them square or rectangle as long as you stay within the size limitations. Judy Ramos, Martha Scott & Pat Payton



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New Members



We are happy to have many New Members join the Club. I want to highlight some Club traditions, how the Club works, and how you can win **prizes!**

Two things to know (and prizes!)

Meetings:

Club meets each Wednesday at the Masonic Lodge. Doors are open 8:30AM – 4PM. You can bring your sewing machine or projects and “set up shop” away from home.

The BIG monthly meeting is the 2nd Wednesday of each month which includes the Business Meeting at 10:30 AM. *Prize hint: Wear your badge to the 2nd Wednesday meeting and get a ticket to enter a drawing for door prizes.*

We have Show and Tell, then announcements at 10:30 AM at most other meetings. The last Wednesday of the month is devoted to making Community Quilts. This is a great community-focused workday. You can work on your CQ project or pick up materials for a new Community Quilt.

Website

Find the Club online at <http://www.Sunbonnetsuequiltclub.org>. Posted here are our calendar, classes, and events. Learn more about our club, our community service focus, educational opportunities, extensive library, Newsletters, and our pride and joy – The Sunbonnet Sue Quilt Show! The password for the “members only” area is SBSQC.

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Newsletter Notes:



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3. Send your submission in a plain Word document as an attachment or in the body of your mail if short.
4. I will confirm receipt of your articles.

Deadlines:

To get out Newsletter out by the first meeting of each month, the general deadline is the last Monday of each month. This allows us to create the newsletter on time.