

# *Sue's Scraps*

SUNBONNET SUE QUILT CLUB NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2019



HAPPY BIRTHDAY ::

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| 11/1  | Judy Marshall      |
| 11/4  | Nancy Rugh         |
| 11/5  | Sharon Clayton     |
| 11/5  | Carol Prael        |
| 11/7  | Helga Barton       |
| 11/7  | Irene Snodgrass    |
| 11/8  | Barbara Parse      |
| 11/10 | Kathy Pitts        |
| 11/15 | Barbara Hughes     |
| 11/15 | Nancy Pellegrino   |
| 11/19 | Carol Clevenger    |
| 11/20 | Lois Jo Matthews   |
| 11/25 | Vicki Naumann      |
| 11/27 | Sharon Witt        |
| 11/29 | Claudia Barry      |
| 11/29 | Eddie Jo Nicholson |
| 11/30 | Ann Cliburn        |
| 11/30 | Nancy Montague     |
| 11/30 | Vicky heeley       |
| 11/30 | Jan Trimble        |

## CLUB MEETING SCHEDULE CLUB OPEN WEDNESDAYS 8:30AM TO 4:00PM

Nov 6

- 9:30 AM Board Meeting  
10:30 AM Show & Tell/Announcements  
1:00 PM Art Quilt Sues at Karen's Quilt Shop

Nov 13

- 9:30 AM Liisa Fagerlund lecture  
10:30 AM Business Meeting – Show & Tell

Nov 20

- 10:30 AM Show & Tell/Announcements  
11:00 AM Sue's Sewing Time @ Club

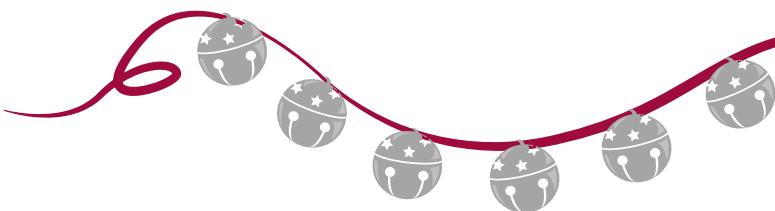
Nov 27

- 9:00 AM Community Quilts  
10:30 AM Show & Tell/Announcements

## SAVE THE DATE!

Ricky Tims is coming to Seattle!!  
Quilt Luminarium by Ricky Tims  
May 16-17th, 2020  
Embassy Suites, Lynnwood, WA

## Jingle Bells! Join us for a Merry Prairie Christmas!



The Sun Bonnet Sue Quilt Club Christmas Party is on Wednesday, December 11. The theme this year is "A Merry Prairie Christmas", (think Little House on the Prairie or Garrison Keillor of Prairie Home Companion fame). The party committee has been busy since June planning the event. This year's party will feature tables decorated by club members who agree to serve as table hostesses, and a pot luck buffet. Each table hostess is asked to keep the theme in mind when decorating.

The committee will provide white plastic tablecloths, plates, cups, napkins and utensils for each table. The Hostess will bring her theme items and decorations to the table with as much or as little as she desires in the form of centerpieces and/or tablecloths, placemats, treats, favors... as quilters, the ideas are limitless.

**The Catch** (there is always a catch): there will be a prize for the Hostess with the best "Prairie"-themed table.

For more information on being a hostess please contact Marilyn Hiestand. Sign-up sheets for party attendance, pot luck dishes and volunteering to help at the party are available at club meetings throughout November.

The Old Time Fiddlers will perform for us and the 2019 Quilter of the Year will be announced. Donations this year will be collected for the following charities: Foster Kids, Food Bank, and Toys for Tots. Cash, non-perishable food or toys can be donated in the lobby prior to the party. Raffle tickets will also be sold this year to win a beautiful Christmas quilt with the proceeds going to Toys for Tots.

Ticket sales begin at the first meeting in November and go through the day of the party. See you on December 11 for a Happy Prairie Christmas Party.

Committee Chair is Pat Cummins

## EDUCATION

November 12-Beginning Applique Project-Loretta Bilow (workshop). This small group of 10 sewers will work on a basic applique project mastering the skills learned in a previous meeting.

November 13. This month we celebrate Liisa Fagerlund and the Education Committee is excited to announce Liisa as the guest speaker for this year's final program. Due to the number of items on the business agenda, **she will begin her talk, "Conception to Completion," at 9:30 am on November 13th.** So, set your alarm clock early on the second Wednesday....you won't want to miss a minute!

Thank you for all who participated in workshops or attended our guest speaker programs. We couldn't have offered such a wide spectrum of events without you. We have truly achieved our goal this year of making education " fun and affordable."

Anne and Gladis

# NEW MEMBER LOUNGE

We are happy to have many New Members join the Club. Welcome! I want to highlight some Club traditions, how the Club works, and how you can win 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. Once a month we have a full Sue's Sew Day at club. Bring your machine and projects and enjoy some communal sewing time. 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 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.



# SUNBONNET SUE "SCRAPS" NEWSLETTER

## Welcome Carol Irving to the post of Editor for 2020!

She is an experienced quilter, animal mom and newsletter editor.

Joan Cotta and Carol Irving Editors  
Christine Stallard, layout and graphics  
Volunteers are welcome!

Send submissions and comments to  
[SBSNewsletter@outlook.com](mailto:SBSNewsletter@outlook.com)

Deadline: The general deadline is the last Monday of each month. This allows us to create the newsletter on time. Thank you!

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# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Barbara Davis, Sequim  
Barbara Pollock, Sequim  
Karli Fuller, Sequim  
Marjorie Thorp, Sequim  
Julie Malone  
Jessie Jones, Longview WA  
Darlene Pryor, Sequim  
Ann Sibole, Port Angeles

# CHRISTMAS STOCKING CHALLENGE

At our annual holiday party on December 11th, attending members get to vote on their favorite Challenge Stocking. The winner will receive a gift basket full of goodies.

Each year, a member volunteers to pick the Challenge theme. So, this year I selected the Christmas tree.

These are the rules:

Make either a medium or large Christmas Stocking. You can use the club's templates and fabric.

Design a tree and attach it to the front while making your Stocking.

Winning designs could include fantasy trees, over-embellished, or just so beautiful that it takes your breath away. Have fun!

When done, pin your name to the back of the Stocking and put it in a plain bag or envelope.

The last day to turn in your entry to Sherry Nagel is December 3rd.

Sherry Nagel  
360/775-8811



# QUILT SHOW 2020 NEEDS YOU!

The core quilt show committee for our 2020 show needs your help. We still have two key positions to fill. Both of these can easily be accomplished with a small team.

## RAFFLE QUILT CHAIR

We still need someone or "someones" to volunteer to manage the sale of tickets. Again, a small team of two to three people would be helpful. We need to identify the lead person by the end of January, so raffle tickets can be printed. One role is to manage the selling opportunities. We have a list of phone numbers for businesses that graciously allow us to sell raffle tickets at their location; and we need to call these businesses and set up dates. The second job is ensuring that the quilt, standards, table, chairs, and storage box all make it to the venue. They must be repacked and taken home until the next selling opportunity. And, of course, the money needs to be counted and the appropriate deposit form completed and given to our Club Treasurer, Irene Snodgrass. If you have any questions, please contact Maryann Clayton. She has managed the raffle quilt function for the past two years.

## QUILT SHOW CHAIR ELECT

This is again a job for one or more persons. Your role is to shadow the core team, and learn the ropes of how to manage the quilt show. This person(s) would then run the 2021 show. Please contact any of the current show core team, (Sue Nylander, Sherry Nagel, Maryann Clayton, or Judy Richey), for more details.

Sherry Nagel  
360/775-8811

# COMMUNITY QUILTS

Bruce Skinner, Executive Director of OMC Foundation, was given a quilt at the October business meeting for the Harvest of Hope event. The money raised from this donation will go towards the OMC Cancer Center.

The batik quilt was made by former club member, Jan Trimble and quilted by Mary Ann Clayton.



Patty Lloyd and Lenora Rohlwing, nurse case managers at Olympic Medical Center, were guests at the October business meeting. They spoke of the comfort quilts that the club provides to that program. Stories were shared of patients who have received the quilts. Several "themed" quilts that will be given to OMC were shown to club members. Merrie Jo Schroeder was on hand to tell how the program came to be when she was chair of community quilts.



# A QUILTER'S STORY

Confessions of a First-Time "Kamper" by Carol Irving

I went to my first Kamp Sew-a-Lot (KSAL) last week, and had a wonderful time. For those of you who have never come to Kamp, let me sum it up like this:

For four days you leave all your family, worries, and interruptions behind to concentrate on quilting and making deeper connections with your fellow Kampers. Lunch is provided, you do not have to pack up all of your equipment at the end of each day only to set it up again the next morning, and you are surrounded by talented and caring quilters. You can work on whatever project(s) you want, and helpful ladies are all around if you need assistance or opinions on design decisions.

I highly recommend it!

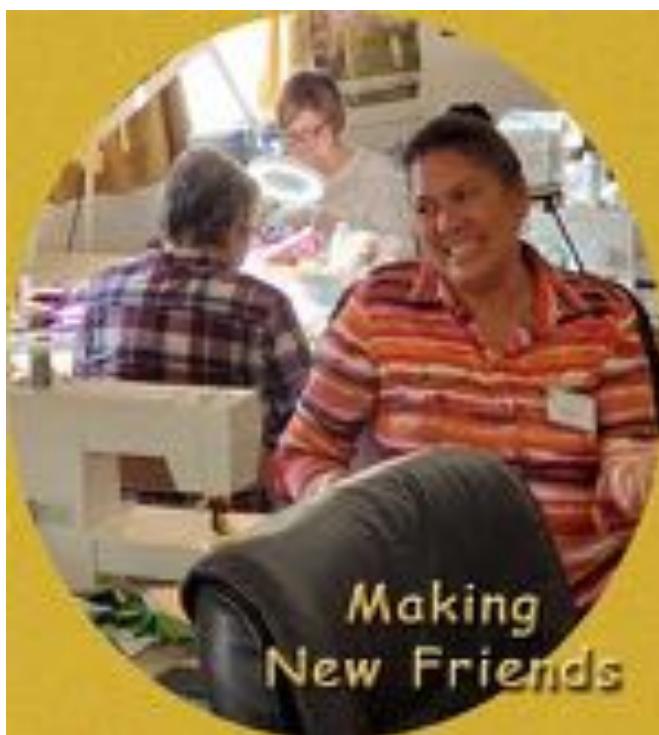
So, back to my experiences... I decided I desperately needed some time to free-motion quilt "the quilt that wouldn't end!" It was already three years late to my customer – my incredibly patient veterinarian in San Jose – and I don't have any space yet in the new house! So, I was willing to leave hubby and out-of-town guests on their own during the days while I fought with my quilt and enjoyed some girl-bonding!



That first morning I just set up and tried to remember where the heck I was on the quilt until it was time for lunch. I decided that I should interview ladies to see why they kept coming to KSAL.

I found out there were several of us "newbie" Kampers. For other first-timers, the motivation was same as mine – uninterrupted sewing and a chance to get a lot accomplished in a short time. There were a few "repeat offenders" who had attended only one or two Kamps previously, and loved the camaraderie and chance to sew without familial supervision (AKA demands for attention). There were also Kampers who had attended faithfully since KSAL was started.

The old-timers (attendance, not age!) stressed the chance to spend time getting to know other club members on a more personal level, accomplish a lot without stopping, seeing other quilters' projects and creativity, having good space to lay projects out, and relieving stress from their everyday world.



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# A QUILTER'S STORY, CON'T



I was so impressed by the "Double D's" and their organization. Dee and Denise had thought of everything, and were so willing to help in any way they could. I am still relatively new to the Sunbonnet Sues, and I do not really know too many people. They and all of the ladies made me feel right at ease.

During the next 3  $\frac{1}{2}$  days, I quilted my little fingers to the bone. I made new friends. I learned new things and passed on some tips of my own. I decompressed. I remembered why I love quilting!



# MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS!

Starting the first week of November we are accepting our \$40.00 membership renewals.

For the months of November and December we can only accept postdated checks dated: January 1, 2020. In January we can accept credit cards with a 22 cent additional charge.

You may also buy your quilt raffle tickets along with your renewal. You will receive your tickets when they are printed. There is a half sheet for you to fill out with your renewal. Marianne Nolte has these at the membership table.

Marianne Nolte, Membership



## LIBRARY NEWS

Can you believe it's November? The library crew is wrapping up the year with our last Red Table Sale on the 20th.

The 6th and 13th will be regular days. The 13th will be limited with Lisa's Presentation.

It's important at this time to start the return process of all your books, DVDs and stencils.

Best to you all for a peaceful Thanksgiving.

Vicki and Nancy

## - SPECIALS -

### YOUR AD HERE

If you would like to place an ad for services or to sell a sewing related item, send your information to SBSNewsletter@outlook.com Items for sale must be Club, Craft, Sewing and or Fiber related. Include contact information if there are any questions. No cost for this year, one picture per item please.

Businesses that support SBS may submit their business cards for advertising in the newsletter for free for 2019 and a charge of \$5 each year thereafter



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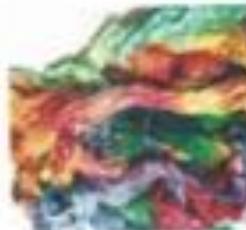
Please visit and patronize our wonderful local quilting shops here in Sequim and in Port Angeles. They are very generous to us with items for prizes and raffle drawings. Buy Local! It's greatly appreciated!



## Wovenwind Fiber Arts Marilyn Hiestand

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