



# Sue's Scraps

SUNBONNET SUE QUILT CLUB NEWSLETTER



AUGUST 2021



## CLUB MEETING SCHEDULE

**SUES ON ZOOM!**

**Due to the Covid resurgence, there will be no in-person meetings in August.** We have Zoom meetings on all Wednesdays except the last Wednesday of the month. Zoom details are on p10. The hall will be open for sewing on each Wednesday from 10am – 2pm.

Save these dates and times:

- ❖ 8/4, 10:30      Featured Quilters - Zoom  
David Owen Hastings
- ❖ 8/11, 10:30    Business Meeting - Zoom
- ❖ 8/18, 10:30    Block of the Month - Zoom
- ❖ 8/25, 10:30    Community Quilts Drive-By

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!**



1-Aug	Jan Bock
2-Aug	Win Skillman
7-Aug	Carol Irving
7-Aug	Barbara Pollock
8-Aug	Beverly Simon
9-Aug	Marci Kleinberg
10-Aug	Hester Crary
13-Aug	Pam Pifer
15-Aug	Susan Abbe
15-Aug	Margarett Barton
16-Aug	Bonnie Cauffman
16-Aug	Liisa Fagerlund
16-Aug	Doris Hartness
19-Aug	Marilyn Hiestand
23-Aug	Lee Grau
25-Aug	Toni Cline
25-Aug	David Owen Hastings
28-Aug	Diane Ross
30-Aug	Barbara Clevenger
30-Aug	Martha Scott
31-Aug	Patty Lavelly

## JOKE OF THE MONTH



### DREAM HOME

We finally built our dream home, but the contractor had a concern - the placement of an atrium window for our walk-in shower.

"I'm afraid your neighbors might have a good view of you au naturel," he said.

My middle-aged wife put him at ease. "Don't worry" she said, "they will only look once."

*Helga Barton, Jokemeister*



# PRESIDENT'S CORNER

What a crazy July. We are facing many changes and challenges, but I know we can get past this troubling time and be stronger from it. I do know that one of the main reasons we meet with each other is to **be** with each other. From these meetings I am often amazed at the depth of knowledge and skill my fellow Sue's share. Your work humbles me.

One of my favorite memories was our last holiday party we shared. It was my first holiday party as a Sue, and my jaw dropped at all the preparations! Every little detail was so well thought out! We will have parties again even though now we are advised to mask again when we do not personally know that everyone in the room has been vaccinated. This time will pass, and we will meet normally soon.

We, the board, are setting up a task force to research and advise us on how to move forward. I thank the members who have stepped up to fill this important role. Speaking of stepping up, please think about how you can serve. There are many slots that need to be filled. If you think that maybe you cannot commit to a full year because you are a snowbird or have lengthy vacations, maybe you can "chair job share" with a Sue friend? If you have not been active in a while, maybe now is the time? We need help with technology, education, and yes, party planning.

I want to thank you who have contacted me with kind, understanding words. What I and the board have had to do has not been fun, and we were certainly not happy about doing it. We clearly had no choice. We sought professional advice and shared it quickly. This is a tough learning experience for all of us.

We will get through it stronger, together.

*Marianne Nolte, President*



# EDUCATION



Do you want to learn how to machine quilt your own quilts? Mark your calendar – September 22nd... We have a great teacher lined up just for you! Megan Best is an award-winning machine quilter, (both long arm and domestic), national and international quilt show teacher, Island Batik ambassador, and much more!

On September 22, Sunbonnet Sue Quilt Club has Megan presenting, via Zoom, a 1-to-2-hour trunk show (depends on how many questions we have for her) with many, many quilts to share with us. She will cover how to decide on quilting designs as well as the quilting process. Her website is: [www.bestquilter.com](http://www.bestquilter.com). You really should check it out!

Then, September 23 we will offer a full day (9am-3pm) workshop via Zoom, with Megan. The cost is \$50.00 per student, with a class limit of 30. The format will alternate between lecture/demonstration for approximately an hour, and hands-on activity. Zoom will be active the whole time.

Gladis Marr will have a signup sheet starting Wednesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, at the lodge. Signing up reserves your spot but your spot is not secure until payment is received. After the first 30 have signed up we will start a wait list.

Our October 13 meeting this year will feature a ZOOM presentation by Suzi Parron, a quilter and author of two books about barn quilts. She presented our barn quilt class in 2019.

This lecture includes over 100 photos and anecdotes about her travels to collect them on the Quilt Barn Trail (QBT).



*Toni Cline, Secretary*

# COMMUNITY QUILTS

## SEQUIM PRAIRIE NIGHTS CAR CLUB

Community Quilts received a request from Sequim Prairie Nights car club (501C3) for a quilt that they could use to raise money for a scholarship fund for high school seniors in the trades programs. The club requested a patriotic quilt, so Community Quilt member Bonnie Cauffman scoured the community quilt fabric inventory and made this quilt. It was graciously and beautifully quilted by Marilyn Williams and delivered by Community Quilt member Mary Bess. Larry Perry, who accepted this quilt, was pleased with the quilt and exceptionally enamored with the backing fabric. The quilt will be displayed at the Sequim Prairie Nights car show on Washington Street on August 7, 2021.



*The front and back of the quilt, held by Larry Perry and Mary Bess.*

## UNCERTAIN TIMES CALL FOR FLEXIBILITY!

At the end of July, we had the chance to have an in-house day for Community Quilts. Unfortunately, the building is again closed for meetings, so we will have to go back to our Drive-By format for August. Please stop by and visit or pick up kits/return completed items. The room will be open for some free sew time, however.

*Some pictures from our first in-house Community Quilt meeting on Jul 28.*



*Bonnie Cauffman, Community Quilts*



## RAFFLE QUILT

Tickets sales for our Bountiful Beauty raffle quilt are currently at 2699! We have three upcoming venues for additional sales opportunities. Please check your email for volunteer requests. The quilt is on display at A Stitch in Time Quilt Shoppe where we will be participating with the First Friday Art Walk to sell tickets and to display some of our work. Owner and Sunbonnet Sue member Nicole Driggs is excited to be a regular participant in the First Friday event for the remainder of the year. The color theme for August is yellow and for September it is blue. If you have quilts of those colors that you would like to offer for display have them at the quilt shop by 2:00 on the designated Friday. Future months color schemes are as follows: October--orange, November--brown, December--gold.

*Barbara Davis, Raffle Quilt Chair*

## JOY QUILTS



The Joy Quilt Work Schedule is August 10<sup>th</sup> and September 7<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 to about noon. There have not been very many members that have attended this workshop. Please come join us! We have a lot of fun and the time goes quickly.

I need small quilts 12" and lots of animals about 12" high. I hope to see you at 60 Letha Lane. Please call so I can have enough stations ready for work - 360-582-0100 or 360-461-1385.

**IF** I have enough attending, I will make soup for lunch.

*Loretta Bilow, Joy Quilts*

## SCRAP HAPPIES



Welcome to "SCRAP HAPPIES", our newest friendship group! Do you love scraps and scrappy quilts? Have years' worth of scraps taken over your sewing area? Do you "dumpster dive" to retrieve them when you see someone throw away teeny pieces of fabric? Then sign up for "SCRAP HAPPIES" today!!! Signup sheets will be available every Wednesday at the lodge from 10:00-12:00. Look for the portable "SCRAP HAPPIES" sign on one of the tables, or look for Mary Bess, group coordinator. (If you don't know me, just look for the tallest person in the room, and I guarantee that will be me!) Initially, no formal meetings are planned, but future meetings will be determined by consensus of members. Here are some ideas for the fun to come: \*Trade scraps and/or leftover pre-cuts! \*Share scrappy quilt patterns for personal use or charity! \*Participate in scrappy sew days/special events! \*Share ideas for and trade selvages and orphan blocks! \*Make mini challenge projects (quick) using scraps! \*Make scrappy quilt tops or put together scrappy kits for Community Quilts! \*Improve your rotary cutting accuracy by cutting up scraps! \*Share tips for organizing and taming scraps! For more information, contact Mary Bess at 360-565-6593 (texting is best) or send e-mail to [marydianebeck@gmail.com](mailto:marydianebeck@gmail.com).

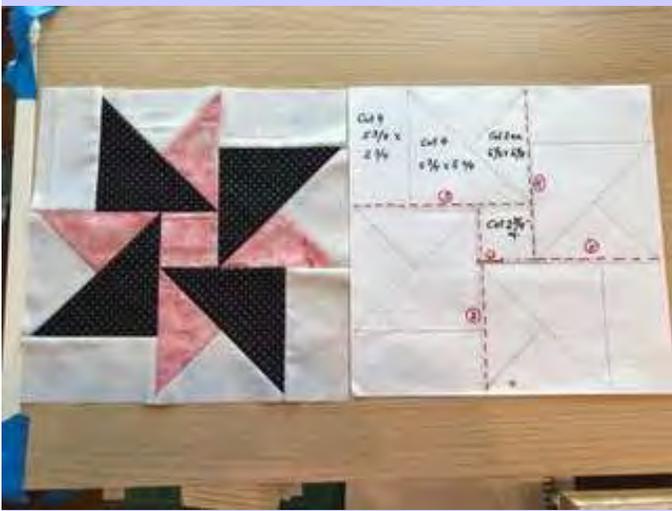
*Mary Bess, Scrap Happies*

# BLOCK OF THE MONTH

Hello again, quilters. This month's BOM is a beautiful block called "HOPE OF HARTFORSHIRE STAR". You will need only three fabrics for this block. During the demo I will be introducing the "partial seam" to you. I hope you can join me for the demo on August 18. Below is a photo of the star and the construction diagram.

I hope to see many of you for this demo. It would also be fun to see some of the finished blocks from past demos.

*Gladis Marr, VP and BOM*



*Sign-ups have started – sign up soon!*



# KAMP SEW-A-LOT

Great news for Kamp Sew-A-Lot enthusiasts! We have finalized details for Kamp. We have started taking sign-ups for this fun event. We will have a table set up for sign-ups every Wednesday at the Lodge during open sewing if you want to sign-up in person. As a reminder, this is a 4-day event which will take place October 18 - 21 (Monday - Thursday). The location is the Sequim Prairie Grange, 290 Macleay Road, Sequim, and the cost will be \$40 per person. We can accept checks or cash only. We will be able to accommodate 35 members with their sewing machines. Cutting tables, rulers, cutting mats and irons will be set up for anyone to use. Please do not bring your own irons. Attendees will bring their own lunches, but we will provide snacks, coffee, tea, and water. There is a refrigerator on the premises for anyone to use. We request that you wear masks if you have not been vaccinated. If you have any questions, please contact me or Linda Wesseler.

For those unfamiliar with this event: Kamp Sew-A-Lot is a great local retreat that is open only to members of Sunbonnet Sue. We bring our sewing machines and projects to work on during the day and we go home at night. The machines and the projects can remain at the Grange until the end of the retreat. This event is a great opportunity for members to commune with other members in a much more intimate setting as it is a much smaller group. We all get to see what others are working on and share information and skills that might be new or interesting to others. Most of all, we get to know and interact with other members and perhaps forge new friendships. It is a wonderful event that I highly recommend.

*Gladis Marr, VP*

# FEATURED QUILTERS IN JULY

July's featured quilters were Janet Lenfant and Liisa Fagerlund. We had a hybrid in-person/Zoom meeting at the lodge and were able to project the picture and sound for people attending in person. We are starting to get the hang of this!

Janet shared her many bags. Her work is amazing and her collection extensive. After Janet's presentation, we saw a collection of slides with some of Liisa's work. The breath of her talent was inspiring!

*Marianne Nolte, President*



**JANET LENFANT**



**LIISA FAGERLUND**



**MARTHA SCOTT**

*"Enchanted Village", blue ribbon winner in Paducah. Inadvertently left out from last month's article.*



*Baby Quilts by Nancy Wilcox – Show 'N Tell*

*Magic Squares BOM (April) by Merrie Jo Schroeder – Alternative Setting*





# MEMBERSHIP

Welcome to summer, ladies and gentlemen! As I send in my report the temperature is topping 85. Yikes! Hope you are all staying cool.

We continue to have steady interest in our club with three more joining this past month.

- Sheila Martin – Port Angeles
- Denise Martinez – Sequim
- Pam Pifer – Sequim

Sheila is a Port Angeles native with lots of quilting experience and is looking forward to working on charity quilts for children. Denise moved here in 2006 after retiring from CA State Parks. She is looking forward to meeting other sewing enthusiasts and is interested in free motion quilting classes. Pam just moved here 6/1 from Snohomish and has been quilting for 35 yrs. She loves hand applique and civil war fabrics. She is looking forward to meeting everyone eventually and is interested in machine quilting and ruler work classes.

Stay well and I hope to see you soon!

*Doree Masters, Membership*



Just a reminder to all that the monthly income statement is always available for members to examine on the website.

*Seri Mylchreest, Treasurer*



# LIBRARY NEWS

Welcome, Sue Bermel, to the library staff. We have been updating and labeling new books and opening the cabinet doors for your use. We'll be there from 10-11 on Wednesdays. We had a small book sale with some great book package deals. The third Wednesday in August we will do it again. Drop by and check out our new books.

*Nancy Wilcox & Sue Bermel, Library*

# HAPPY 100<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY, TRU

Tru Clinton had her 100th birthday on July 9<sup>th</sup>! Her daughter, Jaydee Price, and granddaughter, Melissa Vemi, are also in the picture. Tru is a lifetime member who joined in 2004.



*Toni Cline, Secretary*



# SCRAPS

## SUNBONNET SUE NEWSLETTER

Carol Irving, Editor  
Christine Stallard, Asst. Editor

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

Deadline: Last **Friday** of each month to allow us to publish the newsletter on time. Thank you!



# FRIENDSHIP GROUPS



## THERE'S A SMALL QUILT GROUP FOR YOU

There are several small groups in SBSQC that like to meet to sew together and share the love of our craft. We will be listing the groups here. At the bottom will be a list of possible new groups, so if you have an idea, contact Seri as mentioned below. **Due to Covid-19, the meeting information should be verified with the contact person.**

### ARTQUILT SUES

Contact person: Janet Green, AQSues Coordinator

When and where we meet: Fourth Tuesday of the month (excluding holidays) from 1-3pm at A Stitch in Time Quilt Shoppe, 225 E. Washington Street, Sequim. Next three meetings are 8/24, 9/28, and 10/26.

Description: We encourage artistic, creative participation in a variety of genres of art quilting. Any interested member of SBSQC is welcome to join AQSues.

### BAGUETTES

Contact person: We need a new Lead Bag Lady for this group! Please let Mary Syme know if you can take this on!

When and where we meet: On hold until a new Lead Bag Lady steps up.

Description: Our group is open to all SBSQC members. Our goal is to improve on or learn new techniques and have fun while building bags of all kinds.

### FIRST STEPPERS

Contact person: Sharon Clayton or Marilyn Williams

When and where we meet: No set meeting time, mostly just after announcements.

Description: First Steppers love to sew for little ones in need for First Step in Port Angeles.

### HEXAGON STUDY GROUP

Contact person: Nancy Wilcox @ [nancykw52@comcast.net](mailto:nancykw52@comcast.net)

When and where we meet: 10:00, the first Friday of each month at A Stitch in Time Quilt Shoppe.

Description: We share our progress with English Paper Piecing Projects or your current quilting joy. We welcome new Quilters as long as space is available.

### SCRAP HAPPIES

**New!**

Contact person: Mary Bess @ 360-565-6593 (text is best) or [marydianebess@gmail.com](mailto:marydianebess@gmail.com)

When and where we meet: TBD

Description: We share our love of scraps, scrappy quilts, ideas, patterns, and friendship.

### NEW GROUPS?

If you are interested in forming a small friendship group, please let me know.

Seri Mylchreest ([serena@mylchreest.com](mailto:serena@mylchreest.com))

# NEW MEMBER LOUNGE

## COVID 19 EDITION



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

Meetings: Currently, all meetings are held online via Zoom, except for the last Wednesday of the month. Meetings are held on Wednesday, starting at 10:30am. The schedule is shown on Page 1 of the newsletter.

The first meeting is a Featured Quilters trunk-show. The business meeting is the second Wednesday of each month. Prizes are awarded to attendees via a random drawing. The third meeting of each month is the Block of The Month class. If there are five Wednesdays, the fourth Wednesday is reserved for a special teacher.

The last Wednesday of the month is for Community Quilts Drive-By. Prizes can be picked up from the Business Meeting drawing, and we also celebrate members with birthdays in the current month and have other in-person activities.

Website: Find the Club online at <http://www.Sunbonnetsuequiltclub.org>. where we have our calendar, classes, and events posted. Learn more about our club, our community service focus, educational opportunities, extensive library, and newsletters. The password for the “members only” area is **sbsqc** (all letters in lower case).

## ZOOM MEETING INSTRUCTIONS



The Zoom meeting is set up for each week on Wednesday except the last Wednesday of the month. Meetings will start at 10:30, but the Zoom meeting room will be opened at 10am for those who need extra help signing in.

### JOIN ZOOM MEETING FROM YOUR COMPUTER, TABLET OR SMART PHONE.

If you have not Zoomed before, you will be asked to download the Zoom application. This is quick and easy!

Then, just click on the link below to enter the waiting room, then be added to the meeting.

[Click here to join our Cloud HD Video Meeting](#)

### JOIN BY TELEPHONE (VOICE ONLY, NO VIDEO)

Dial by your location: +1 253 215 8782  
US (Tacoma)

Enter Meeting ID: 822 7913 3225

Enter Pass code: 354400

If you have any questions about using Zoom, contact Joan Cotta at [jcotta@ymail.com](mailto:jcotta@ymail.com)

*Joan Cotta, Mistress of Zoom*

## LA CONNER EXHIBIT



The Pacific Northwest Museum of Quilts and Fiber Arts in La Conner, WA, is currently hosting an exhibit called "Rhythm of Light", by the Surface Design Association North Peninsula Chapter. It runs through October 10<sup>th</sup>.

Please visit their exhibits page <https://www.qfamuseum.org/exhibits.html> for more information.

*Liisa Fagerlund*

## MEMBER NEWS

Congratulations to Marilyn Williams for being selected as a quilt judge for the Kitsap County Fair. The fair runs from August 25<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> this year, and usually has about 200+ quilt entries! Check it out!

If anyone in the club has a fun event in which he or she is a participant or knows of any related to quilting and fiber arts, let me know so we can get it into the newsletter. This club is full of talent, and it is good to start getting back out there to see the great shows and events going on in the areas around us.

*Carol Irving, Editor*



*Some of Suzan Baranowski's latest. – Show 'N Tell*

## ADVERTISEMENTS



If you would like to place an ad for services or to sell a sewing-related item, send your information to [SBSNewsletter@outlook.com](mailto:SBSNewsletter@outlook.com). Items for sale must be Club, Craft, Sewing and or Fiber related.

Include contact information if there are any questions. Free of charge, one picture per item please.

Businesses that support SBS may submit their business cards for advertising in the newsletter free of charge.

# SBS BOARD, COMMITTEE CHAIRS, AND SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

MARCH 2021 (LIST 1/31/2021)

## BOARD MEMBERS

President	Marianne Nolte
Vice Presidents	Gladis Marr, Linda Wesseler
Treasurer	Seri Mylchreest
Secretary	Toni Cline
<i>Advisers to the board</i>	
Parliamentarian	Joan Cotta
Advisor/Past President	Sharon Clayton

## STANDING COMMITTEES

Education	TBD
Library	Nancy Wilcox
Membership	Doree Masters, Mary Syme, Valley Smith
Roster	Carolyn Abbott
Newsletter	Carol Irving / Christine Stallard (Assistant Editor)
Community Quilts	Bonnie Cauffman, Eleanor Geiger, Mary Bess, Patricia Wood, Pam Lindquist, Regina Bacon, Barbara Pollack, Carmen O'Brien

## SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Information Board	Jayne Merchant
Joy Quilts	Loretta Bilow
AM Opening	Dee Swender
PM Closing	Denise Burrell
Raffle Quilt 2021	Nancy Wilcox
Raffle Quilt 2022	Bonnie Filgo
Raffle Quilt 2021	Nancy Wilcox, Rhodies
Quilters' College Team	TBD
Featured Quilter	Irene Snodgrass
Roster	Carolyn Abbott
Sunshine/Birthdays	Toni Cline
Telephone Tree	Carol Geer
Retail Liaison (donations)	Cyndi Kenagy
Member e-mail Monitor	Seri Mylchreest
Website Monitor	Merrie Jo Schroeder, Seri Mylchreest
Facebook Monitor	MaryAnn Clayton
Closet Cleaner	TBD

## CHRISTMAS PARTY 2021

Holiday Party	TBD
Holiday Stocking	TBD
Holiday Stocking Challenge	Sharon Clayton, Jayne Merchant
Applique Block	Betty Cook, Sherry Nagel
Pieced Block	TBD
Stocking delivery contact	Mary Bess

## QUILT SHOW 2021 COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Show Chairs	TBD
Show Chair Elect	TBD
Advertising/Publicity	Joan Cotta
Viewer's Choice Vote	Nancy Wilcox
Design Committee	Sue Nylander, MaryAnn Clayton, Sherry Nagel
Floor Taping	Eunice Kappmeyer, Karen Clatanoff, Patty Lavelly
Raffle Quilt-Ticket Sales	Barbara Davis
Lounge	Gladis Marr, Linda Wesseler, Dawn Kerns
Volunteer Sheets	Peggy St. George
Country Store	Sharon Clayton, Marilyn Williams
Country Store Financial	Irene Snodgrass, Eunice Kappmeyer
Appliqué Group	Loretta Bilow
Art Sues	Janet Green
Award Ribbons	Betty Cook
Memorial Table	Toni Cline
Poster Distribution	Joan Cotta
Poster Design	Maryjane Figg
Banners and Signs	Barb Parse, Karen Eldridge
Vendors	Sue Nylander, MaryAnn Clayton
Welcome Table	TBD
Guest Passes	TBD
Registration Forms	MaryAnn Clayton and team
Quilt Labels/Spreadsheet	Janet Lenfant
Entry Photos/Registration	Bonnie Filgo, Barb Richardson
Challenge Quilt	Rae Waltz
Community Quilts	Bonnie Cauffman and team
Heirloom Quilts	TBD
Quilt Check-In	Loretta Bilow, Sharon Witt
Quilt Return	Sue Nylander
Walkthrough	Sue Nylander
Security Guard	Rod Barton (Helga's hubby)
Art Quilt Booth	Sue Nylander



# SPONSORS & SERVICES

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!**



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 Phone: 360-504-2183  
 Hours: Tue-Sat 10:00-5:00



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