



Sue's Scraps

SUNBONNET SUE QUILT CLUB NEWSLETTER



NOVEMBER 2021



CLUB MEETING SCHEDULE

SUES ON ZOOM!

We generally 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:

- ❖ 11/3, 10:30 Featured Quilter – Zoom
Linda Huggins
- ❖ 11/10, 10:30 Business Meeting- Zoom
- ❖ 11/17, 10:30 Block of the Month - Zoom
- ❖ 11/24, 10:30 Community Quilts Drive-By

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

- 11/1 Judy Marshall
- 11/5 Sharon Clayton
- 11/5 Carol Prael
- 11/7 Helga Barton
- 11/7 Irene Snodgrass
- 11/8 Barbara Parse
- 11/15 Nancy Pellegrino
- 11/18 Shirley J Legg
- 11/19 Carol Clevenger
- 11/20 Lois Jo Matthews
- 11/23 Collette Wescott
- 11/25 Vicki Naumann
- 11/27 Nancy Carey
- 11/27 Sharon Witt
- 11/29 Eddie Jo Nicholson
- 11/30 Nancy Montague
- 11/30 Vicky Sheesley
- 11/30 Jan Trimble



JOKE OF THE MONTH

Q: What happened when the turkey got into a fight?

A: The stuffing was knocked out of him.

*Helga Barton,
Jokemeister*





PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Happy fall! Well our busy October is over and now it is Quilt season! I love these quieter times when we are not sharing our beautiful place with tourists and I do not have so many other obligations that keep me from quilting. I have found that if I do not get some quilting in, well, I get a little grumpy. Now, my garden and bike riding do not vie for my attention. I am inside now, with a warm cup of tea, and never enough fabric!

This month we are calling for a professional quilter with a business license to bid on 2022's raffle quilt. The requirements are listed in the standing rules on our web site. We are also soliciting for a raffle quilt chair without which we cannot have a raffle quilt. We are starting it a little late, as we were busy with the vote. Speaking of chairs, the quilt show chair position is still open. This can be a single person or a shared position. We are hoping to plan on a Covid-safe quilt show next year so that we can have a show no matter what the variant does. It will be different. The times have changed but hopefully we will all have a wonderful happy time as we share our talents with the community.

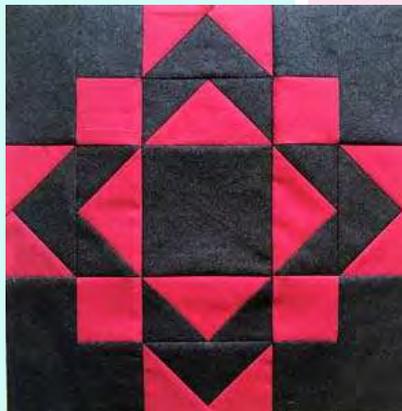
Marianne Nolte, President

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

Hello again, Quilters. The November BOM is called "Crown Royal". When looking at this block, I think you will agree that the name suits it. You can make this block with only two contrasting fabrics. This block has a double flying geese, i.e., one directly above the other, creating a strong chevron illusion. It also has squares and rectangles that really simplifies the construction by making small units first and then sewing them all together.

The block is elegant and maybe appears to be a bit tricky, but it is not. I do not think anyone will have trouble making it. See you November 17 for our BOM.

*Gladis Marr, VP
and BOM*



MEMBER OF THE YEAR NOMINATIONS

The end of the year is nigh and so it is time to think about which member we would like to acknowledge for their contributions on behalf of Sunbonnet Sues. This special member would be someone we have counted on to share their time, knowledge and friendship with other members beyond normal responsibilities that they might have signed up to do with committees or friendship groups. It should be someone whom you feel represents the best in our club.

Please e-mail Gladis Marr (gladismarr@gmail.com) or Linda Wesseler (lwesseler@gmail.com) with your nomination by November 17.

Provide your reason(s) for nominating this individual. Your nominations will NOT be shared with anyone beyond Linda and myself. Please note that Board members do not qualify for this nomination.

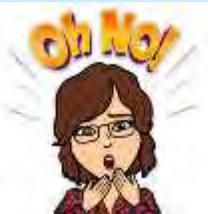
Gladis Marr, VP

EDUCATION



The Education Committee is responsible for scheduling and coordinating classes offered by the club. I am excited to be the chairperson for 2022 and am looking forward to learning many new and creative things from members and guest instructors. I am so impressed with the wonderful talents exhibited by the work of our members and know that we can have some fantastic classes throughout the coming year. Whether they be Zoom or in person meetings, we will have the opportunity to experiment, practice and share our skills with each other. Suggestions for topics or presenters are welcomed from membership. If you have any ideas you would like considered you can contact me via email. And most importantly if you are willing to share your skills by being a member teacher, I'll want to have your name on my teacher contact list. Members can be paid as instructors per our bylaws. Be on the lookout for an upcoming survey and messages from me--Barbara Davis, your new Education Committee Chairperson! I'm here to serve you.

*Barbara Davis, Education Committee
Chairperson 2022*



OOPS! ...

A quilter was misidentified in last month's issue of Scraps. In the Featured Quilters column, the *Covid Corvid* quilt was made by Peggy St. George, (not Peggy St. James!) We humbly apologize for this error!

Carol Irving, Newsletter

COMMUNITY QUILTS

Community Quilters have been working behind the scenes, testing new quilt patterns, cutting fabric, making kits and organizing donations. Some of the donations are not items Community Quilts can use so we have a new category in our storage unit titled "For the Sale." We have no plans for an immediate sale, but we are collecting inventory to sell. Thanks to all who have added to our collection. We realize that batting rolls disappear quickly when we are making larger quilts and, of course, batting is where our sale revenue is mostly spent.

If you have not stopped by our well used storage unit, we welcome you to stop by and see our dedicated space. We are working there on Monday mornings between 10-12. It is not a heated space, so dress warmly. We would be pleased to give you a tour. We are located at the Storage Unit behind Applebees in Sequim, #705.

The Port Angeles Kiwanis club invited SBSQC to present the Joy Quilt project at its meeting on October 28th. Loretta Bilow and Bonnie Cauffman were armed with coffee and ready for their 7AM breakfast meeting where Joy Quilts and other work on behalf of children was presented. This invitation originated from the cry for stuffed animals that Carol Irving posted on Port Angeles "NextDoor" neighbors. Kiwanis members were familiar with SBSQC but were surprised to hear of all of the community work we do. We may have even sold some raffle tickets!

*Bonnie Cauffman,
Community Quilts*





RAFFLE QUILT

Time is running out to get your raffle tickets for Beauty State Flower quilt. We still have tickets remaining that we need to sell prior to the December 8th drawing to be held at the Sequim Masonic Temple. It would be a great thing for all of us if we are able to sell ALL of the tickets. Current sales total 3466 tickets.



Volunteers will once again be selling our tickets and displaying our wonderful Community Service quilt during the First Friday Artwalks on November 5 and December 3. Brown quilts are requested to display at A Stitch in Time Quilt Shoppe in November and gold quilts for December. If you have one to share, drop it off at the quilt shop prior to 2:00 on the appropriate date. Please label on the front with the design/pattern, your name, name of quilter and that you are a member of Sunbonnet Sue. This will help in identifying quilts to photograph for our future use.

Thanks to all members who have volunteered to sell tickets throughout the year. It has been great working with each and every one. Since I will be taking over the responsibility of the Education Chair, another member will be needed to assume the raffle ticket sales for 2022. It is a great way to meet and get acquainted with a lot of members. And in a normal year, you can also meet many people from other quilt groups, community members and visitors to Sequim. If you are interested in taking on this responsibility contact Barbara Davis or Marianne Nolte.

Barbara Davis, Raffle Quilt Chair

CHRISTMAS APPLIQUÉ BLOCK

Here is this year's Christmas Appliqué Block, designed by Sherry Nagel.

If you are interested in making this 12" block, please send a self-addressed, self-stamped envelope to the address below, along with \$3 for the fabric.



Betty Cook, PO Box 490, Port Angeles, WA 98362.

There will be a drawing in December and the winner will receive all of the blocks. The really good news is that you will get to design next year's appliqué block and handle the drawing!

We are getting this out a little late this year, but it is an easy block. You will receive the white and black background squares. The red and green fabrics will be from your stash.

Betty Cook, Christmas Appliqué Block



*Divide and Conquer Bags
Left – Mary Syme
Right – Barb Richardson*

SBSQC BIRTHDAY EVENT

It was a very successful and happy birthday for Sunbonnet Sues Wednesday. A huge “thank you” to all that participated. Even the weather decided to let us have a break from the wind and rain and allow us to be outdoors with many of our friends. I would like to highlight that this was a multiple-event day; we had our club’s 35th birthday, the Treasure Hop, the Community Quilts group, library book sale, membership, and raffle quilt ticket sales, all taking place at the same time, making this day especially fun and gratifying. Some of our members wore costumes; they were a hoot and certainly added to the joyful spirit of the day. In addition to all the fun taking place, we even signed up two new members. I think this event helps illustrate, especially to new members, how special our club is to us.



To celebrate our birthday, the club gave away cupcakes and other edible treats. Another gift from the club was a sweetly wrapped fat-quarter with a surprise hidden inside each one. Each small bundle held candy and some had a special surprise of a gift-card to be used at our local quilt shop, A Stitch In Time. We have Toni Cline to thank for supplying the surprise treats inside the fat-quarter bundles, and she even wrapped each one for us.

The Treasure Hop was also a great success. One could not help but notice how many ladies were hauling treasures they had collected from someone’s car trunk to their own car. I saw some members “shopping” for their new treasures with their personal shopping bags; much easier to carry their goodies, and their bags could hold more.



Of course, Community Quilts was there doing the good work they are known for. Many members took home quilts that needed some final work done to them. We are grateful and recognize the amazing ladies that run Community Quilts and those members that make the quilts.

Our hard-working librarians were also at our special event. There were single books and bundles prepared by them to suit almost any quilter’s interest. I hope many of our members took advantage to visit with them inside the lodge.

As your VP, I would like to thank everyone who participated. It is a given that without you and your enthusiasm these special events would not take place. It was wonderful seeing the smiles and hearing cheerful conversations taking place all around me. Happy Birthday, Sunbonnet Sue Quilt Club.

Gladis Marr, VP



SBSQC HISTORY

As the 35th birthday of the Sunbonnet Sue Quilt Club approaches, I would like to share some exciting facts passed down to me by some long-time members.

The club was established by a few women wanting to get together and peacefully create beautiful quilts and spend time with like-minded women. They began meeting at the Lodge for a few hours. These women became great friends with each other, helping newcomers to learn and improve the art of quilting.

The first Quilt Show was held at the Lodge, small and friendly. They served cake and tea at the opening; they also sold handmade items that a member told me were well received by the people attending the shows. No one remembers how many years they held the Quilt show at the Lodge. Later the show was moved from the small school to the newly built Middle school, where the show continued to be featured until the Pandemic.

When I became a member in 2006, the club had a program called Big Sisters that helped ease new members into the club, its rules, where everything was, how the Library worked, etc. My Big Sister was great. Every so often, a High Tea was hosted by a quilter for Big Sisters, where their Little Sisters introduced themselves to the group.

While most of the founding mothers have gone to quilting heaven, what they started and nurtured with love is still here for us to enjoy. Let us make sure that those feelings of camaraderie and helpfulness continue.

Martha Scott, Member

CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS DRIVE CANCELLED IN 2021

For the past several years, SBSQC has donated beautiful quilted Christmas stockings to children in foster care in Clallam County. In the past, these stockings were collected at our SBSQC Christmas party and passed on to Sequim Community Church (SCC) for the filling of the stockings prior to distribution to the children.

It would appear we have been even more generous than was needed. I have been the Christmas stocking liaison between the club and SCC for the past three years, and this year it has become evident that it will not be necessary for the club to furnish additional stockings. There has been a surplus of stockings for the past several years, and once these were all gathered in one location and counted, it was discovered that there are enough stockings on hand to provide one for every foster child in the county this Christmas, with some left over! Thank you all for your contributions!

The distribution of filled stockings will be at a drive-through event in early December, like it was last year, due to COVID restrictions. Our Board supports this decision to suspend the making of stockings this year, and we hope that we can resume this fun activity for interested club members in 2022!

*Mary Bess,
SBSQC/Sequim Community Church liaison*





KAMP SEW-A-LOT

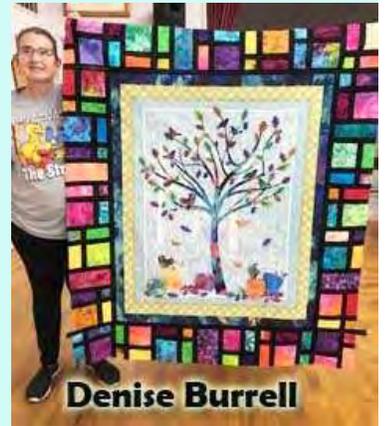
Thank you to everyone who attended Kamp Sew A Lot. You made it a great success. It has been much too long since we have been able to get together for the sake of friendship, creativity and just plain fun. All those things and more were experienced by all who attended Kamp. Some beautiful quilts were being created by our members. Some photos are on the home page of the SBSQC website.



This year everyone brought their own lunch, so while some quilters ate, some continued with their projects and others just wanted to visit with friends. Snacks were provided by the club and some were brought by members; there was something for everyone. We were grateful for the movement-to-the music breaks provided by Janet Lenfant. At unexpected times, Janet would play her happy tunes so we could get up and do a few stretching and marching exercises to remind us that we should get up once in a while to limber up. Great prizes were won by 16 lucky ladies and I think they all liked their little gifts.

We all had a wonderful time. I would like to thank my co-VP, Linda Wessler, for all her help in making this event such a success. I would also like to thank Loretta Bilow, Valley Smith, Dee Swender, and Denise Burrell for all their help in the set-up, clean-up and taking down of the tables. It would have taken so much longer and been so much harder without their help. The atmosphere at this event is outgoing and friendly, making it ideal for new members to acquaint themselves with other members and also for those that want to meet other members with whom they have not had the chance. I truly recommend our Kamp Sew A Lot retreat to all our members.

Gladis Marr, VP





MEMBERSHIP

We have four new members as of October! Lisa Parise, who has lived in Sequim four years, was a hospice social worker and enjoys assembling quilts. Bonnie Tweten moved here in July, is a retired Prosecutor and enjoys teaching and sewing for children. Barbara Lesiak is a retired bus driver, has lived in seven states and has been quilting for 18 years. Michele Avery grew up in Port Orchard, moved here in July, and loves precuts, quilts, and making bags. I think this is a banner year with 18 new members in 2021! I cannot wait to resume our meetings at the Lodge so we can meet everyone!

Starting November 1st we are accepting membership renewals for next year. Dues will remain \$50 for the year. All checks must be dated January, 2022. The renewal form is on our website under the Membership Only section. Our mailing address is PO Box 211, Sequim, WA 98382.

Collette Wescott is our new Membership Coordinator for 2022. As she gets organized, and we know more about meetings at the Lodge, she will let everyone know what her schedule is. For now though, we are continuing with corresponding by email and mail without setting up the Membership table at the Lodge.

Stay healthy & have a thankful Thanksgiving

Doree Masters, Membership



LIBRARY NEWS

Sue and I would like to thank you for such a delightful celebration day. We enjoyed your dropping by to check out books and purchase books from the Red Table Sale. It was a success!

Please remember we open the Library every Wednesday (when the club is open) from 9:30 to 11:00. We have added over 10 new books. If you have any suggestions for new books, just email me the name and author. We also have forms to fill out at the library.

See you on Wednesdays...

Nancy Wilcox & Sue Bermel, Library



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

Seri Mylchreest, Treasurer



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SUNBONNET SUE NEWSLETTER

Carol Irving, Editor

Volunteers are welcome! Send submissions and comments to 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.**

PENINSULA ART QUILTERS (formerly ArtQuilt Sues)

Contact person: Janet Green, PAQ 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. Our next meetings are TBD for November, 12/28, 1/25, 2/22, and 3/22.

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

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

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

Contact person: Mary Bess @ 360-565-6593 (text is best) or marydianebeck@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)

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: 813 2795 9158

Enter Pass code: quilt

If you have any questions about using Zoom, contact Joan Cotta at jcotta@ymail.com

NEW FRIENDSHIP GROUP?

Before the pandemic I would be going to the Masonic lodge almost every week and meeting new members there. Often we worked together on committees or sat together and chatted.

I realized that I haven't had much contact with most of the new SBS members in the last year and a half. I would love to get to know you!

I would like to start a new friendship group for new members and "old" members like me who would like to know them. We might meet once or twice a month and sit and chat. Right now I would feel more comfortable meeting on Zoom or else outside if the weather permits. Hopefully later on we might meet at each other's houses or maybe at the quilt shop or other meeting room.

If you are interested, please send an email to serena@mylchreest.com, or give me a call at 360-775-6605.

Seri Mylchreest, Member



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. 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.



BROTHER SIMPLICITY SB700T SEWING MACHINE

For Sale: Brother Simplicity SB700t machine, with extension table, rolling travel case, and manual - only used 3 to 5 hours at club -great price \$300.00 for all. For more information contact Jayne Merchant at Dollmerchant@centurylink.net.



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
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	Helga Barton
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	TBD
Country Store Financial	Eunice Kappmeyer
Applique 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



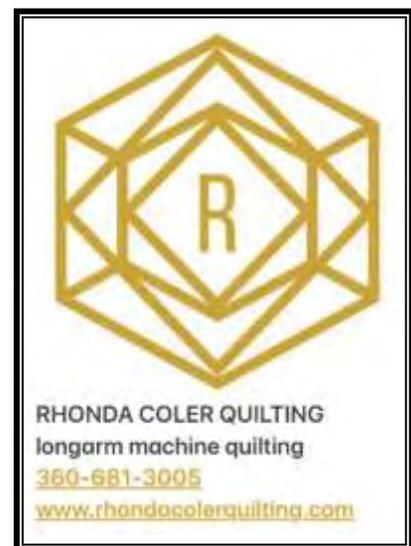
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Please visit and patronize our wonderful local quilting shops here in Sequim and in Port Angeles. They are very generous to us with items for prizes and raffle drawings.

BUY LOCAL! IT'S GREATLY APPRECIATED!



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



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