



Patchwords

Utah Valley Quilt Guild

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President's Message – October, 2023

Dear UVQG Members,

It is starting to feel like Autumn, and I am seeing red and orange on Mt Timpanogos. So I am thinking of all the Fall and Halloween Quilts and projects in my stash that I need to finish. My grandson, Calvin, was born on October 31 st so he is always willing to receive anything Halloween. October is a Big Month for Quilt Festival in Layton at the Davis Convention Center. I hope everyone is planning on



going up to take classes, see the quilt show, and shop the vendors. I am looking forward to teaching the 2 classes I have contracted to do. One of the best things about being a member of a quilt guild is the sharing of information and talents.

The "Utah Girls" are going to Hamilton, Missouri. This group has been waiting for the retreat for over a year.

Other things on the calendar this month are: The Payson Quilt Show at Peteetneet, and the National Quilt Show at Houston. Also, instead of a guild meeting in October, we are having a Work Day at the Orem Senior Center on Oct. 18 with Sarah Yorgason for the charities we support. We are also meeting at Dave's Bernina for a Work Day on October 9. If I have missed other big quilt gatherings, please forgive me. Remember to start or to finish up your Improv Quilt for our November meeting on November 8 th .

Beautiful Things Come Together One Stitch At a Time, Karin Crawford





UVQG Mission Statement

"The Utah Valley Quilt Guild was established in 1982 to promote the Art of Quilting through educational and social means and to provide service."

Memberships

Membership dues for the Utah Valley Quilt Guild are \$15/year. Benefits include a monthly newsletter emailed to you (Jan-Nov), participation in monthly meetings, free entry to forums, checking out books from the Library, and discounts to many local quilting & fabric shops. If you are past due with membership fees you will be given a one-month grace period. After that you will not receive the Patchwords until you pay your dues. Send dues to:

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Utah Valley Quilt Guild Website * Blog * Facebook Page

Can't get enough of Utah Valley Quilt Guild information? You can find up-to-the-minute news on our website at www.uvqg.org, see more photos and details at our blog at UVQGblog.blogspot.com, or join in the conversation on our Facebook page at www. facebook.com/groups/uvqg.org/

Quilt Stands and other quilting supplies are available to rent from UVQG. Contact one of our Property Chairpersons for more info.

The Patchwords Newsletter Published eleven times a year (Jan—Nov) and emailed to current members of the Utah Valley Quilt Guild.

We are always striving to improve and make the guild the best it can be, so if you have any comments or suggestions, please feel free to contact any member of the board.

The Utah Valley Quilt Guild meetings are held on the 3rd Wednesday of the month (except Oct and Dec.) at: OREM SENIOR CENTER 93 NORTH 400 EAST OREM, UTAH at 1:30p.m.

Meetings are held at the Orem Senior Center except for Service Day in March and the July Fair.

Classified Ads in Patchwords are free for members. These ads will run for two consecutive months unless otherwise notified. Advertising for business purposes is available at the following monthly rates: 1/4 Page Ad: \$10.00 1/2 Page Ad: \$20.00 Whole Page Ad: \$40 (UVQG Members receive a 20% discount Send checks to guild treasurer)



October Meeting

October 10-14, 2023 Utah Quilt Guild Quilt Fest in Layton
(Davis Conf Center) - "Sew Many Stars"
(see utahquiltguild.org)

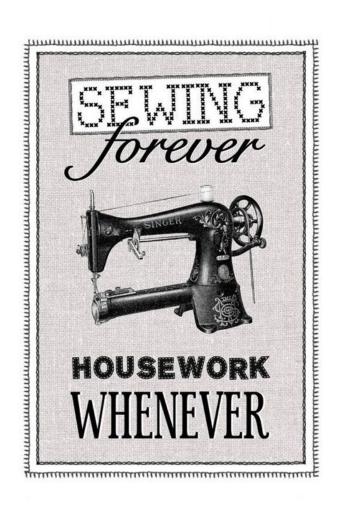
No regular guild meeting this month due to Quilt Fest

Alternate activity:

October 18, 2023 Many Hands Service Activity at Orem Senior Friendship Center

8:30 am - Noon - Kiwanis Room: Sewing twin sized quilt tops.

Bring sewing machine.



Show and Tell from the September Meeting















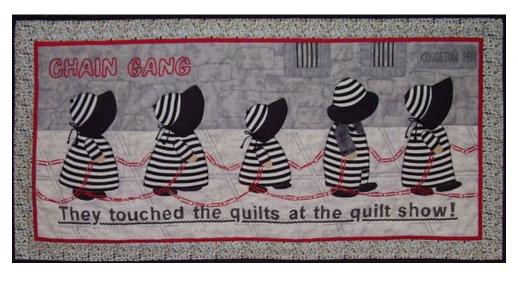
October Birthdays

Amelia Anderson
Susan Lyon
Leslie Oldham
Sandy Pratt
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We are so excited for the quilt retreat!

Just to let you know that the fall colors up here in Wasatch County are spectacular! I just wish they would stay this way through our upcoming retreat in November. But I guess we can just pretend. Remember the dates, November 14-18.

Everything is coming along just fine. Just a few more little things to take care of. We still do not know what time we can get into the building on Tuesday to set up and then let the quilters start coming, but as soon as I know, I will let you know.

Please do **NOT** bring anything that contains pistachios, rosemary, or perfumes into the open sew area. That will include your own personal treats. We have some individuals with **severe** allergies to these things.

Have you purchased your secret sister gifts yet? Still thinking about it? Remember to have three gifts for your secret sister. You will give one out before noon on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Then Friday night we will reveal ourselves to our secret sister if they have not already guessed who it is.

We will have two short demos on Thursday and Friday afternoons. Otherwise it is open sew and you can do whatever you want.

If for some reason you will not be eating with us at one of our six meals, please let me know in advance so that the hotel will not charge us for those meals. Sorry, but no refunds to any individual. If there is some emergency and you have to cancel coming, please let me or Trish know. We still have a waiting list.

Everyone should have received an email recently from Trish Derrick stating which day you will be checking into the hotel. If the date is not correct, please let Trish know. DO NOT call the hotel at the last minute and tell them you are coming on Tuesday. You must go through Trish. You do not want to be charged double the price and then it will also goof up assigned rooms for our group.

I know we still have two months to wait for this fun retreat, but I am so excited to be there and I had to

let you know what is happening right now.

Any questions, please email, text or call me.

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Community Service Quilts









<u>Many Hands...</u> <u>UVQG Service Bee</u>

To promote the Art of Quilting through educational and social means and to provide service.

We got to use the classroom at Dave's Bernina for an activity in September, it was fabulous! The stem iron is amazing and the workspaces are so nice. We will be there again on Oct 9 if you want to help us out with sewing some receiving blankets. Last time we did this activity, we finished over 30 blankets. Can we break the record? Come help us try.

October Meeting

We encourage attending Quilt Fest sponsored by the Utah State Quilt guild so our October meeting is suspended. But we still have space at the Senior center. If you still have the day free, come sew with friends. We will also take a tour of the sewing room at theOrem Senior Friendship center

Oct 9 Monday 10:30- 2:30	Dave's Bernina 2017 N 550 W Provo	Sewing flannel receiving blankets for Little Lambs Foster Bring Sewing machines and thread
Oct. 18 Wed 8:30-12	Orem Senior Friendship center Kiwanis Room	Sewing twin sized quilt tops Bring Sewing machine
Nov 3 Friday 9:30-11: 30	Sarah's House 249 E 3140 N Provo	Making quilt kits from flannel squares

Special Dollivery!

This organization has been operating since 2012. They believe that dolls are essential to imaginative play -- and if a child can dream something, they can manifest it. Special Dollivery has partnered with a far-reaching community to receive donations specifically of American Girl Dolls. Volunteers restore them to like-new quality and a team of talented people sew clothes so that every doll has 8-12 outfits complete with shoes and accessories. Then each doll, with all the accompanying necessities, are packaged neatly in a little carrying case, which is also donated.

Special Dollivery is asking us to help make little quilts for these special dolls.

Each quilt should be about 18x24 inches

Orphan blocks and scraps are great for making doll quilts .

They also love help sewing doll clothes.

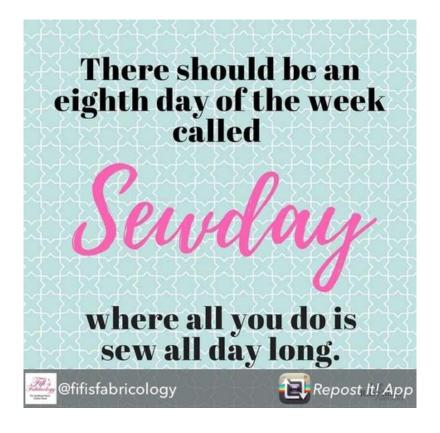
As Christmas approaches, perhaps you would consider helping with this cause.

Check out the cute photos on their website:

https://specialdollivery.org/

Contact Diana Simkins for more information

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