



## WARM WRAPPINGS CORNER

**NOTE** the **date change** for our February meeting.  
It is on Wednesday, Feb 21.

A New Year, a new commitment. Can you help with a little time to prep a kit or backing/batting or even quilt some tops? All help is welcome. Thanks for all who have contributed so far. The more the merrier. Give us a call.

### Upcoming Meetings

(Mark your calendars)

**Notice:** The **February meeting** is on the third Wednesday of the month.

#### Dates

Wednesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>**

Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>

**NQD - Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup>**

Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>

Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>

**Warm Wrappings  
Co-Chairs,**

**Paddy (for backs and quilting)  
Carol (for kits)**

## 2024 QUILT SHOW COUNTDOWN 138 DAYS

**Dates:** May 17-18, 2024

**Location:** MJC West

**Chairs:** Liz Able & Ann Sweet

**Boutique:** Peggy Cato

**Raffle Baskets:** Alice Brown

**Opportunity Quilt:**

Tricia Holden

**Next Quilt Show Meeting:**

1:00 pm on Jan 7<sup>th</sup> at Donna Shervington's

## Cory Says ...

I have been looking back over this last year and how my business has grown and continues to grow. I am feeling truly blessed. I am looking forward to the coming year and all of the exciting things to come.

We welcomed a new granddaughter in February and she is a doll! She is almost walking already and trying to keep up with her big sister! The other grandchildren continue to grow and keep us busy.

We are also looking forward as a guild with the quilt show this coming year and with a new board set to take their positions in March. Please consider filling one of these positions. If you would like to help in some way, please call or email me. I am also looking for members for the nominating committee. Please let me know if you want to help in that way.

Your grateful president, **Cory Murphy**

## And Now ~ A Word from Our Geri ...

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!! It seems like this year has just flown by, and I do mean flown. I hope everyone had the best Christmas ever. If you're traveling, be safe. If your family is traveling, I hope they're safe. It is a very wet and soggy Monday, so I will keep this short and sweet, (kind of like me, at least the short part anyway).

Our January meeting is coming up soon, and Tracey Boss from Blossom Quilting will be our guest speaker. So, come out and see what she is bringing to guild. It will be fun and interesting!! Hope to see you then.

I want to say a big thank you to our worker bees who made our Christmas Party a huge success! Another thank you to all of our guilty speakers that shared their memories! You all did an amazing job!! Thank you to those that brought items for show and tell! Must be Christmas, I am in a very thankful mood. Many thanks to everyone that makes our guild a success!!

Merry Christmas to all, and all a good night!

**Geri Martin** VP Programs

## Upcoming Events At a Glance

### Warm Wrappings Wednesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Setup:** 9:30 am  
**Sewing:** 10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
**Location:** McHenry Bowl

### Quilt Show Meeting Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 1:00 pm  
**Location:** Donna Shervington's

### Program Meeting Tuesday, January 9<sup>th</sup>

**Socializing:** 6:30 pm  
**Dinner:** 7:00 pm  
**Day:** Second Tuesday  
**Location:** Trinity United  
Presbyterian Church

### Panel-licious Class

**Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup> or  
Saturday, February 17<sup>th</sup>.**

This class will be meeting at the McHenry Bowl at 10 am. Bring a \$40 check made out to CCQ (to hold your seat) and sign up for this free class. When you attend the class, you will get your check back making it a free class. I'm looking forward to the class. **Ursula**



What’s on the Class Schedule by Ursula

Happy New Year! We are starting it right with the first sign-ups for Denise's Workshop called **PANEL-LICIOUS**. The dates are Thursday, February 15, **OR** Saturday, February 17. We will meet at the Bowling Alley at 10 am. Bring a \$40 check to the January or February meeting made out to CCQ (to hold your seat) and sign up for this free class. When you attend the class, you will get your check back making it a free class. I'm looking forward to the class. **Ursula**

Ursula’s Amazing Disappearing Blocks

Hi and Happy New Year from the “Disappearing Blocks” Center. We will be ready with a 9-patch block at 6:45 pm before the next meeting. February and March will have two more demos to get you started or at least well on your way to your challenge. See you then.

Ursula VP of EE (Everything Else)

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Happy Birthday to YOU !.!..

	<b>January</b>	1/26	Marilyn Brown	2/12	Sandra Uyeshiro
1/11	Peggy Lawrence		<b>February</b>	2/13	Carolyn Ralston
1/13	Peggy Cato	2/3	Val Davis	2/15	Janet Dickason
	Sally Pratt	2/4	Lori Carl	2/20	Janice Skiles
1/15	Cathy Anderson	2/9	Monica Maddock	2/25	Penny Sackett
1/17	Ann Sweet	2/11	Anita Hay	2/28	Kay Buck
1/24	Carol Paras		Geri Martin		
1/25	Denise Mullenix		Paddy Shopher		

Where’s the Opportunity Quilt Going .??.

Volunteers are needed to take the Opportunity Quilt to:  
Stockton Tuleburg Quilt Guild meeting on  
January 10, 2024 @ 9:45 am  
Elks Lodge 8900 Thorton Rd.  
POC: Anita Avery AnitaAvery33@yahoo.com  
Contact our Trica Holden to sign-up



A Little Note of Cheer to Somebody Dear ...

Our *Sunshine Chair* relies on *your* input to send out the cards. Please contact Suzanne by phone or email if you feel one of our members should receive a card to acknowledge an event in their lives.



**Sunshine Chair: Suzanne Pater**  
209.996.1775  
[SuzanneRN@sbcglobal.net](mailto:SuzanneRN@sbcglobal.net)

Small Groups

Please let Ann Sweet know of any changes to your Small Group information  
**Ann Sweet**

Small Groups Chair 209.480.6020

\*\*\* A NEW SMALL GROUP \*\*\*

Pro-Stitchers

This group is for those who would like to learn more about the Handi-Quilter Pro-Stitcher software.

PRO-STITCHERS

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

**Contact:** Denise Mullenix

**Cell:** 510.565.2659

ART FOCUS

2<sup>nd</sup> Mondays, 1 pm to 3:30 pm

**Contact:** Joyce Compton

**Cell:** 209.918.4376

CHAT AND SEW

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday, 1 pm to 3:30 pm

**Contact:** Kathy Sandner

**Cell:** 209.604.8866

Let’s learn more in 2024!

Do you have a special interest in a quilt topic or technique? Let’s start a new group! Let **Ann Sweet** know your ideas and she will help you get the ball rolling!



## Program Minutes for December 12, 2023

**President Cory Murphy** opened the meeting at 5:50 pm and invited members to share in the holiday pot luck supper.

**Program:** Holiday Potluck and special holiday memories. Several members shared special Christmas memories.

**Membership:**

**VP Report:** **Ursula Sylvan** outlined some of the programs and workshops scheduled for the coming months.

**Announcements:** **Denise Mullenix** will be holding a Panel-licious workshop on February 15 and again on February 17. She will show us how to approach different types of panels and get us started on our panel projects. If you are interested, bring a \$40 check at our January meeting made out to CCQ. The check will be refunded when you attend the workshop. Contact **Ursula Sylvan** for further information.

**Sue Siefkin** talked about the Mistlin Gallery Book Title challenge for the show in April. A workshop will be scheduled in January to help members in the process.

**Show and Tell:**

<b>Betty Ann Vencill</b>	Two memory t-shirt quilts
<b>Donna Shervington</b>	Mushroom collage
<b>Vicki DeLuca</b>	Christmas quilt, easy peasy quilt
<b>Susan Brase</b>	Quilt for mother-in-law 2001
<b>Ashley McQuisten</b>	Bags
<b>Barbara Wegener</b>	Sunbonnet Sue quilt
<b>Joyce Uhl</b>	Jelly sticks
<b>Tiffany Pellizzari</b>	Timber quilt, Christmas quilt

Meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm

Respectfully submitted by **Barbara Wegener**, Co-Secretary



### Celebration of Fiber Arts at Mistlin Gallery ...

CCQ will again mount an all-textile show at Mistlin Gallery April 2 - May 3 at 1015 J Street in Modesto. This will be our first show there since 2018, thanks to Covid and related scheduling difficulties. All types of textiles will be accepted for display, including wall and lap quilts (bed size quilts are too large for the available space) and wearables. The entries will NOT be for sale, a departure from prior years. Entry forms are available on the CCQ website, at guild meetings and from Sue Siefkin. Entry forms must be submitted by March 4th, with a color photo to be emailed to Joyce Compton ([comptonjoyce@sbcglobal.net](mailto:comptonjoyce@sbcglobal.net)). Entries will be returned to the makers in time for delivery to the CCQ quilt show in May. CCQ's Opportunity Quilt will be on display; volunteers are needed to sell raffle tickets in the gallery. Small 6 x 8" mini art quilts will be matted and sold during the exhibit; members are invited to make and deliver them to Sue Siefkin for mounting. Edges need not be bound, just straight stitched or zig zag. The gallery will receive 25% of the \$40 sales price; makers will be paid the balance. Questions? Contact Sue Siefkin at [ssiefkin@gmail.com](mailto:ssiefkin@gmail.com) or by phone.

### CCQ Best Sellers Challenge

Pick the title of any book (you need not have read it) and make a quilt inspired solely by the title. How about house blocks for Little House on the Prairie, the Storm at Sea pattern for The Old Man and the Sea, or an appliqué of your own design? The title of the book need NOT be on the face of the quilt. You choose the shape, as long as the quilt perimeter does not exceed 100 inches. Your entries will need a split sleeve and a hanging rod to be hung from a D-ring in the middle. Stumped on what to choose and make? Contact Teresa Seifert ASAP to participate in a January workshop session to get some help. Teresa can be reached at 209-526-0720 or 209-872-6044. The entries will be hung at the Mistlin Gallery textile show, so be sure to fill out an entry form. The challenge rules and show entry forms may be found on the CCQ website. Plan to enter your piece(s) in our Heart of the Valley Show too! Questions? Contact Sue Siefkin at [ssiefkin@gmail.com](mailto:ssiefkin@gmail.com) or 209-526-5602.

### Blocks on the Move by Lois Logsdon

During October, our **Blocks on the Move** were displayed at Bethany Home in Ripon. The residents there were so impressed they asked for a return. During November BOTM was at Covenant Living of Turlock, then returned to Bethany for December with Christmas blocks instead of pumpkins and Halloween. If anyone has any suggestions for further display areas, let Lois know and we will try to make it happen...



Christmas display currently at  
Bethany Home in Ripon.





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## Remember to bring to Meetings

- Name Tag
- Show & Tell
- Warm Wrappings Quilt Projects
- Quilt Show Boutique Items

# Upcoming

## 2024

### Quilt Shows

**January 17-20**  
**Road to California**  
RoadToCalifornia.com  
Ontario Convention

**March 2-3 9:00 am**  
**Manteca Quilt Show**  
Wentworth Building  
2707 Transworld Dr.  
Stockton, CA



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