



# Baste & Banter

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Hoping you are all enjoying the summer. Been enjoying the past few days of cooler weather...what a relief...and rain!

As you know we started meeting again and had a great turn out. 70 members came out with 3 new members and 3 guests. It's great to be back in the swing of things. Much going on.

We will be meeting at Temecula United Methodist for the foreseeable future. We are fortunate to be in a facility that is so lovely and has everything we need. **Beginning in September we will be moving to Monday nights** as the space was already booked for Tuesdays. Our **August meeting will be held on the normal second Tuesday of the month** and will be a philanthropy sew in. Bring your machines to sew, if not you can help cut and/or iron. There's plenty to get done so we look forward to a successful night of comradery and sewing.

Next meeting:

### Philanthropy Sew In

**Tuesday, August 10**

**Doors open 6:30pm Meeting begins 7:00 pm**

**Temecula United Methodist Church**

**42690 Margarita Road, Temecula, CA 92596**

### September meeting

**Quilter's University**

**Monday, September 13**

**Doors open 6:30pm Meeting begins 7:00 pm**

**Temecula United Methodist Church**

**42690 Margarita Road, Temecula, CA 92596**

See you soon.



Look below for a simple pattern to make a 10 minute table runner. Great way to use up your stash and we'd love to have them for the Boutique at the Quilt Show.



## PHILANTHROPY RULES!

We hope you will be happy to know that despite COVID and the seemingly endless lockdown, Valley of the Mist's philanthropy program has continued to churn out quilts and pillowcases. In 2020, in lockdown, we BEAT our 2019 numbers for quilts and pillowcases donated. So far this year, Lynn has delivered 189 quilts and 370 pillowcases!

As is our Valley of the Mist tradition, the August meeting is reserved for a Philanthropy Sew-In. We've done many different things with this meeting. Some ideas have worked out well, others, not so much. Here's what we have planned for you for our August Sew-In:

- 1) Sewing of pre-cut kits of children's quilts. These will all follow the same pattern, very easy (squares and rail fence blocks), very clear instructions, and YES, there's a sample. We will work in pairs on these. We will try to get a lot of quilt tops all done except for borders, which we will put on later.
- 2) Sewing of pillowcase kits.
- 3) Sewing of Christmas stockings.
- 4) Hand binding. For those of you who like to bind, we should have 3 or 4 quilts ready to have the binding tacked down by hand. Bring your needle, thimble, threader, scissors, etc. Ellen will bring some thread.

We will not be doing much cutting—just pillowcase trimming.

Bring your machines and sewing supplies. We will have a couple of irons and ironing boards. Bring your mat and ruler and rotary cutter to trim pillowcases in progress if that's what you're planning to do. We will have lots of pillowcase kits!

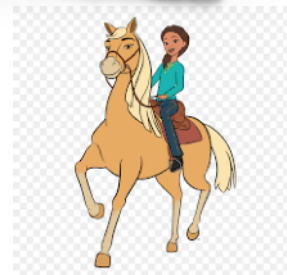
As always, thank you for being willing to help us make a quilt or pillowcase for a man or woman or child in need. There is no end.

Looking forward to seeing you all!

--Lynn Korito, Ida Colvin, Ellen French  
Your Philanthropy Queens



# Philanthropy



## PHILANTHROPY RIDES AGAIN!

Saddle up, partners! Oil those machines and change those needles! Philanthropy will finally meet again at the usual place, the Temecula Valley Assistance League!

**WHEN: Saturday, August 28, 10 am to 4 pm**

**WHERE: TVLA Meeting Room**

**28720 Via Montezuma, Temecula 92590**

### WHAT WE'LL BE DOING:

- 1) Processing the Queue. (The Queue contains whatever quilts we have in process—needing backs, quilting, binding, etc.) We will be getting backs put together, battings cut, bindings cut and sewn.
  - 2) Assembling kits as necessary
  - 3) Working on philanthropy quilt tops
- \*\*If you have a quilt project in the works, do bring your machine and equipment. We will also need people with machines to sew backs and bindings.

**\*\*Bring your lunch and hydration, bearing in mind that we can no longer use the AL's kitchen, not even the refrigerator. So plan for your own ice packs if necessary.**

We will NOT be schlepping all the bins in and out of this meeting. We are certainly willing to bring SOME bins in. If you need fabric for a philanthropy project, please notify one of us in advance so we can be sure to bring what you need. Here's what we have: **Batik bin, Fat Q bin, civil war bin, and color bins:**

**Blue, red, brown, yellow/orange, green, white/cream.**

If you need a background, we will bring the white/cream bin with that yardage.

If you have finished tops and/or pillowcases, bring them! See you there!

--Lynn Korito, Ida Colvin, Ellen French, Philanthropy



# 2021 Quilt Show Overview

We are making great strides on organizing our guild's 2021 Quilt Show and the events leading up to the Quilt Show. Here is a list of events and opportunities to support the Quilt Show with the coordinator contact information for each.

**September 4 through October 1: Artists Exhibition** (opportunity to display quilts/art pieces)

Where: Grace Mellman Library, 41000 County Center Dr., Temecula.

Contact: Paula McGaugh

**September 18 through October 2: Quilt Walk** (opportunity to display themed quilts)

Where: Participating stores in Old Town

Contact: Sheryl Eramo

**October 2: Old Town Temecula Fiber Arts demonstrations.** 10-4. Show off your textile abilities and answer questions from visitors. Weavers, embroiderers etc.

Contact: Rita Dominguez

**October 2: Old Town Temecula Quilt Show and Auction** 10-4 (*Valley of the Mist Quilters Guild* Quilt Show)

Where: 41000 Main St., Temecula

Contact: Maryruth Wilson

## Opportunities to support Quilt Show:

- **Auction Quilt donations** (make and donate quilts with quilter's share options- full donation or receive back 50% of the sale price). Contact Pat Jordan
- **Hand-made items** to sell at show boutique. (Same donation options as with auction)  
Contact: Lupe Barker or Janice Emmerson
- **Volunteer to help** in a variety of ways during the day of the **Quilt Show** on October 2<sup>nd</sup>.  
Contact Maryruth Wilson
- **Your quilts to hang** all over Old Town during the one-day **Quilt Show** on October 2<sup>nd</sup>.  
Quilts previously displayed are welcomed. Contact: Rita Dominguez
- **Small Quilts to hang** in stores during the **Quilt Walk** taking place Sept 18th through Oct. 2nd  
Contact: Sheryl Eramo
- **Artists Exhibition** Display in the **Grace Mellman Library** Sept 18<sup>th</sup> through October 2<sup>nd</sup>
- Participate in the **Fiber Arts Display and Demonstrations** program during the **Quilt Show**.  
Contact: Rita Dominguez
- **Participate in planning Quilt Show** – attend monthly **Quilt Show Committee meetings**.  
Contact: Maryruth Wilson

We really appreciate your support, help, and generous contributions.

Happy Quilting 🧵

The Quilt Show Committee



# Block of the Month

## Block of The Month 2021: Block #8

Our block this month is an improv-ish version of a pinwheel /spinner block. Don't feel constrained by the name, depending on how you assemble the sub-blocks, it will look more or less like a spinner. This is another four-patch block, so each sub-block is 6.5".

To get started, here are the fabrics you need: your focus fabric, a coordinating fabric based on the colors in the focus fabric, and two neutral color fabrics. Pick ones that contrast with each other. (Neutral colors include black, brown, grey, white, and shades or hues of these.) Remember, all our blocks end up 12.5" X 12.5" (a 12" finished block.)

Also, the Guild's website and Facebook page should have a post directing you to the YouTube instructions for this block.

### Cut list -- For one block – you decide fabric placement

Four strips of each fabric 5.25" long or one 21" of each color. The width of each strip can vary. You will pair up the four fabrics and the combined width of the two when sewn together needs to be 5.25" – or 5.75" before sewing with a 1/4" seam. Another option is to use 3" strips and trim to size after sewing.

### Assembling the block: Use a quarter inch seam

- As mentioned above, pair up for fabrics so you are making strip sets, combining the fabrics so you have two sets of the two fabrics. See photo 2. Press to the darker fabric and then trim to 5.25" squares. If you are using 21" strips, you should have just enough to get this.
- Lay all of these squares right sides up as shown in photo 3. Using a ruler or free cutting – make a diagonal cut in the same direction on all squares.
- Now for the fun. You need to decide the look that you like. If you want the sub-blocks to look more like pinwheels or spinners, use one stack of pieces as shown in photo 4 to make each sub-block. If you want more variety, try mixing up the pieces to get your look. Arrange each set of four pieces as in photo 5. Sew two adjacent pieces together then press the each half the same direction. Now sew the center seam of each sub-block and press. You should end up with four of these.
- Now arrange the sub-blocks as you like. Try different arrangements to get your favorite. After you decide your arrangement, double check to make sure each of the small squares is at least 6.5" square. Use a 6.5" square up ruler as shown in photo 6. Only trimming blocks that have irregular edges or are considerably larger than 6.5". Sew together horizontal rows. Press the seams in opposite directions. Nest the center seams and sew the final seam. Press.
- Now to square it up. Use your 12½" X 12½" square up ruler, place it over the block. Make sure there is fabric under all parts of the ruler and trim to 12½" X 12½". You can make it wonky or not, it is your decision what you like best.

We hope you enjoy this block – see you next month.

Adriane Ridder & Shelly McNeely

Block of the Month Coordinators



Photo 2

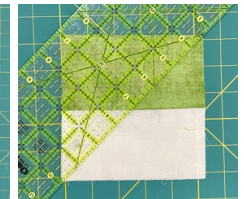


Photo 3



Photo 4



Photo 5



Photo 6

# Round Robin Mystery

## Round Robin Mystery 2021: Month #8

Everyone that is participating in the Round Robin this year – if you haven't already let me know -- please email me at [adrianeridder@gmail.com](mailto:adrianeridder@gmail.com) to let me know you will have a quilt to display with the Round Robin quilts at our quilt show in October. I need to reserve space for these quilts. Please give me the approximate dimensions of your finished quilt.

Instructions to date:

Month #1: Make a block as described in the January 2021 Block of the Month.

Month #2: Add fabric to only two sides of your round #1 block to make the block 16.75" square. This round must also incorporate something from nature, be creative or be minimal, it is up to you.

Month #3: Make two blocks following the instructions for the March 2021 Block of the Month. Cut these blocks in two diagonally so you have four triangles. Add the triangles to the four sides of your round robin block from February. This should give you a block approximately 24" square.

Month #4: Add a border to no more than two sides of your block. Incorporate triangles into this border in some manner. The final size of your quilt at the end of this round is approximately 24" X 34".

Month #5: Make the Block of the Month block for May 2021. This is a 4-square block – don't sew the four squares together. Use these four squares as cornerstones in the 6.5" border you add this month. The size of your quilt at the end of this round is approximately 36" X 46".

Month #6: Add a 10" border to all four sides. Incorporate curves in this border. The size of your quilt at the end of this round is approximately 55" X 65".

Month #7: Make at least two blocks following the instructions for the July 2021 Block of the Month. Incorporate these in the 12.5" border you are adding to all four sides. The size of your quilt at the end of this round is approximately 79" X 89".

**New instructions:** Finish your quilt as desired. You may add an additional border to make it the size you want. Quilt and bind the quilt. Finished quilts are due for display at the September general meeting.

If you are having trouble visualizing, we are doing a YouTube video each month where we are showing how we are implementing the instructions – but you can certainly do it differently.

Adriane Ridder & Shelly McNeely  
Round Robin Coordinators



# 2021 Old Town Temecula Quilt Show



## QUILT SHOW BOUTIQUE ITEMS NEEDED !!!!

The QUILT SHOW of OCTOBER 2<sup>nd</sup> this year will include a BOUTIQUE of items made to sell to benefit the Guild and charity. We would be delighted if all Guild members contribute at least one fabric or fiber related item such as a small quilt, wall hanging, table runner, sewing or kitchen accessories, decorations, etc. Of course, if you would like to make more or create multiple items, that would be terrific!

A QUILT SHOW BOUTIQUE Workshop will be held on September 14<sup>th</sup> at the Glenoaks Clubhouse (info will be available.) Please join us!!!

A BOUTIQUE CONTRIBUTION SHEET will be provided for you to itemize your donated items and designate whether you are requesting a rebate, if any, of 50% of the sale (less required CA tax) to cover your costs.

The DUE DATE for contribution of boutique items and the Boutique Contribution Sheet is **September 14<sup>th</sup>** as all items need to be inventoried and prepared for the sale ahead of time. Further information will be provided regarding collection of boutique items, If you have any questions, please contact the chairperson, Lupe Barker, or her assistant, Janice Emmerson.

PLEASE do what you can to make this a successful and fun Quilt Show. We thank you in advance for ALL your efforts.



## Quilt Run Success!

A big thank you to **Cindee Ferris** for suggesting we bring the opportunity quilt to her shop, **Between Stitches**, during the quilt run. I also want to thank **Laura Alvarado, Lupe Barker, Linda Bretton, Shirley Brown, Michelle Clark, Candice Dalton, Jan Dolan, Rita Dominguez, Carole Donahoe, Janice Emmerson, Laurie Gonzalez, Pat Jordan, Liz Lehner, Paula McGaugh, Carol Nanfito, Vanessa Prario, Kathy Silva, Maryruth Wilson, and Karen Wurfel** who sold tickets and cookbooks while also letting everyone know about the quilt show. Several of these members took multiple shifts over the two weeks of the quilt run. We sold lots of tickets and lots of cookbooks as well. Great work everyone! I will not bring the opportunity quilt to the August philanthropy sew-in meeting, but I will happily accept your money for tickets and take the ticket stubs. I will also bring the packets of opportunity quilt tickets for those of you who have not yet picked up your tickets.

**Gloria Bachmann**

## 2022 Quilt Retreat

**We're Having a Retreat**  
**3/25 to 3/27/2022**  
**22 spots available**  
**On a first come, first served basis**

Tawyna O'Herron has details and is taking deposits. Non-refundable (unless of course, we are shut down again) will be \$50. Be sure to check in at the August meeting to make sure you get a spot.



### August Birthdays

August 2	Jeanetter Stevens
August 5	Kathy Lund
August 6	Mary Ann O'Herron
August 11	Karen Underwood
August 12	Nancy Sandoval
August 14	Tawyna O'Herron
August 23	Shelley McNeeley
August 25	Sheri Eramo
August 25	Beverly Hansler
August 29	Suzie Spyrow



# 2021 Grace Mellman Rotunda Display



## 2021 Quilt Display In the Rotunda At the Grace Mellman Library

September 4, 2021 through October 1, 2021  
Artist Guidelines

If you are interested in having one of your quilts on display at the library this year, this is what we are looking for:

- Quilts no smaller than 16" x 20" and no larger than 20" x 30". **We need 9 quilts – 7 for the rotunda and 2 for managers' offices.**
- Hanging: Quilts must have a back panel/casing at top of quilt. It is best if the panel/casing is split with an opening in middle of the quilt. The quilt must hang straight off 1 hook on the wall; hooks cannot be changed.
- Digital photo of your quilt (email to [pdmcgaugh@hotmail.com](mailto:pdmcgaugh@hotmail.com)) along with the Quilt Biography. Paula will be happy to photograph your quilt. The Quilt Biography form is attached, or call Paula and she can complete this form for you. **Info due to Paula by 08/01/2021 as it is due to the library prior to 08/04/2021.**
- Quilt Biography: quilt's name, owner's name, what was your inspiration, pattern info, medium, hand or machine pieced by whom, hand or machine quilted by whom, size, the dollar value (whether it is for sale or not), and is it for sale or not. **See attached form** (email to [pdmcgaugh@hotmail.com](mailto:pdmcgaugh@hotmail.com)) **or call Paula and she will complete for you.**
- **Quilts due to Paula by 09/01/2021. Paula will pick up or you can give them to her at August meeting if we have one.**

If you have questions, please contact Paula McGaugh – phone 760-803-6920 or email [pdmcgaugh@hotmail.com](mailto:pdmcgaugh@hotmail.com)

**Places to Go, Things to See...**

# Fall into Quilts

**Beach Cities Quilters Guild Fundraiser  
Saturday, September 25, 2021**

**Doors Open 10 am to 3 pm  
Free Admission**

Live Quilt Auction at 1 pm  
Auction preview at [beachcitiesquiltersguild.org](http://beachcitiesquiltersguild.org)

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# Utah State - Ten Minute Runner Pattern

## TEN MINUTE TABLE RUNNER

By LaRae Bunnell Clark

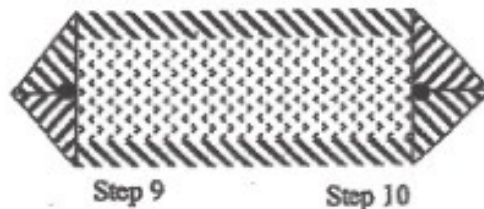
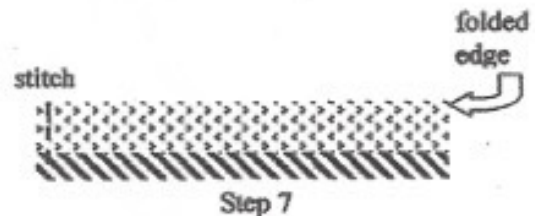
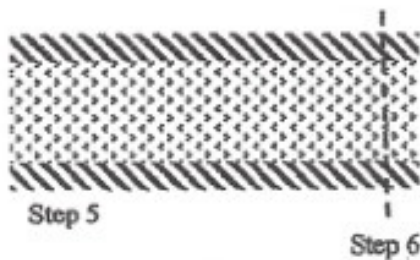
### Materials:

10-12 inches of "theme" print, width of fabric (wof)

18 inches of a coordinating print, width of fabric (wof)

### Instructions:

1. Cut fabric to size.
2. Place right sides together. Stitch long (crosswise grain) edges  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch seam
3. Press seam away from center fabric.
4. Turn. You now have a long tube.
5. Lay flat on ironing board and press so that the theme print is bordered evenly on long sides with the coordinating print.
6. Trim short ends even.
7. Fold fabric in half lengthwise with theme print out (coordinating print facing). Stitch  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch seam on both short ends.
8. Press seams open.
9. Turn seams inside to form a point; press.
10. Stitch a decorative button or yo yo at the edge of short seam to secure in place.



ENJOY OR SHARE WITH A FRIEND!

## 2021 Continuing Board Members

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>NAME</u>
<b><u>Elected Positions:</u></b>		
<b>PRESIDENT</b>	Shirley Brown	
1st VICE PRESIDENT	Tawnya O'Herron	
2nd VICE PRESIDENT	<b>OPEN</b>	
TREASURER	Maryruth Wilson	
SECRETARY	Michelle Clark	
WAYS and MEANS	<b>OPEN</b>	
<b><u>Appointed Positions:</u></b>		
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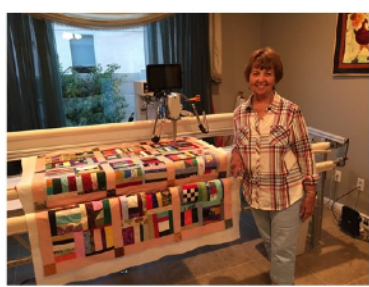
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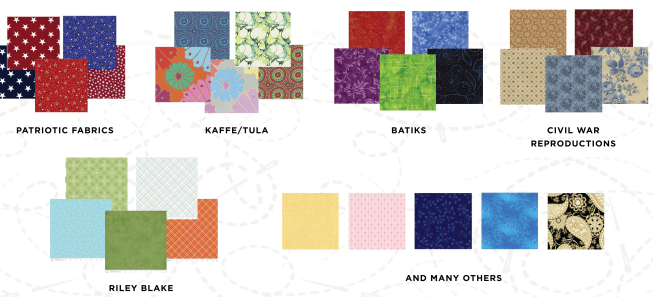
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Formed in 1990, Valley of the Mist Quilters Guild is a non-profit charitable, educational and social organization in the Temecula Valley. We promote the knowledge of, and appreciation for, all aspects of quilting and fiber arts with an active philanthropy program.

## Our Meeting Location



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hand side.

**Everyone  
Welcome!**