



Contemporary Quilt & Fiber Artists October Newsletter

Final CQFA Meeting of 2002:

Nov 2

Upcoming Meetings in 2003:

Jan 4

March 1

May 3

July 5

Sept 6

Nov 1

Saturdays at 9:30 am

Trinity Methodist Church,
Fellowship Hall
748 Mercy Street
Mountain View, CA



NOVEMBER 2ND MEETING

After a few announcements and our always phenomenal Show-and-Tell, we will have a presentation by **Julie Scribner**, the Marketing Director of P&B Textiles. Located in Burlingame, CA, P&B Textiles manufactures 100% cotton fabrics for the quilting industry and sells them worldwide. For a number of years, P&B has been commissioning quilt artists to design quilts with the company's latest line of fabrics. Julie will present a trunk show of the best of the company's collection, along with information about the creation of each quilt. She will include background on the business of creating fabric collections for quilting.

Julie is a past president of the San Francisco Quilter's Guild. She has been quilting since 1985.



CQFA President's Note

...from Debbie Wambaugh

Greetings on this fine fall day! This newsletter has been created by Jan Scardina. Thank you Jan, for becoming the CQFA newsletter editor. Also thank you to Julie Stiller for your years of service as Newsletter editor.

The dates for the **2003 CQFA Show** are set. It's hard to believe that this will be our **5th** show. Time flies! We can hang the show on Monday, Sept 29 and run through Nov 6, 2003. We will take the show down on Friday, Nov 7.

Our speaker for the November 2nd meeting is Julie Scribner. Julie will be showing us a collection of quilts commissioned by P&B Textiles. I am looking forward to seeing all of you and your creations at the next meeting.



Visit the ever-exciting CQFA website!

<http://www.cqfa.org>

...for meeting information, newsletter archives, special links and recent quilt and fiberworks from our outstanding members. All brought to you by our dedicated and talented web-mistress Karenina Grun-Louie, karenina@pacbell.net



Change of Newsletter Editors

...from the new editor, Jan Scardina

Thank you so much to **Julie Z. Stiller** for the beautiful job she's done as CQFA newsletter editor for the past 2 years (13 issues!). She introduced speedy e-mail delivery to many of us, bringing her colorful, entertaining newsletters to our computer screens. Julie is now serving as the "Show Opportunities" person, so she'll be a regular contributor to the newsletter content (please, Julie?)



And so I follow in Julie's footsteps as editor. There are several reasons why I offered to succeed her (I only hope it is to succeed!). First, Julie said the job was "relatively painless". Hmm, the jury's still out on that one. The learning curve is pretty steep the first month. Second, I always sit in the back of the room, marveling at the variety and quality of every-



one's work, getting filled with inspiration, but I sheepishly never bring anything to share. So this is my sheep pennance.

And third, over the past few years I have compiled some computer programs (Quark, Illustrator, Photoshop) that I need to play with. So I will be subjecting all of you (my version of "sharing") to my fumbling around on the computer.

Right about here is the paragraph where the newsletter editor, that's me, requests, begs and cajoles you, the readers, into joyfully and regularly contributing news items and commentary so that I have text to play with. As Julie has suggested in the past, this could include information



about a new or old store selling fabric or embellishments, new techniques, interesting websites, reviews of classes, book reviews, a summary of the last meeting's program...you get the idea. You know what you like to read.

My contact information is listed in the box below. When you send me an e-mail, please make sure the subject box has "CQFA" or some quilt reference so I don't delete it unopened with the daily offers I get for home refinancing, life insurance and Viagra. (As if quilters have time for that low priority kind of stuff).

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*Imagination
is more important than knowledge.*

ALBERT EINSTEIN



*What's Happening at
The San Jose Museum of
Quilts and Textiles*

Currently Exhibiting until Oct 27, 2002:
Quilts, Expressively Korean, a collection of contemporary art quilts made in Korea.

Coming Soon:

The San Jose Museum of Quilts & Textiles will hold its 9th Annual **Benefit Auction** on Saturday, November 9, 2002. The auction will be held at the Museum from 6:30-10:00 pm. Doors open at 6:30 pm, with closing of the first group of auction items at 7:30 pm.

Auction Preview: October 30 through November 9, 2002. Early silent bids will be accepted during the preview period.

Meet the Artists Preview Party: Friday, November 1, 2002 from 6-8 pm.

Admission is free on all preview days and to the preview party. Tickets to the Auction are \$15 in advance and for members; \$20 at the door for non-members.

For more information and to purchase tickets, contact the San Jose Museum of Quilts & Textiles, 110 Paseo de San Antonio, San Jose, CA 95112, 408-971-0323 extension 10. You can also visit the website at www.sjqiltmuseum.org.

The New CQFA/Quilt Museum Liaison is...

If *YOU* are interested in becoming the next liaison to the San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles, please notify Debbie Wambaugh! Our past representative, Marina Salumne, can tell you what is involved.

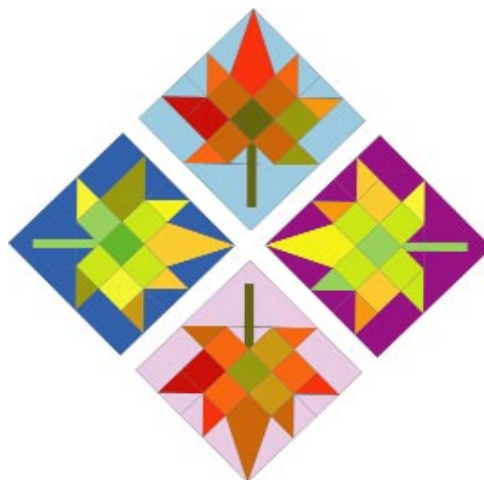


**Looking for Quilts That Tell an
Immigration Story...**

The Museum of Craft and Folk Art at Fort Mason in San Francisco is sponsoring a quilt exhibition Jan 15- April 27, 2003 tentatively entitled "Quilted Journeys: Immigration Stories by Australian Artists".

The In-House Director of the museum, Pamela Apple, is developing an educational program to accompany the exhibit. She is looking for Bay Area quilters who would like to show a quilt they have made which tells a story around the theme of immigration (resettlement, family memories, taking or borrowing objects/patterns/colors from the old place to the new, etc.)

If you have any ideas for Pamela, contact her on Tuesdays or Thursdays at the Museum of Craft and Folk Art, Fort Mason, Bldg A, San Francisco, CA, 94123 or at 415-775-0991 x110 or at pamela@mocfa.org.



2002 CQFA Officers/Helpful People

Got an idea? Want to help out? Have a burning question? Here's a list of people who are active in CQFA and might be able to help.

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Autumn River Song by Li Po

The moon shimmers in green water.
White herons fly through the moonlight.

The young man hears a girl gathering water-chestnuts:
into the night, singing, they paddle home together.



***Enjoy the beautiful changes of
this autumn season.***