



# Amador Rose

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## April Guest Speaker: Sonya Lee Barrington

Lecture: "Show and Tell"



Sonya Lee Barrington began using the medium of quilts as her means of expression in 1968. She has been in many solo and group exhibits, both juried and invitational. A sought after teacher and lecturer on her subject, her teaching has brought her to Australia and New Zealand as well as all parts of the United States.

She was juried in as a Master Member of Baulines Craft Guild in 1985. It is a California based non-profit association dedicated to the advancement of fine craft through education and the preservation of the craft legacy within contemporary culture.

Sonya Lee Barrington produced a line of hand-dyed and textured fabrics which she used in her work and now concentrates on very graphic bold patchwork using Silk Dupioni and a large body of both functional and decorative work which uses Repurposed/Recycled Wool.

### NEXT MEETING:

**Saturday April 8, 2017**

**1:30 pm – 4 pm**

**Pleasanton Middle School**

5001 Case Ave.

Pleasanton, CA

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### Don't Forget:

- **Your Name Tag!**
- **Quilts to share**

### Upcoming Speakers

- May – Quilting Technique Roundtable
- June - Linda Wagner

## President's Message – If You Build It, They Will Come

I always help set our guild's show up, because I *like* to do it. We have a completely new venue this time, but building our quilt show in empty, echoing, rooms, always reminds me of that Iowa cornfield that was transformed into a baseball diamond in the movie *The Field of Dreams*. "If you build it, they will come..." It's hard to believe, when you get there on Friday morning, that there will be a full-blown Quilt Show up before nightfall. But somehow it always works out, and they *will* come.

Think about why we go through the work to make our Quilt Show happen. In one way, it comes down to "fortune and glory" - we do it to earn money for the Guild and to show others what we can do with fiber and thread. In another way, it all comes back to the deep down reasons we make quilts in the first place. Somehow, whenever I make a quilt, it connects me with all the quilt makers, living or dead, who have influenced me. When I start to stitch, I can see the faces of my Mother and Grandmother, and feel back home again. I can hear the voices of quilting teachers in my head as I work and somehow, they live in my sewing room and guide my hands. I get the same kind of feeling as the frames go up and quilts are put upon them.

I'm almost certain the spirits of quilters, dead and gone, wander through the aisles the night before the show begins, just like those baseball heroes did in the cornfield. I can almost see them, fingering the fabrics in the vendor stalls, checking out the quilt backs and bindings, and inspecting labels. I can almost hear them say: "Well! In *my* day we *never* would have put pink and purple together!" or "Maisie, look at those tiny stitches!", "I *do* believe she painted on that quilt!", "My, my, where *did* she find that paisley print?, I've got to get me some of *that*!". I'm practically positive we could see and hear them if we tried.

So, we do it. We take our energy, our hearts and hands, our skills and time, and we put it all together in one great Show for all the quilters - past, present and future - to enjoy. It is a celebration of our craft, our growth as artists and caring human beings. It is a celebration of our diversity - one great big charm quilt of all the interwoven, vibrant colors of the personalities that make up our guild. It is a celebration of the loving hands in hard times, the continuance of the thread. We made the quilts and built our Show, and - good Lord willing and the creek don't rise - they *will* come...especially since wine is involved. Make sure you are part of it all, the building and the sharing, the work and the glory, the idea and the reality. We are the quilters. We are the piecers of dreams.

~ Linda Schmidt, AVQ President



## Workshops: 2017-2018 New Skills and Ideas

**Workshops are now accepting credit cards.** AVQ workshops are focused on learning new skills – or understanding something better or in a new way. Each workshop teaches a technique or a set of skills that you can use in any project you want to create... Please sign up at least a month prior to the Workshop to ensure the required enrollment and that you have a spot in the classroom. Check out our teachers online to learn more about their classes and their art at: [www.amadorvalleyquilters.org/speakers](http://www.amadorvalleyquilters.org/speakers) .

### June 11, 2017 Linda Wagner "Widgets and Gadgets"



#### Techniques, techniques and even more techniques.

Make a small quilt or stretch and put everything you learn from this technique class and make a quilt your favorite size. Some of the techniques: Triangle in a square, four-at-a-time Flying Geese, triangles from strips the size you would cut squares or rectangles. Multiple methods for all techniques. Lots of demos, tips and gadgets to give you options when you quilt. **\$5 Notebook fee.** [Check website for supply list.](#)



### July 9, 2017 Mel Beach "Intriguing Interleave Quilts"

You will unlock the fun and intrigue of Interleave quilts. This workshop will reveal all the secrets behind creating the illusion of curves and transparency. Best of all, these Interleaves are assembled using a "quilt-as-you-go" technique, so your unique Interleave quilt will be pieced and quilted at the same time. [Check website for supply list.](#)



### August 13, 2017 Ashley Nickels "Basics of Modern Machine Quilting"

In this class, you will learn basic machine quilting techniques and gain insight into creating a modern composition on your quilts. This would be a great class to learn new techniques and try them out on a Community Quilt. It's a win-win. CQ get a completed quilt and you get to practice your quilting. Give it a try.

[Check website for supply list.](#)

**To sign up:** Stop by the workshop table at a meeting, or contact Jeanne Brophy, the Workshop Chair.

All classes are **only \$50** – a bargain for these unique classes. **We are now accepting credit cards. There is a small fee for transaction.**

Your spot is guaranteed with your payment. **Workshops are held at the Livermore Library, at [1188 S. Livermore Ave. Livermore, CA](http://1188SLivermoreAveLivermoreCA).** The workshop meets in the community room on far right corner of the front of the library next to the cafe. Setup is at 9:30am, class starts promptly at 10am - 4pm.

## Block of the Month

For the April Block of the Month, we have a charming apple block. Stop by the BOM table & pick up fabric & block instructions for one block for \$1.50. Return your finished block in May for a chance to win enough apple blocks to make your own small size quilt!

~ Marion Leach, BOM for April





## AVQ Quilt Show 2017 *Colors of the Vineyard* 22 days and counting!!!

Follow the AVQ Quilt Show 2017 event on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#)

**WHEN:** Saturday, April 22nd 2017 and Sunday April 23rd 2017

**WHERE:** Robert Livermore Community Center, 4444 East Avenue, Livermore CA

### QUILT SHOW UPDATE

Ladies – thank you so much for all your quilt entries. We will have over **400 quilts** displayed at the show. You need to have your quilt completed no later than April 19<sup>th</sup>. 124 members (45%) entered quilts. If you did not enter a quilt, please be sure to visit the show or volunteer. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or ideas.

**PUBLICITY** No matter how wonderful our show is, if no one comes it will not be a success. The challenge quilts are in the wineries until April 9<sup>th</sup>. If you are in Livermore, drive under the North Livermore Avenue overpass to see our banner!! On April 3<sup>rd</sup> we will send you a special eblast with the show information that you can use to email your friends and family.

### WE STILL NEED VOLUNTEERS!

We will have signup sheets at the April guild meeting or you can contact Barbara Goldhammer & Barbara Adams. It is never too late. Where is the need?

- Friday set up 8:00 to 12 noon or 1:00 to 5:00 please contact Charlotte McConkie
- Saturday and Sunday please contact Barbara Goldhammer.
- Sunday Take Down 3:30 to 6:00 please contact Di Lovitt
- Sunday Quilt Return 3:45 to 6:15 please contact Kim Jagger or Kathy Proctor

**QUILT RECEIVING** – Members are to drop off their quilts from April 15<sup>th</sup> to April 19<sup>th</sup> at one of the receivers listed below. Please call ahead to confirm they are open & receiving. Your quilt must have a 4" sleeve and the quilt identification label attached to the lower left back of the quilt. The other half of the label is your receipt. The quilt receiver will sign your receipt and return it to you. You will need to present your receipt(s) on Sunday for quilt return.

**DELIVERY of Raffle Baskets, Marketplace items for sale, and Décor and Props** to the Robert Livermore Community Center will be Friday, April 21 between 12 noon and 1:00 pm.

**QUILT RETURN** will be Sunday April 23<sup>rd</sup> from 5:15 to 6:00 pm. Only volunteer workers will be allowed in the building between 4:00 and 5:15 pm. Make sure you have your receipt. If someone else is picking up your quilt, make sure they have your receipt. If someone other than a guild member is picking up your quilt, they will be asked for ID and phone and will sign off on the receipt. We will not be rushing this process to ensure that all quilts are accounted for and get to their correct owners.

**Guest Passes** will be available at the April guild meeting. When you pick up your quilts on Sunday evening, you will be asked to pay for any of your guests who attended the show. **Discount Tickets for Volunteers** will be available at the April guild meeting for \$5. Then you won't need to wait in line at the show. Also, all volunteers with wristbands will be given coupons for free wine tasting.

**Quilt Show Raffle Baskets** Each friendship group should be working with Jodell Banovich and Susan Benson. Send them the list of your basket contents so they are prepared to display your items. Raffle baskets should be delivered to RL Community Center **Cresta Blanca Ballroom** on Friday, April 21 between noon & 1:00 pm.

**Quilt Show Marketplace** will be accepting credit cards for the first time. If you are selling items in the Marketplace you must deliver them to the RLCC between 12 noon and 1:00 pm at the **double gym**. If you have any further questions, please contact Beth Taylor.

**QUILT RECEIVERS 2017 (call Sandi Fisher for general questions)**

Name	Address	City	Phone	April 15 to 19
Carole Annas		Castro Valley		MTW 10-3, 6-9
Caroline Earhart		Castro Valley		Sun 1-4,M 10-8,T 4-8,W12-8
Virginia Standley		Danville		M2-5,T4-8,W10-12 & 4-6
Gretchen Crozier		Fremont		MTW 10-9
Barbara Goldhammer		Hayward		TW 9-4,6:30-8
Wendy Henderson		Livermore		MTW 1-8
Maya Madhaven		Livermore		TWTH 9-3, 5-7
Lorraine Magee		Livermore		MT 10-7, W 4-7
Caroline Ramsey		Livermore		M 10-2,T 2-6
Jeanne Brophy		Pleasanton		SaSuMW 9-6
Chris Sagan		Pleasanton		SuMTW12-7
Maureen Zimmerman		Pleasanton		M&W9-10:30am, 4-6;T4-6
Maureen Hall		San Leandro		MTW 10-8
Colette Lenoir		Tracy		SaSu 12-6,MTW call for hours

~ Pam Campion, AVQ Quilt Show 2017 Chair

**Quilt Return**

Would you like a speedy Quilt Return after the show?

We would too! We could use a few more people to help with that process. It is a 2 and one-half hour commitment on Sunday afternoon 3:45 – 6:15 (or sooner). You will be putting out the quilt bags for take-down, picking up the quilts after they are down, bringing them to the return tables and pulling from the tables to give to the exhibitors. We will get rolling wagons and other devices to aid in this process.

We look forward to hearing from you.

~ Co-chairs: Kim Jagger and Kathy Proctor

**Community Quilts**

At the March AVQ meeting, members donated 78 quilts! This number includes 31 adult/teen quilts and 12 baby quilts. Thank you for this great effort!

**QUILT KITS AVAILABLE**

Please stop by the Community Quilts table to pick up a kit to quilt. Our kits include a quilt top, batting, backing, fabric for the binding and a label. The kits vary in size from baby to adult and the dimensions of the quilt are shown on the front of the kit so you know what you are taking. There is no deadline for returning the completed project. Also, if you take a kit and want to leave the binding to someone else, just return it after quilting and the committee will pass it along for binding. These kits have been very popular and are a good opportunity to practice your machine or longarm quilting.

**NEW COMMUNITY QUILTS CHAIR**

The current Community Quilts chairs will finish their terms soon and a new chairperson is needed. This position can be shared as it has been this past year. This very rewarding position has so much support from our AVQ members. The position of Community Quilts chair receives the donated quilts at the monthly meetings. The donated quilts are then passed on to the members who sort, catalog, photograph and store the quilts. The CQ chair also orders batting



and other supplies, coordinates the three quilt distributions during the year and deals with numerous questions that arise during the term. Please consider volunteering for this position.

Just a reminder, if you plan to make a quilt for community quilts, the guild will provide you batting. Please contact one of our members listed below to make arrangements to get the batting you need.

Pat Hove - Castro Valley

Audrey Hutchinson - Dublin

Linda Ballou - Livermore

Judy Peterson - Pleasanton

Diane Escobar - Pleasanton

~ Nancy Moscardini, Donna Merritt and Coleen Kafoure, Community Quilts Co-Chairs

## Quilts of Valor

On March 2, 2017 we were invited to the AMVETS Hayward Post 911 meeting at the Veterans Memorial Hall in Hayward to present a Quilt of Valor to their Commander **Michael L Emerson**. Michael is a member of several Veterans groups and served in the Marines Corp Infantry in Desert Storm. He was hoping for a King size quilt and we were able to give him a 92" X 102" Quilt of Valor. The AMVETS presented us with a Certificate of Appreciation and Recognition.



On March 15, 2017 we were invited to my American Legion Post 837 located in Niles (Fremont) for their annual St Patrick's dinner to honor three Veterans with Quilts of Valor (photo below).

**Vincent D. Martinez** served in the US Marines Corps as Private First Class in 1970 during the Vietnam War. He was severely injured during basic training and was given an Honorable Discharge. Vincent was awarded the National Defense Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. He is an active member in Post 837 for the past 5 years. Vincent's QOV was made by Sydney Allison.

**Edgar M Jamelo** served in the US Army from 1965-1967 during the Vietnam War. Edgar was deployed to Vietnam from 1966-1967 where he was based at Long Bin and commuted to his station at MACV in Saigon. His MOS is 76C20 clerk. Edgar was stationed at Fort Lewis and Huntsville. He has been an active member of Post 837 for 5 years. Edgar's QOV was made by Audrey Hutchinson.

**John J Hageman Jr.** served in the US Army from 1974-1977 during the Vietnam War. John served in the Corps of Engineers as Combat Engineer. He was stationed at Fort Lewis for three years and was deployed to Alaska and Oregon. He has been a member of Post 837 for 20 years and is a Past Adjutant. John's QOV was made by Gretchen Crozier.

We are planning for presentations at our Quilt Show and the Alameda County Fair.

Come join us at our lovely home every Monday at the Veterans Memorial Hall located at 522 S L St. corner of 5th in Livermore. We are sponsored by VFW Post 7265 a great bunch of Veterans who have volunteered to help with our Quilt Show April 22-23.



~Bonnie Schwegerl, QOV & Rookie Quilt Program Chair



## **Executive Nominees for 2017-2018 AVQ Board of Directors**

It's that time of year again to elect new officers to the AVQ Board of Directors. Following are the biographies of the nominated executives for next year's board. Members will vote for the new board at our monthly AVQ meeting.

### **Lani Longshore, President**

I have been a member of AVQ for many years. I have not served on the board recently, but since the guild works best with many volunteers I am returning to service. My first position on the board was Workshop Chair, which I took the year I joined. I have also served as Newsletter Chair, Quilt Show Co-Chair, Secretary and President. In addition, I have taught the AVQ-sponsored quilt classes at FCI, and am currently the contact person for two friendship groups. I look forward to an exciting and productive year.

### **Carole Annas, Co-Vice President**

I am addicted to quilting! After my husband died in 2001, I was looking for something to do in the evenings. A friend suggested Kathy Hunnicutt's class and so my love affair with quilting started. After attending an AVQ quilt show I joined the guild. I've met some wonderful women and have been given the opportunity to help with PIQF, BOM, Quilt Shows, and Community Quilts. I started a quilt group at my church and we put on a Quilt Show and High Tea every other year. The next one will be in 2018. We also make liturgical banners. I think what I love most about quilting is that there is always something new: a pattern, tool, technique, and of course fabric. I look forward to helping serve the guild next year as Co-Vice President.

### **Karen Loughrige, Co-Vice President**

I've been an AVQ member since 2003. I became hooked on making quilts after receiving guidance from the women at the Castro Valley United Methodist Church. I was inspired to learn more about quilting and became a member of AVQ that year. I went on a Mystery trip with the guild, traveled to Road to California, and enjoyed the opportunity to see other quilt shops and shows. I served on the Travel committee from 2007 to 2016. I enjoyed traveling to the different quilt shops in California and the Reno area of Nevada, and making it a pleasant experience for those traveling with the guild. Currently I serve on the quilt show committee helping with set up and take down. I have contributed to Community Quilts, Quilts of Valor, taken classes offered by our guest speakers and enjoyed making the blocks of the month. I was Chairperson for the past two Castro Valley United Methodist Church Quilt Show. Our group shares our enjoyment of quilting each year by getting together with a group of women from Washington during the summer for fun and quilting.

I am looking forward to serving as AVQ Co-Vice President and becoming acquainted with more members of the guild who share the idea of maintaining such a productive quilting guild.

### **Patricia (Pat) Elam - Secretary**

I joined AVQ right after retiring from Glen Raven Mills as Credit/Collection Specialist for the West Coast. I have been an avid volunteer my whole life, working extensively with the Cub & Boy Scouts, PTA President, Band Parent President, Moose Senior Regent, all while working. Quilting became a great way to get on with my new retired life. The Guild has opened my life to friendships and creative people who willingly share their craft with me and others. I enjoy working with the Community Quilt Committee, and also worked on the Silent Auction last year, so getting more involved will be a great adventure for me.

What is so great about our guild is the dedication and service to others that we see at every meeting, such as the many beautiful quilts that are lovingly made with such expertise and then given away to Community Quilts or Quilts of Valor. The guild's outreach programs, such as the Women's Prison Sewing Group, Budding Beginners, Quilting in the Garden, etc., are an amazing way to get others involved and to keep quilting a growing art. Thank you for the opportunity to serve the AVQ Guild.



### Becky Callahan, Treasurer

I am very honored to be considered for the AVQ board position of Treasurer. I have been a member of AVQ for 2 years. When I attended my first meeting I was not sure what to expect, but was impressed with how friendly and welcoming everyone was and immediately knew I had joined the right group. Over the past 2 years I have enjoyed becoming a part of this wonderful organization and I am having fun being the Display Blocks chair. I'm fairly new to quilting and absolutely love it. I just wish there were more hours in a day... I work full time as a Technical Writer at PG&E, so don't have as much time to quilt as I wish, but take every opportunity and spend as much time as I can. I have enjoyed participating in the Sew Day in February for Quilts of Valor the past two years and volunteering at the last quilt show. As a new member in an organization I always look for ways to become involved, which is a great way to meet people and form new friendships. I look forward to serving the guild as your Treasurer and will do a great job!

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### Volunteers Needed for Board Committee Chairs

Please volunteer for a board position! We have several people now on the board who can no longer fulfill their board positions because they have already served two terms in that position. We have received volunteer forms for several positions, so many thanks! They will all be considered by our new President, who will pick the best board she possibly can. We have volunteers for the Officers, but are in dire need of volunteers for the following positions:

- Block of the Month
- Budding Beginners
- Community Quilts
- Newsletter
- Opportunity Quilt 2018
- Program 1
- Travel
- Welcoming

Descriptions of all of these positions are on our website:

<http://www.amadorvalleyquilters.org/member-info/volunteer-opportunities/>. We need YOU!

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### Membership

AVQ now numbers **276 quilters**. Attendance at our February meeting was **145** members, which includes **5** new members. Counting **2** guests this number is **152**. We have **27 members** with **perfect attendance** at all meetings September through March (excludes December). Please welcome new members Carlen Colgett, Laura Jackson, Gloria Lotten, Julie Passanisi, and Sara Rubin.

If you have yet to pick up your badge or directory, you may ask that it be mailed. Send request to Membership Chair, Diane Chambers at 1583 Cross Creek Place, Livermore, CA 94550 (\$1.50 for directory with badge postage, SASE for badge only)

Be sure to check the **errata and addenda printouts** posted at the membership table. They contain the contact information for new members and members who renewed after the printing deadline for the directory. March shows the addition of new members. Please update your directory accordingly. To save trees and costs, AVQ does not print copies of these sheets to distribute but you are welcome to snap a cell phone picture of them for your records and save yourself a bit of hand-cramping writing.

#### Directory Addenda for March

Carlen Colgett  
Laura Jackson  
Gloria Lotten

Julie Passanisi  
Sara Rubin  
Dorothy Maddox

~ Diane Chambers – Membership Chair

**AVQ Board Members** June 2016-May 2017

ROLE	NAME
President	Linda Schmidt
Vice President	Joanne Lenigan
Secretary	Colette Lenoir
Treasurer	Donna Fay Bower
Block of the Month	Vanessa Germain
Community Quilts (Co-Chairs)	Nancy Moscardini Coleen Kafoure Donna Merritt
Display Blocks	Becky Callahan
Historian	Barbara Grimes
Hospitality	Inta Faulk
Library (Co-Chairs)	Barbara Adams Barbara Goldhammer
Membership	Diane Chambers
Newsletter	Chris Sagan
Opportunity Quilt 2017 Opportunity Quilt 2017 Marketing	Shari Wentz & Wendy Henderson Jan Steinhoff
Parliamentarian	Helen Rydbeck
Program 1 (Co-Chairs)	Audrey Hutchinson, Terry Kalashian, Charlotte McConkie
Program 2	Kathie Wilson
Publicity	Joanne Lenigan
Quilt Show 2017	Pam Campion
Quilts Of Valor & Rookie Quilts	Bonnie Schwegerl
Travel	Marion Kremer
Webmasters	Kim Jagger Rebecca Robb
Welcoming	Judy Spruitt
Workshops	Jeanne Brophy

**AVQ Committee Members**

ROLE	NAME
Budding Beginners	Becky Callahan
Quilt Show 2017 Challenge	Terry Kalashian & Dorothy Maddox
Ways and Means	Sandi Fisher

**AVQ Web Links**AVQ's website: [www.amadorvalleyquilters.org](http://www.amadorvalleyquilters.org)Facebook page for guild members: [Amador Valley Quilters](#)To look at the library's book list sorted by title, author, or subject, visit: [AVQ Library List](#)



## April 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<b>1</b>
<b>2</b> 1pm Quilt Show Committee Mtg (Round Table Pizza, Pleasanton)	<b>3</b> 10:30am- 4:00pm Quiltinators & QOV (Livermore VFW)	<b>4</b> 10am Challenge	<b>5</b> 10am-3pm Quiltinators (Dublin Library)	<b>6</b> 10am Cut-ups 7:30pm Progressives	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> <b>1:30 pm</b> <b>AVQ Meeting</b>
<b>9</b> <b>10am</b> <b>AVQ Workshop</b>	<b>10</b> 10:30am- 4:00pm QOV (Livermore VFW) <b>6:30pm AVQ</b> <b>Board Mtg</b>	<b>11</b> 10am Over the Hill	<b>12</b> 6:30pm Valley Girls	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>16</b> 12pm QOV	<b>17</b> 10:30am- 4:00pm Quiltinators & QOV (Livermore VFW)	<b>18</b> 10am BYOC	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> 10am Out-of- the Boxers  10am Scrap Happy Traders  <b>Newsletter</b> <b>Deadline</b>	<b>21</b> 10am Sew'n'Sews	<b>22</b> <b>AVQ QUILT</b> <b>SHOW</b> <b>(Livermore)</b>
<b>23</b> <b>AVQ QUILT</b> <b>SHOW</b> <b>(Livermore)</b>	<b>24</b> 10:30am- 4:00pm QOV (Livermore VFW)	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> 10am – 2pm Handmaidens 1:30pm Technigals 6:30pm Modern Quilt Group	<b>27</b> 10am Livermore Flying Geese  6:30pm Bag People	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>

QOV = Quilts of Valor

Livermore VFW = Veterans Memorial Building, 522 South L St, Livermore, CA 94550

Dublin Library - Community Room, 200 Civic Plaza. Dublin, Ca 94568

For more information on the FRIENDSHIP GROUPS listed above, click here: [AVQ Calendar online.](#)**Quilt Shows and Activities in the Area & Beyond****March 9 to April 15, 2017****“On the Fringe” by SAQA**Harrington Gallery, Firehouse Arts Center  
4444 Railroad Ave. Pleasanton, CA

Wednesday-Friday 12-5pm, Saturday 11am-3pm

<http://www.firehousearts.org/gallery/current-exhibits/>

A showcase of exciting art quilts by artists from the Northern California/Northern Nevada Region. Diverse materials and a variety of surface design techniques, such as photography, painting, dyeing, stitch resist, screen printing and more are employed in creative and innovative ways.

**April 1 10am-5pm, and April 2 10am-4pm**  
**“Kaleidoscope of Butterflies”**The Guild of Quilters of Contra Costa County  
[www.gqccc.org](http://www.gqccc.org)

Centre Concord, 5298 Clayton Rd, Concord, CA

General Admission \$10 for both days,

Youth 6-17 \$5, Under 6 Free

Come see this year's beautiful collection of quilts by talented local quilters from Clayton, Concord, Walnut Creek, Pleasant Hill, Martinez, Lafayette, Brentwood, and Alamo.

The world acclaimed Nancy S. Brown is this year's Featured Artist who will have a booth and also be doing demonstrations.



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### *Please Patronize our Affiliates*

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