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CRAZY QUILTERS GUILD NEWSLETTER – October 2023

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**Next Meeting:** Wednesday October 11<sup>th</sup>, 1:00pm

**Remember our guild will be meeting in Clubhouse 7**



*From the President*

Hello C Q members:

Hi everyone, another month gone by and we are near the end of the year, thanks everyone for taking care of the club while I was gone, take care.

If you have any questions or even complains, do not hesitate to contact me. Ximena

**PROGRAMS – David Cavanaugh**

**Sue Bouchard**   
 Quilting Without Reservations

Our speaker's information is at <https://quilt-tribe.com/about-sue>

**We will be having officer elections at this meeting.**



Patty Chiu 10/4

Babs Schwartz 10/4

Cathy Baumberger 10/9

Mary Castillo 10/28

## Road to California

Road to California is one of the largest quilt shows in the country. We are offering a bus trip that will cost \$60. We will be going to the show on Thursday, January 18<sup>th</sup> leaving from gate 3 at 9:15 a.m. This price includes the entry ticket for the show (which is for multiple days and normally costs \$14.50), water, snacks, and the bus trip. Be sure to reserve a seat on the bus as tickets will start to be sold at the guild meeting this Wednesday. Remember payment is necessary with your reservation. You may also mail your reservation and payment to: Linda Nelson 860 Ronda Mendoza Unit N Laguna Woods CA 92637 The deadline for your reservation and payment is December 22<sup>nd</sup>. Guests are welcome. Note: no refunds will be issued unless the trip is cancelled.

## PHILANTHROPY – Donna Karaback BONANZA

**ARE YOU PLANNING A TRIP TO MAUI?** If so, the Crazy Quilters Guild would love to send a box of our handmade quilts with you for Maui fire victims. Please contact [Dkarbach2000@gmail.com](mailto:Dkarbach2000@gmail.com) to make arrangements. Hoffman Fabrics in Mission Viejo gifted the guild some beautiful batik fabrics for this project. If you would like to make a quilt, precut kits are available in the Quilt Room in Clubhouse 4.

We are also busy preparing for the BONANZA Clubhouse 4 Artists and Crafters Sale November 4-5. In addition to many one-of-a-kind quilts for all occasions, we will have bags, bowl cozies, and many other items. This year, in addition to opportunity, quilts, we will have several themed raffle baskets chock full of fun items. We have an Italian Food Basket, Picnic Basket, and Cat Basket.

If you have an idea for a basket, please email [dkarbach2000@gmail.com](mailto:dkarbach2000@gmail.com).

### Hi Ladies,

I'm looking for some photos to print and include in a quilt for Road2CA about our firefighter quilt project. Please send me any you have if it's ok for me to use. Also, if you know of anyone else who has photos, please ask them to email to me.

;- Donna

## **EDUCATIONAL TIDBIT – Mona Bonbright**

**October 2023**

### **How to store strips after you cut them**

When I am sewing a quilt top, there always seems to be lots of long strips involved. In addition to using jelly roll strips, I must cut border strips, sashing strips, and binding strips. After cutting or unfurling a jelly roll, I like to press strips before using them in the quilt. Once strips are pressed, if I am not ready to sew them into the quilt, where can I put those strips until I am ready? I used to lay them across the sofa or hang them on clothes hangers or drape them across my lights by the sewing machine. These options really did not work well to keep the strips out of the way until I was ready to sew them into the quilt and most times, they got wrinkled again and I had to re-press them.



See the full tidbit on the Crazy Quilters website.

## Upcoming Events



**Kathryn Pellman Workshop**  
 Wednesday, October 11, 2023  
 10 am – 4pm (1 hour break for lunch)  
 \$50 plus \$8 for workshop handout



**Fabric, Yarn, etc. SALE**  
 Saturday, October 21, 2023 from  
 10:00am to 2:00pm.  
 23222 Elm Avenue  
 Torrance, CA. (Marble Estates)  
 (rain cancels)  
 All Fabric is just \$4.00 per pound!

Fallbrook Quilt Guild  
 presents  
**Quilted Treasures**

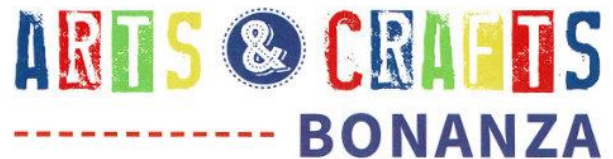
November  
 3-4, 2023

Admission  
 Adults \$10  
 Children 3-12 \$3  
 No strollers  
 Handicap accessible

SonRise Christian  
 Fellowship  
 463 S. Stage Coach Ln  
 Fallbrook, California  
 Free parking

Country Store  
 Auction daily at 12:30 p.m.  
 Demonstrations - Opportunity Quilt  
 Food and Beverages  
 Many quilts on display!

Website: [www.fallbrookquiltguild.com](http://www.fallbrookquiltguild.com)



**Laguna Woods Village  
 Bonanza 2023**  
 Saturday Nov 4th 9:00am - 4:00pm  
 Sunday Nov 5th 10:00am - 3:00pm  
 Clubhouse 4 - Free

**Crazy Quilters Guild Website** ([crazyquiltersguild.org](http://crazyquiltersguild.org)):

Look at our guild website for information about guild meetings, our membership roster, and other pertinent quilt information. If you have pictures or information for the website please send them to me. [LindaNelson@comcast.net](mailto:LindaNelson@comcast.net)

Haven't ever signed into the website? Just click the Sign In button (in the heading) and follow the instructions to get a user code and password.