



Seaside View

March 3, Meeting at
Pacific Beach Presbyterian Church
1675 Garnet, Pacific Beach



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Many of us belong to multiple sewing/quilting groups. I don't see them as competing pulls on our time, rather as different ways to encourage, stimulate and share our creative gifts. For me, Seaside was my first group. It introduced me to many aspects of quilting, with an emphasis on piecing and donating (to Linus). The next group I became involved with was Refugee Net at St. Lukes Church. We are a relatively new group with no budget, but a permanent home in the basement of the church. Our emphasis is on teaching refugees how to quilt/sew and then give them a sewing machine and enough fabric and notions to expand on their skills at home. All our machines and fabric have been donated by others, many from Seaside! The third group I became involved in was a quilting group formed by the recreation department in Coronado. I only attend 1-2 meetings a year because it conflicts with my sail racing schedule, but they have a lovely relationship with our local hospital and gift shop. The newest group I joined last year was the Long arm quilters club at Cozy's. We share techniques and tips on how to use our long arm machines and our Prostitcher software. We spend more time looking at the back of our quilts than the front. The best news is that I can make one quilt and share it multiple times with these groups. Now that's like having a layer cake and eating it too!

Thanks,
Sue

MARCH 3 MEETING

JEAN IMPEY



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We are lucky to have one of our favorite speakers returning, Jean Impey. She will present one of her favorite programs, *Creativity! Has Someone Stolen Yours?* This lecture is packed with motivation and confidence-building tools—along with the latest quilting technologies to help make your work faster and more successful. Whether you're a traditional quilter or curious about art quilting, you'll come away inspired and ready to try new things. You'll want to take notes—you'll be surprised how much you learn! And if you've ever said, "I can't draw," I'll help you move past that with confidence and freedom.



MARCH 3 WORKSHOP

JEAN IMPEY

March 7, 2026

Jean will be conducting her famed *Magic Fabulous Faces – Freddy Style* workshop for six fun hours. This workshop grew out of her collaboration with the legendary Freddy Moran. Using glue sticks and fabric collage, students will create up to three playful portrait blocks. She will demonstrate her two signature quilting techniques: “pencil quilting” and “sketchy quilting,” which give these faces their finished charm. No sewing is required during class—it’s all about the design and composition. Great for all skill levels! Workshop is 9:45 – 3:00 at Rosie’s Calico Cupboard. Bring your lunch or enjoy the Mexican restaurant next door. Members: \$60.00 Nonmembers: 70.00

<https://seasidequiltersguild.com/product/fabulous-faces-workshop-saturday-march-7-2026/>



SEASIDE PROGRAMS 2025-2026

**JANICE FAULSTICH AND SALLY STOVALL
ARE OUR PROGRAM LEADERS**

DATE	SPEAKER	PROGRAM
MARCH 3	Jean Impey	“Creativity! Has Someone Stolen Yours?”
MARCH 7	Jean Impey Workshop	“Magic Fabulous Faces
APRIL 7	Fellow members teach	
MAY 5	Stephanie Dotson	Non-profit creative place
JUNE 2		Potluck and Challenge Reveal



We all enjoyed our February speaker JACQUI PALHEGYI. She shared what it is like to be an independent fabric store owner. Jacquie brought some products she sells and mentioned some of the classes taught in her shop. Her store Fringe Fabrics is located at 3457 El Cajon Blvd. here in San Diego. The shop also does online business at fringefabrics.com.



VICE PRESIDENTS NEWS

It is that time of year for the Nominating Committee to be reaching out to fill open positions on the board for 2026-2028. The slate will be presented at the April meeting with voting on nominees at the May meeting.

Please consider taking this opportunity to assist in the activities and growth of the Guild.

Nominating Committee: Jo Vroman, Deb Zeller and Julie Hasl

Open Positions:

- President
- Vice President
- Membership
- Programs 2027-2028

NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN



BIRTHDAYS/ DOOR PRIZES



HAPPY BIRTHDAY MARCH BABIES

The following members are celebrating their birthday in MARCH!

SOPHIA GOMEZ	3/12
BIRGIT LIMMER	3/15
DEBBY MCCARTER	3/13
VIVIAN SIMON	3/16
PATT SEITAS	3/26

JUSTIN BIEBER	3/1
JON BON JOVI	3/2
LADY GAGA	3/28
CELINE DION	3/30



LET HELEN KNOW IF YOUR BIRTHDAY IS MISSED.

MARCH BABIES

Please bring a little something to share for door prizes: Candy, cookies, flowers, Quilty stuff. Anything that you would love to open as a door surprise.

March-babies are known for their creativity. The promise of spring inspires their imaginative minds, often leading them to excel in creative fields such as quilting, art, music, writing and innovation.



UFO CLUB

SEASIDE QUILT GUILD UFO CLUB

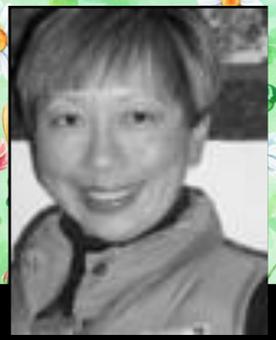
1. Judy Uyemura
2. Sue Steven
3. Sally Stovall
4. Jo Vroman
5. Julie Hasl
6. Rebecca Johnson
7. Linda Tarke
8. Lois Heath
9. Phyllis Drewett
10. Susan Richmond
11. Joyce McCarthy
12. Cindy Feagle
13. Mary Anderson
14. Janice Faulstich
15. Karen Zappone
16. Ginny Pence
17. Gaye Larson
18. Sally Parrish
19. Despo Stevens
20. Chris Bernet
21. Dian Carmichael
22. Linda Duggan
23. Deborah Lancaster
24. Andrea Mau
25. Mary Woo
26. Cynthia Lyons-Dailard
27. Teresa Keane
28. Sue Tursi

Hi Everyone!

Last month we had two new signups for UFO Club: Teresa Keane (who just joined Seaside) and Sue Tursi. Our roster is now 28 members!

Congratulations to the following Club members who completed UFO's last month: Lois (who won the Rosie's \$20 gift certificate), Chris (3), Gaye (2), Julie, Linda, Cindy (2 and won granola) and last but not least Teresa who just joined UFO Club and won granola (2).

All your tickets were added to the Mega UFO drawing bin for June, so you get another chance to win!

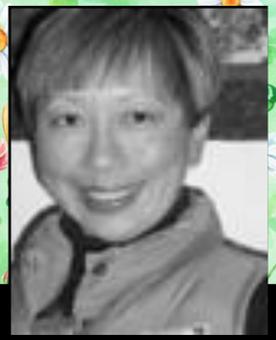


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It's always a bit of a challenge to find time to work on UFO's. I know many of you have other hobbies, church, exercise, family commitments, travel, house chores & maintenance and of course we all love starting new projects. I find that marketing and cooking take up a significant chunk of my time. Here are some ideas to save time cooking so you have more time to sew & quilt and finish those UFO's:

1. Here's one from Chris Bernet. She makes all her salads for the week, each in their own container on one day. Each day all she has to do is grab a salad, add dressing and lunch is done and healthy too.
2. Make big portions and freeze some for later meals.
3. I'm a big fan of crockpot meals. You can prep and start the crock pot in the morning and dinner is basically done.
4. I like to keep a variety of healthy snacks on hand: apples and other fruit, yogurt with granola of course!, mini cheese bites, nuts and protein bars, raw veges already washed and cut up and boiled eggs. Hopefully I reach for these and not the chips and cookies!
5. When I bake cookies, I usually make a double batch. I package the baked cookies in freezer bags and store them in a container in the freezer. You can also portion out raw dough and freeze. Then you bake when you are ready to eat.
6. Buy a Costco chicken. You can generally get 2-3 meals out of one chicken. I shred the meat and use it for salads, casseroles, tacos, enchiladas and the carcass goes into the crockpot with water and makes a great broth for chicken soup.



UFO CLUB

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7. We like smoked salmon on bagels for breakfast, but the smoked salmon once opened doesn't keep very long. I buy a big pack of smoked salmon from Costco, package into portions for one meal (I wrap in wax paper sheets) and put it into zip lock freezer bags. Whenever you feel like having it for breakfast, you just pull one out and it defrosts very quickly. Bagels can be a carb overload, so most times I've switched to Orowheat extra crispy English muffins as the base which I keep in the freezer. Toast them first then put on your toppings or choice (cream cheese, capers, diced red onion, cucumber, tomato, avocado, sliced boiled eggs, smoked salmon. I put the smaller items first, then put the smoked salmon on top last to hold everything in place. Then sprinkle with Everything bagel seasoning!

8. Lastly here's my tip for making boiled eggs that peel easily. I saw this on a Japanese cooking show on NHK. Before you put your eggs in a pot filled with cold water, take a spoon and tap it on the big end (not the pointy end) until cracks appear. You don't want to tap so hard that it breaks, and the egg comes out. Tap just enough so the shell is cracked in a few places, but the membrane is still intact. Put these eggs into the water. Bring to a boil. Then take off the heat and put on a lid. For perfect hard-boiled eggs, I leave them for 12 minutes. Then I drain and put ice and water into the pot. You'll be amazed at how easy they are to peel. Now I don't mind making deviled eggs anymore! They are the easiest to peel, right after you make them. If you refrigerate them, they are a bit harder to peel but still way easier than cooking without the cracks.

Hope these tips help you to find more time for finishing those UFO's.

Judy & Rebeca

UFO Club Co-Chairs

FEBRUARY MEETING SHOW & TELL UFO



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PROJECT LINUS MARCH 2026

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Next Linus workshop is **TUESDAY, MARCH 17**. We will meet at my home on the **third Tuesday of every month** from 10:30am to approximately 2pm. Bring your own lunch.

There is a real need right now for getting the quilting done. Many quilts would look great with some long arm creativity. If you are not a long armer, smaller quilts are great to practice your free motion on your domestic machine. Please let me know if you can do these.

I will bring a big box of blankets to the Guild meeting March 3. They are pin basted and ready for your stitching. If you can't come to the Guild meeting or the Linus workshops, please let me know if I can drop some off to you.

Thanks to everyone who contributes.

~Linda Duggan~

QUILT TIL YOU WILT

Every 2nd Monday



Quilt til You Wilt continues the Second Monday of the Month.

Tierrasanta Lutheran Church
11240 Clairemont Mesa Blvd, SD

- 10:00-3:00 PM
- \$5/participant for use of facility
- Bring your lunch
- Even if you are not working on a project drop by just for fellowship
- We will meet during the summer for those that want to drop by.

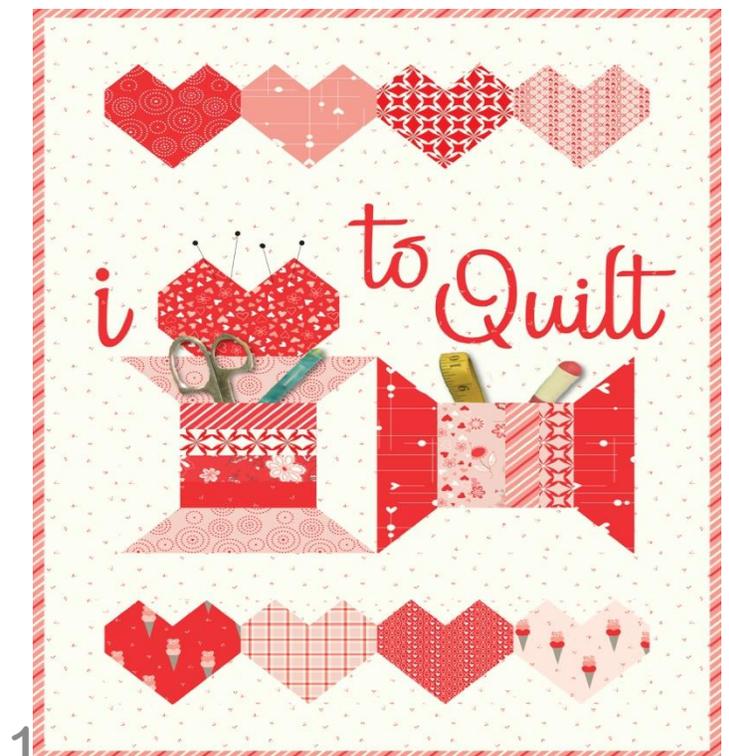
2026 Dates:

March 9, 2026

April 13, 2026

May 11, 2026

June 8, 2026





QUILT RETREAT



VINA DE LESTONNAC RETREAT CENTER

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39300 De Portola Rd
Temecula, CA 92591

May 14 – 17, 2026

Double Occupancy - \$650.00

Single Occupancy - \$850.00

Daily Rate \$50

September 28- October 1, 2026

Double Occupancy - \$650.00

Single Occupancy - \$850.00

Daily Rate. \$50

To reserve your spot at any of the retreats a \$100.00 deposit is required. One deposit per retreat. Please identify which retreat and whether you wish to reserve a double or single room. The deposit may be made with a check made out to Seaside Quilters Guild or from our website.

Our retreats are very relaxed. Everyone sews on their own project(s). Each retreat includes nine meals, bedding, towels and 6-foot sewing table. In addition to sewing, it is an opportunity to get to know fellow guild members and do a little shopping at the quilt stores in Temecula if you desire.

Let the fun begin!!

DEAR JANE QUILT BLOCK OF THE MONTH 2 YEAR PROJECT

STARTED IN OCTOBER 2025



Hi all-

Now that I am working on my blocks (yes, I got a late start), I have a couple of notes to share.

1. I am not adding the sashing shown in the Hobby Stash Patterns. That sashing does not make sense to me. I will add sashing later.
2. Without the sashing on each of my blocks, my unfinished blocks are finishing at 5 inches square.
3. In the Dear Jane book and the actual Dear Jane quilt, the border triangles have the background fabric on the outside edges, but at least one (if not more) of the Holly Stash triangle patterns show the print on the outside edge of the triangle with the background used in the middle pieces. Make sure you are putting your background and print fabrics in the locations that you want. I would hate for you to have to remake a triangle (Like I am doing).

Take care, Roni
858-750-5928

DEAR JANE QUILT BLOCK OF THE MONTH 2 YEAR PROJECT

MONTH 5 - March 2026 BLOCKS



Month 5 – March 2026

C-1 Trooper Green's Badge. D-2 Mouse in a Mirror. E-3 Paddle Wheels.

F-4 Old Windmill. G-5 Poof. H-6 Pie Sale. I-7 Mac and Muff.

J-8 Anna's Anchor. K-9 Scout's Honor. L-10 Nan's Naiad.

Block	Color	Difficulty	Approx. # Pieces	Finished Yes/No
C1		E	13	
D2		M	24	
E4		E	20	
F4		E	13	
G5		E	8	
H6		M	21	
I7		E	17	
J8		M	22	
K9		E	21	
L10		M	40	

DEAR JANE QUILT BLOCK OF THE MONTH 2 YEAR PROJECT

MONTH 4 - FEBRUARY 2026 BLOCKS

A-11 Pebbles Protest, B-12 Starflower, C-13 Lakota Sioux, K-13 Brandon's Star, M-03 Firewood Flower, Bottom Row 6, Right side 8, Left side 3, Bottom Right Corner.



Block	Color	Difficulty	Approx.# of pieces	Finished Yes or No
A-11				
B-12				
C-13				
K-13				
M-3				
Top Row 11				
Bottom Row 6				
Right side 8				
Left side 3				
Bottom Right Corner				

DEAR JANE QUILT BLOCK OF THE MONTH 2 YEAR PROJECT

JANUARY 2025 BLOCKS

Month 3 - January 2026

B-1 Batchelor Buttons. C-2 Streak of Lightning. D-3 Jason's Jack.

E-4 Buffalo Tree Hopper. F-5 Parcheesi. G-6 Papa's Star.

H-7 Bennington Star. I-8 Pete's Paintbox. J-9 Maury High School. K-10 Quandry.

Block	Color	Difficulty	Approx. # Pieces	Finished Yes/No
B1		E	5	
C2		M	21	
D3		E	2	
E4		M	19	
F5		M	15	
G6		H	31	
H7		M	25	
I8		E	17	
J9		E	13	
K10		M	29	



DEAR JANE QUILT BLOCK OF THE MONTH 2 YEAR PROJECT

NOVEMBER 2025 BLOCKS

November 2025 Blocks

A-12 Framed Fancy. K-12 Doris' Dilemma. L-1 Widow's Pane.

L-13 Harvest Moon. M-2 Duff's Bluff. Top 9. Bottom 4.

Left Side 1. Right Side 6. Top Right Corner.

Block	Color	Difficulty	Approx. # Pieces	Finished Yes/No
A12		M	45	
K12		E	11	
L1		M	25	
L13		M	12	
M2		E	21	
Top 9		E	9	
Bot 4		E	25	
Left 1		M	33	
Right 6		M	26	
Top Right Corner		M	20	



DEAR JANE QUILT BLOCK OF THE MONTH 2 YEAR PROJECT

OCTOBER 2025 BLOCKS

Block Picture:



Block Table:

Book Block ID	Estimated Difficulty	Approx. # Pieces	Finished Yes/No
A1	E	32	
B2	M	16	
C3	E	25	
D4	E	21	
E5	E	21	
F6	E	26	
G7	M	21	
H8	M	32	
I9	M	42	
J10	M	21	
K11	EM	25	

GIVE AND TAKE & HISTORIAN



Isn't it amazing the treasures that can be found on the Give and Take Table?



Give and Take Table:-

I want to thank everyone for your generous contributions to the Give & Take Table. The fabrics, books, patterns, etc. have been wonderful. (Thank you also for taking home anything not taken.) Those of you who have purchased items have also been very generous. We are averaging over \$100 per month in sales. This really helps our budget. So again, thank you all.

Phyllis

Historian

Look up the meeting pix on the private FB page! We have had so many great showings and wonderful displays. Also, look at the "FILES" tab to see lots more - plus files of patterns, BOMs, and other information. This is a private page and will require permission. Just send a "messenger" to Lois Heath to be listed with permission. (I will verify within the directory.) Sure, there are "newer" media platforms, we have a lot we want to maintain and have available for longer periods of time!

Stitchingly, Lois Heath

Seaside Quilt Guild - San Diego



CHIT CHAT



Dear Seasideers,
Sorry we didn't have a ChitChat drawing at our last meeting, but I've been fighting the flu and its aftereffects for the past few weeks.

Please do plan to sign up at the March meeting, though, to make a new friend or get to know a long-time friend better. Last month it was a challenge for me to meet in person, but my ChitChat pal, Donna Hogle and I managed to have a nice catch up on the phone. In the days of texting, an actual phone call is still a person-to-person connection and believe me-a kind voice on the phone can be a real spirit lifter.

So, look for the ChitChat sign at our meeting and write your name on a little card-remember...a stranger is just a friend you haven't met yet!

Janice



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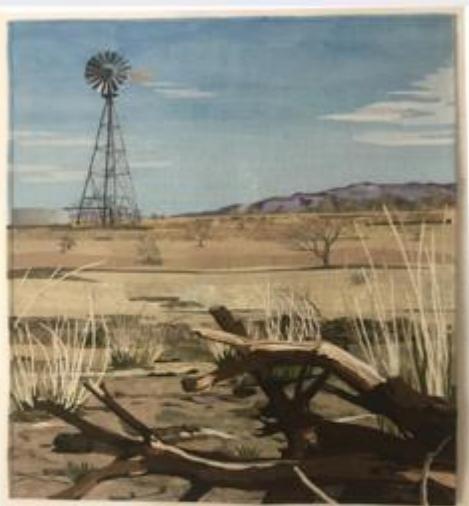
SHARE YOUR TALENT

Education Volunteers Needed

Throughout the year, VMOTA is proud to partner with neighboring schools and the community to introduce textile techniques and practices. Due to the number of requests we receive, we are looking for more volunteers who enjoy working with **youth** and have experience with stitching, embroidery, crochet, knitting, or other basic sewing skills. Weekday daytime hours are often needed; however, we occasionally will receive requests for evening or weekend support. We look forward to hearing from you!

QUILTING WORKSHOP

Landscape Photos to Quilts Workshop - March 29-31st



Looking to take your quilts to the next level? Transform your work with realism under the guidance of expert narrative realist quilter, **LeAnn Hileman**, whose work has been shown in national and international shows, including Quilt National 21 and The Festival of Quilts in the United Kingdom in 2021, and has been awarded for Outstanding Artistry in Road to California 2019.

In the Photos to Quilts - Landscape Version Workshop, techniques will be shared to create perspective and realism in art quilts. LeAnn will discuss and demonstrate ways to use color theory and art principles and apply them to each student's photo. LeAnn will be happy to work with you so you can find a great photo for you to work with. By using the student's photo and the individual's experience and feeling about the photo, you can create not just a realistic photo quilt but an art quilt that is very meaningful to the maker and the viewer. Students will be taught to create a foundation, establish perspective, and detail using techniques such as thread-painting.



**The Chula Vista Quilters Guild proudly presents the
2026 Chula Vista Quilt Show & Vendor Mall**

**Friday, May 15, from 10 am – 4 pm
Saturday, May 16, from 10 am – 3 pm**

NOTE: Free parking in front and back! Handicapped accessible

**Bayview Orthodox Presbyterian Church
505 East Naples St, Chula Vista, 91911**

Only a \$5 donation for entry
Door prizes awarded every half hour

Buy a ticket for a chance to win our hand quilted
2026 Opportunity Quilt: "Summer Lily"

Featuring our traditional Boutique with handcrafted items,
Sew & Craft Booth offering fabric and gently used craft supplies,
Opportunity Baskets and Food Service!

PLUS: our Vendor Mall features fabric and a variety of crafts and tools

**Please note: Guild booths/admission and food service only accept cash/checks.
Most vendors accept credit cards**

<https://www.chulavistaquiltersguild.com>

PACIFIC BEACH PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
1675 GARNET AVE. SAN DIEGO

This month's meeting: Tuesday,
March 5,, 2026
5:30 PM Social Time
6:00 PM Meeting Starts

Newsletter:

Mail your submissions to Debbie Murbach
email: debinkodesigns@gmail.com

Members are encouraged to submit
information about tips; upcoming quilt shows;
quilt shops visited; special recipes; or reviews
of new books. Seaside Quilters reserves the
right to edit articles for space. The
information presented herein is for the
education and benefit of our members.

Board Meetings

Guild board meetings will be held on the
Monday preceding our guild meetings from
4:30 to 5:30pm on Zoom.

WEBSITE

<https://seasidequiltersguild.com/>

FACEBOOK:

[https://www.facebook.com/pages/Seaside-
Quilters/110905575667120](https://www.facebook.com/pages/Seaside-Quilters/110905575667120)

INSTAGRAM:

[https://www.instagram.com/seaside_quilters_i
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*We welcome members & guests alike who
love quilts or enjoy making them.*

Our Annual Membership dues are \$50.00
Guest Fee is \$10.00 per meeting

Other Activities & Charity Projects

Old Town / History Quilting	Ginny Pence, Patt Seitas
Visions Museum of Textile Art.	Patt Seitas Jo Vroman,
Refugee Net Coordinator	Sue Steven, Mary Anderson
Quilt Estate donations	Linda Duggan, Glenda Darian

Seaside Board Members 2025-2026

Elected Officers

President	Sue Steven
V.P.	Jo Vroman
Recording Secretary	
Treasurer/Budget	Chris Winger
Membership	Ginny Pence

Appointed Officers

2025-2026 Programs	Janice Faultstich, Sally Stovall
2026-2027 Programs	Jo Vroman, Debbie Zeller
Historian	Lois Heath
Parliamentarian / Bylaws Chair	Linda Duggan, Lois Heath, Sue Steven
Assistant Treasurer	Gay Larsen

Committees

Block of the Month	Mary Anderson
Challenge	Carol Simpson
Chit Chat	Janice Faultstich
Comfort & Joy	Joyce McCarthy
Dear Jane Group	Roni Cripps
Door Prizes	Helen Hillman
Fun Raiser	Ginny Pence, Jo Vroman
Give & Take Table	Phyllis Drewett
Hospitality	OPEN
Quilt Challenge	Carol Simpson
Newsletter	Debbie Murbach
Opportunity of the Month	
Project Linus	Linda Duggan
Public Relations-	
Public Facebook	Patt Seitas
Private Facebook	Lois Heath
Quilting Sisters	Julie Hasl
Retreat Coordinator:	Sally Stovall

SCCQG	Chris Bernet,
Tech Team	Sally Stovall Patt Seitas
UFO Club	Judy Uyemara, Rebecca Johnson