



Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild

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February Speaker



I have been quilting and teaching quilting for over 35 years. I am the owner of BellaRoseQuilts.com.

My passion for quilting is woven into most everything in my life. Even my garden was designed like I would design a quilt.

I've been sewing since the age of nine. I would sew just about anything I saw. I remember my Dad knocking on my bedroom door at midnight telling me to go to sleep.

When I was pregnant with my son, Dallin, I took up quilting. I was making his first baby quilt and sewing on this awful sewing machine. At 9 months pregnant, my husband went to the credit union and financed a new Bernina 930 for me.

My quilting career really took off when my husband was transferred to Phoenix and I had the opportunity to work for Laurene Sinema, owner of The Quilted Apple. Laurene inspired me to teach quilting and Bernina sewing machine classes.

Orphan Block Box

NEW! Bring any orphan blocks you have and don't know what to do with and place them in the "Orphans" box at the February meeting.

It will be explained at the meeting on what you'll do with these blocks.

TVQG Charity Efforts

Charity Quilters Sew Days

TVQG Charity Sew Days are open to everyone with no fee to participate. Charity Sew Days take place on the second Tuesday of every month at the Sherwood Senior Center. Just bring your own sewing machine and project to work on or select a project from their well-stocked Charity Quilting Closet. Their next Sew Day is scheduled to take place on February 8th between 9:00 am and 12:00 noon.

Good Neighbor Center Update

One of the major charities TVQG supports is the Good Neighbor Center They are not accepting donations at this time of clothing or household items. Their current needs include bedding, hygiene items, cleaning supplies, over the counter medications, and shelf-stable food items. The Charity Quilters Team have a Good Neighbor Center donation box available at the check-in desk at every TVQG general meeting. You don't have to make a trip there - we'll do it for you, and you'll even get an extra door prize drawing ticket for the items you bring in.

The Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild (TVQG) meets at 7:00pm the third Tuesday of the month January thru November at the King City Clubhouse located at 15245 SW 116th Avenue, King City, OR 97224. Guests are welcome and are asked to pay \$5 at the door.

Reminder: Please bring the following to our next meeting.

- * BOM and FQ's
- * Name Tag
- * Show and Tell Quilts
- * Charity Donation items



[Visit Us on Facebook](#)



[TVQG website - https://tvqg.wordpress.com/](https://tvqg.wordpress.com/)

Pick Up Sticks Charity Quilt

Don't forget your Fabric Challenge quilts that will benefit Project Linus. Bring your finished quilt to the March meeting to show off! We hope to have a Project Linus representative at the meeting to give the quilts to.



TVQG Business Cards

Because you are a wonderful resource in promoting our guild, a supply of TVQG business cards have been printed and are available at the Sign-In Desk during our General Meetings. Please pick up a few to pass around.

Quilting Challenges

Throughout the year TVQG offers several quilting challenges. These challenges are intended to help increase member's quilting skills and may include making quilts to benefit local charities.

Sampler Quilt Block Exchange – Pizza Box series

This challenge started in October 2021 and concludes at the April, meeting. They will be shown at the June 21, 2022, meeting.

UFO Challenge

We will continue the UFO challenge from last year. Because of the disruption from COVID we will not be charging the usual \$5 to participate. For every finished UFO (or picture) that they share during the Show and Tell segment at any General Meeting between now and October 2019, they'll earn a drawing ticket. Date for next year TBD for the drawing.

2022 Retreat

Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild is delighted to announce our annual retreat at **Tilikum Lodge and Retreat Center** in Newberg, Oregon has been scheduled. The dates of this retreat are April 21- 24, 2022.

The retreat is full with a waiting list

TVQG Website

TVQG maintains an active web presence, <https://tvqg.wordpress.com/> contains information for prospective and active members and includes General Meeting minutes, the membership roster, current and past Block-of-the-Month patterns, and a newsletter archive.



Membership

2021-2022 Membership Year

Membership forms are available at General Meeting on the sign-in table. Yearly dues will remain at \$35. We also pro-rate the fee if you join now. Members may renew their dues starting immediately and should be paid as soon as possible.

Membership forms are available at the Meeting Check-In desk, at the end of this newsletter or on our website <https://tvqg.wordpress.com/>. We're looking forward to having you renew or join TVQG and are excited to see our membership grow as quilters from our local community join our guild.

Instructional and Sewing Events

TVQG's next **Sit and Sew Day** is scheduled for Saturday, February 12th, between 9:00am and 4:30pm in the large King City Clubhouse banquet room. There is no cost to attend, and anyone is welcome to join us. We'll have ironing stations and cutting tables and extension cords set up for all to use. If attending, please bring your machine (don't forget to pack your power cord), notions, and a project or two to work on. We'll bring in pizza for lunch, but if you prefer to pack your own lunch the clubhouse refrigerators will be available. This is a great opportunity to spend some time with friends and fellow quilters. We really look forward to seeing you there. For your health and safety, we will follow the most current guidelines for facemask

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Good Neighbor Center

Thankfully, there are places like Good Neighbor Center. Located in Tigard, on SW Greenburg Road, GNC is a 36-bed facility serving up to 9 families at a time. There is space so that each family has a private room where they can live for up to six weeks. Families are provided three meals a day.

To see a list of the current needs, go to this webpage:

<https://goodneighborcenter.org/current-needs-list/>

Door Prizes

Each month two \$20 gift certificates are awarded to quilters attending the General Meeting. Everyone attending the meeting, guests included, will receive a ticket for the drawing.

Members may earn a second ticket for the drawing, just by wearing their nametag.

If you bring a donated item for Good Neighbor Center, you will also get a ticket.

Quilts of Valor



TVQG maintains an active Quilts of Valor sewing group. Our group strives to complete two quilts a year.

Our next Quilts of Valor sew-in will be on Saturday February 26 at Ace Sew & Vac in

Tigard. Their new location is in the same shopping mall as Joanne's and, it is next to the Dollar Store. Please mark your calendar to join in the fun!!

If you are interested in joining, please let LoisMarie Mayer know, her email is lov2kwilt@aol.com. She needs the head count so that space will be available for everyone.

January Block of the Month



The January 2022 Block of the Month is Scrap Works Quilt.

The color profile for this block is quilter's choice of any scrappy prints with a coordinated or

complimentary solid or mottled accent fabric. Finished block size is 12" square. Block Instructions are at the end of this newsletter or on our website.

A drawing for the completed blocks will take place at the February 15, 2022, TVQG General Meeting.

Birthday's

TVQG would like to extend Happy Birthday wishes to the following quilters:

Michelle Faber.....February 3
 Shirley SchultzFebruary 20
 Marilyn WalkerFebruary 21
 Cathy Rayner.....February 25

Fat Quarter of the Month

February 2022 Fat Quarter Theme

At each general meeting, our quilters bring in various themed fat quarters. For each Fat Quarter brought in the quilter receives a raffle ticket. For February it is **Hearts Galore** and January's was **Snow, Blizzard or Winter**. Bring in your fat quarters for both themes.



Here's a list of the Fat Quart themes for the upcoming year:

March 2022: Garden delights - vegetables

April 2022: Mother Goose

May 2022: Spring flowers

June 2022: Barnyard critters

Of Interest to Quilters

Have scraps of fabric you want to get rid of: Scraps, PDX accepts fabric donations. However, currently due to Covid they are on an appointment only. Here is a link to their donation

website: <https://scrapdex.square.site/donation-appointment>.

STASH BAZAAR SPRING 2022



**SATURDAY
APRIL 9, 2022
9 AM TO 2 PM**

- * Fabric * Books * Patterns *
- * Sewing & Quilting Supplies *
- * Quilts & Handmade Gifts *

**FREE Admission and FREE Parking
MASKS REQUIRED**

**Salmon Creek United Methodist Church
12217 NE Highway 99
Vancouver, WA 98686**

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Local Quilt Shops



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503-598-0122	503-538-1122
12185 SW Main St Tigard, OR 97223 sewingandvacuum@aol.com	2414 Portland Rd Newberg, OR 97132 acesewingandvacuum.com

Bernina, Elna, Juki Machines ♦ Riccar, Miele, Sebo, Oreck Vacuums ♦ Handi Quilter



**Pioneer
QUILTS**
Where Quilters Gather, Inc.

3101 SE Courtney Rd.
Portland, OR 97222
503-654-1555



**Quilting
Delights**

4011 SE International Wy., Ste. 601
Milwaukie, OR 97222
503-658-1600



Cedar Ridge Quilts

19045 S Beaver Creek Rd.
Oregon City, OR 97045
503-908-1398



Modern Domestic

17660 63rd Ave.
Lake Oswego, OR 97035
503-808-9910



cool cottons

2417 SE Hawthorne Blvd.
Portland, OR 97214
503-232-0417



MONTAVILLA
SEWING CENTERS
- Est. 1949 -

429 First St.
Lake Oswego, OR 97034
503-635-1353

8326 SE Stark St.
Portland, OR 97216
503-254-7317

4955 SW Western Ave.
Beaverton, OR 97005
503-619-6619

Quilting-Related Services



In Stitches Quilting, LLC
 Erin Davis
 Quilting Services
 quilteererin06@gmail.com 860 SE 59th Ave.
 503 351-0981 Hillsboro, OR 97123

Sue Capell
 503-538-3600
 Capellsue@gmail.com
 Hand guided overall and
 custom quilting since 2004



Coline's Quilting Service
 916-719-4923 or 503-902-0116
 Coline Simmons
 Handguided Longarm Quilter for 18 years
 1160 Orchard Lane, Woodburn, Oregon
 97071
 user569278@aol.co



Victoria Jones
 Quilting & Sewing Instructor
 503-989-3330
 vdjsews@comcast.net

BOM Instructions.

Scraps Work Quilt ---- Averill Abbott averillpdx@yahoo.com

To finish one $12\frac{1}{2}$ " square -

Cut 2 strips of a solid or mottled or mainly one color accent strip -

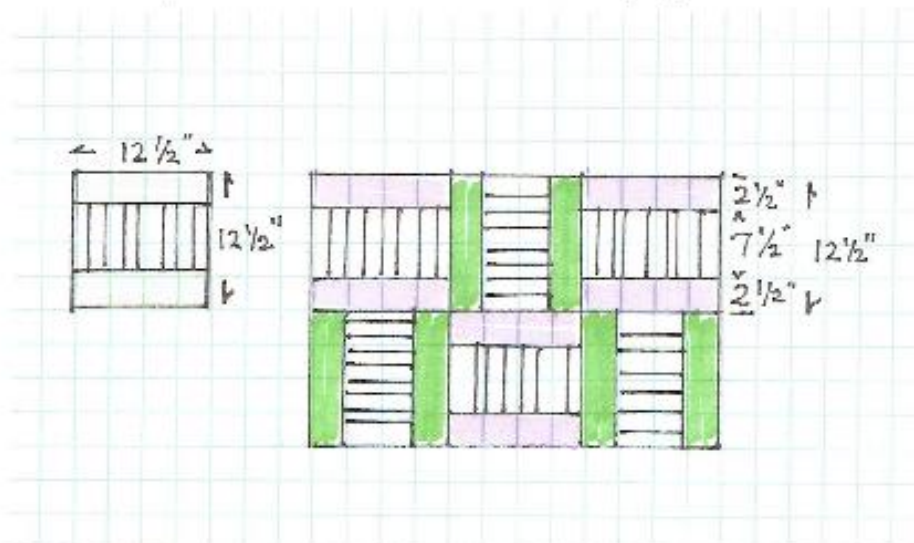
$3" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$

Cut random width fabrics (scraps?) into 8" strips - sew strips together and cut into lengths of $12\frac{1}{2}"$, $\frac{3}{4}"$ seams. You should have one finished strip measuring $8" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$.

Sew each $3" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$ to the top and bottom of your multi color fabric strips. You will now have your $12\frac{1}{2}" \times 12\frac{1}{2}"$ square. See examples below:

One finished square

Assembly layout



Quilt Guild block for January 2022

TVQG 2021-2022 Registration Form

TUALATIN VALLEY QUILT GUILD 2021-2022 Membership Registration Form



New Member Current Member Former Member

Name: _____ Birthday (Day/Month) _____

Email address (Necessary to receive newsletter, information, announcements and current happenings)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone(s) Home: _____ Mobile: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

All personal information is kept confidential.

Please indicate your areas of interest

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|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Attend Sit and Sew Days | <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter | <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter Editor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Block of the Month Coordinator | <input type="checkbox"/> Historian | <input type="checkbox"/> Program Coordinator |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Board/Officer Position | <input type="checkbox"/> Internet Research | <input type="checkbox"/> Retreat Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Charity Quilting Sew Days | <input type="checkbox"/> Long Arm Quilter | <input type="checkbox"/> Sit and Sew Coordinator |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Committee Position (as Needed) | <input type="checkbox"/> Make Bazaar or Sale Items | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Group Event Coordinator |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Correspondence Secretary | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing/Publicity Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher/Instructor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Website Coordinator |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Facility Liaison | <input type="checkbox"/> Quilts of Valor Sew Days | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

List any special interests, talents or skills that you have: _____

List any suggestions you have for making the Guild what you would like it to be: _____

Dues are \$35 annually. Membership year runs July 1st through June 30th.

If joining or renewing membership mid-year, dues are pro-rated as follows:

- \$35.00 membership fee if joining or renewing July 1st through December 31st
- \$17.50 membership fee if joining or renewing after January 1st

Checks should be made out to: **Tualatin Valley Quilt Guild (TVQG)**

Completed forms and payment may be presented at any General Meetings or mailed to P.O. Box 154, Sherwood, OR 97140

This box is for TVQG Membership use

Date Paid: _____

Paid by: Check No. _____

Cash Other _____

Date Funds to Treasurer _____

Roster Updated _____

Distribution List Updated _____

Other/Notes _____

Form current as of 07/19/2021