

# Quilters Cables

San Francisco Quilters Guild – June 2011

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to summer. School is out for those of us with children. The days are getting longer, and perhaps there is time to get into a project you've been planning.

My summer plans take me on a drive in late June from Nebraska to New York with my 86-year-old mother for her 7<sup>th</sup> grandchild's high school graduation, so I will miss the June meeting, as well as the July meeting as I'll be attending a high school reunion in Nebraska. Merrilyn has interesting speakers lined up and will make a great leader for those two meetings.

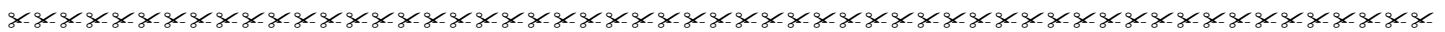
We're ten months into our quilt guild year, and it's time to think about what volunteer positions you want to participate in for the coming year, starting

in October. I've sent out emails to the current chairs, some of whom will be moving on, and Cher de la Mere is forming a nominating committee to look for our next slate of officers. If you're ready to step into any of the committees or the elected positions, please contact Cher or me.

Plans are continuing for our 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. If you want to get involved, please contact Jeannie Low.

Have a summer filled with carefree days, sunshine (let's hope), lots of quilting and vacations with friends and family.

Carol Munch  
SFQG President 2010-2011



### June 21 Meeting – Jiseon Lee Isbara

With our speaker Jiseon Lee Isbara, artist and educator who runs the Fibers Dept. at Oregon College of Art and Craft in Portland Oregon, we move from hypermodern to the ancient Korean technique of Pojagi. Ms. Isbara earned BFA and MFA from Ewha Woman's University, Korea and MFA from Colorado State University.

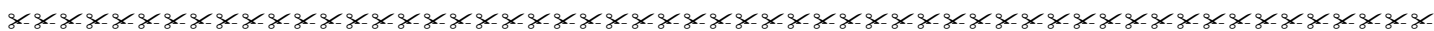
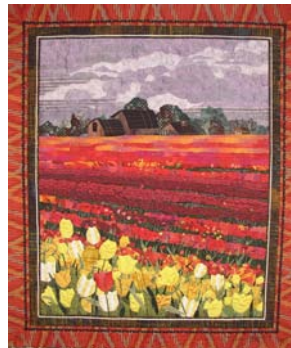
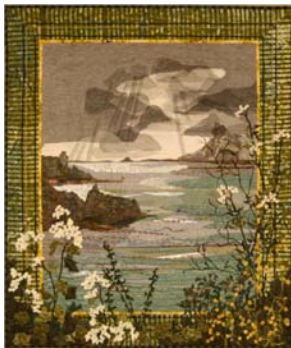
Her work is a 21st century interpretation of the Korean patchwork art of Pojagi (pronounced po-jah-ki), which dates back to the Chosun Dynasty. Pojagi is characterized by distinctive geometric patterns, using multihued patches of ramie, cotton, hemp and silk. Patches could be sewn together with one or all of three seams: with plain seams, a raw-edged seam similar to a French seam, or the uniquely Korean triple-stitched seam known as gekki.

Ms. Isbara's work will be included in an exhibit at the San Francisco Museum of Art and Craft opening in June.



## July 19 Meeting - Laura Fogg

Laura has been a quilt artist for ten years. She is self-taught, but has taken numerous painting and drawing classes at the local community college. Her quilts have been shown regularly since 2000, and awarded ribbons at many quilt shows across the US, including AQS shows, PIQF, and Visions in San Diego. Many of her pieces have been accepted into major gallery shows across the country, and have also been published in major quilting magazines in the US and abroad. Laura has been lecturing and teaching landscape collage classes for the past eight years bringing this wealth of landscape information to other quilters.



## HISTORY CORNER: SFQG - 5 MONTHS TO OUR 30TH ANNIVERSARY

*Submitted by Jeanie Low*

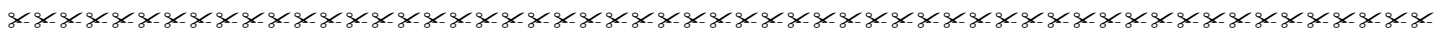
Continuing a review of our 30 years:

Our library was established early. First, the books were stored in a member's home and brought to meetings. Then, the library was located at our meeting sites and progressed to color coded spines for each subject. Finally, thanks to Alex Zaremska, our past librarian who devised appropriate code numbers within the Library of Congress' one number, to catalog various quilting subjects and made our books easier to find. Our Library continues to be an envied collection ably organized by Librarians, Cher dela Mere and Dani Lawler.

Our guild would not exist if not for all our volunteers and excellent leaders. SFQG Presidents: Caroline Lieberman 1981-1983, Linda Breitbarth 1983-1984, Shirley Towan 1984-1985, Gloria Miller 1985-1987, Phyllis Schaefer 1987-1988, Darlene Hartman 1988-1990, Ann Gage 1990-1991, Pat Garner 1991-1992, Barbara Buckley 1992-1993, Maria Torres 1993-1994, Mary Fischer-Boyd 1994-1995, Glenda Freiberg 1995-1996, Suzanne Searby 1996-1997, Gretchen Nelson 1997-1998, Janet Mednick 1998-1999, Erin Watson 1999-2000, Julie Scribner 2000-2001, Roberta Walker 2001-2002, Christine Beard 2002-2003, Judy Woodfill 2003-2004, Doris Atkinson 2004-2005, Carolyn Kotner 2005-2006, Laureen Neilly 2006-2007, Linda Breitbarth 2007-2009, Joyce Goode 2009-2010, Carol Munch 2010-2011.

We've participated in many activities: 14 SFQG quilt shows, a few luncheons and teas, Quiltaways, community outreach, Saturday/Sunday Sewcials, Block of the Month, Secret Pal, and enjoyed many speakers. In 1987, we had a Golden Gate Bridge quilt block contest and made a quilt to celebrate the bridge's 50th anniversary. The quilt was presented to the Golden Gate Bridge District Office. The final entry blocks selected came from as far away as Japan, Washington, Pennsylvania and California. Blocks used in the GGB quilt included a few designed by guild members: Marina Salume, Karren Elsbernd, Susan Schwarting, Lyn Piercy, Phyllis Schaefer, Maria Torres, and Celia LoPinto. Commemorative postcards were made of the quilt. The extra blocks were made into quilts and raffled off.

We made 20 small quilts that created the "Big Quilt", a 16' square quilt used in the play "Quilters" staged at San Francisco State University in March, 1986. The quilts were raffled off after the show.



## THE SEWCIAL SCENE

**Sunday, June 26, 2011 - 10 am - 4 pm**

*"Surface Design Play Day" with Lynn Koolish*

THIS WORKSHOP HAS BEEN CANCELLED because in order for workshops to actually happen, there must be a minimum of 8 participants. A reminder: in future, if there is a Sewcial you are interested in be sure to sign up early so there is every chance of there being enough students for the workshop.

**Sunday, July 24, 2011 - 10 am - 4 pm**

*“Diamond Stars” with Pernille Gutschick*

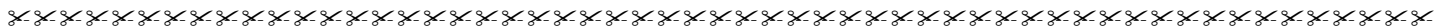
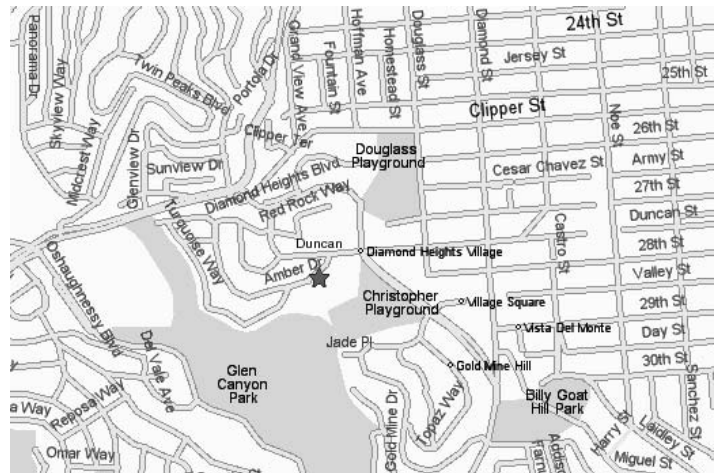
Got scraps? Pernille will teach you all the shortcuts for making this versatile pattern quickly as well as how to sew the units together accurately. Here’s a wonderful quilt in which to use your scraps, fat quarters, or make it your stash-buster project. All levels. \$25.

**Please pay when you sign up in advance** for Sewcials, or contact Tish Chung (415) 564-9032 . A supply list will be provided when you sign up. Arrive about 15 minutes before the start of the workshop (9:45 am) to set up and get directions so that we can begin on time. Please remember that there are no refunds for cancellations. For the comfort of all, please attend Sewcials “fragrance-free.” All sewcials are held at the San Francisco Policy Academy. Map follows.

Directions to the Police Academy:

SF Police Academy  
350 Amber Drive (near  
Duncan) near Diamond Heights  
Safeway

Take SF Muni bus #52 or drive  
your car, parking is free.



## BLOCK OF THE MONTH

Will be drawn at JULY 2011 meeting  
MILKY WAY - makes one 12” finished block

*TIP:* Measure twice, cut once, and maintain a straight ¼” seam allowance.

### White

A - Cut four 3-7/8” squares, cut once diagonally

B - Cut two 3½” squares

C - Cut eight 2” squares

### Black and White print (should read grey)

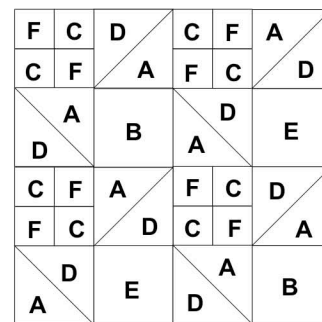
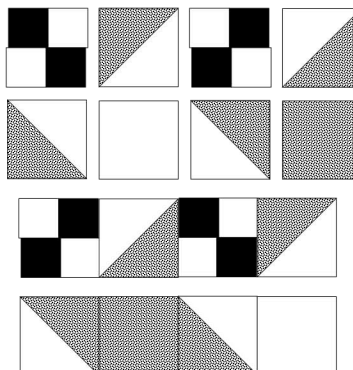
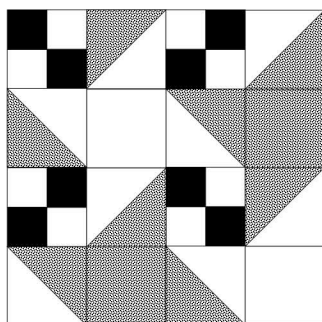
D - Cut four 3-7/8” squares, cut once diagonally

E - Cut two 3½” squares

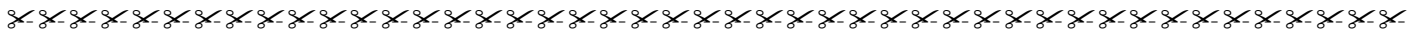
### Black

F - Cut eight 2” squares

Piece block as shown in expanded diagram

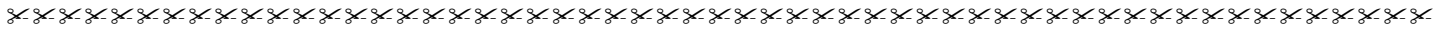






## SFQC MEETING INFORMATION

- Meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month (except November and December which are held on the second Tuesday) at 7:15 pm at the Chinese 7th Day Adventist Church, 7777 Geary Boulevard (Entrance on 42nd Avenue) in San Francisco.
- Guests pay \$5 admission, and all are welcome.
- Remember to bring: Library Books; Name Tag; Sew and Tell; Secret Pal Gift; Friendship Blocks, Block of the Month; coffee/tea cup.
- Board meetings are usually held the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm at 1651 8th Avenue, San Francisco
- Saturday/Sunday Sewcials are generally held the Saturday or Sunday following the Guild meeting, from 10 am to 4 pm at the SF Police Academy, 350 Amber Drive, near Diamond Heights Safeway. Call Tish Chung at (415) 564-9032 for more information.



## NCQC SPECIAL EXHIBIT

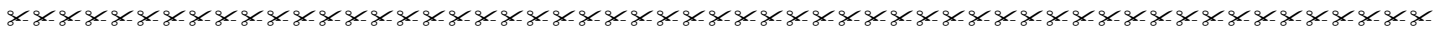
NCQC is sponsoring a special exhibit, *New Quilts of Northern California*, at the Pacific International Quilt Festival October 13-16, 2011.

This is a great opportunity to showcase Northern California's quilting talent at a world class venue. We encourage you to enter or to pass this information on to fellow quilters.

The exhibit will be juried to 70 quilts which will be hung in the entrance to the show.

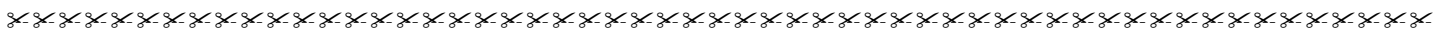
Medium size quilts show the best; quilts longer than 90 inches will hit the floor. Enter quilts that are new and have not been widely shown before – your best, latest work!

Entries are due August 8, and acceptance will be sent by September 10, 2011. Entry forms are available on the NCQC website [www.ncqc.net](http://www.ncqc.net). Click on the word "Forms".



## JUNE AND JULY BOARD MEETINGS

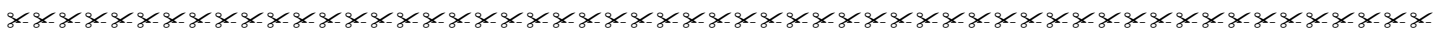
The June and July board meetings will be at Cher delaMere's house, at 1927 42nd Ave, San Francisco.



## LIBRARY CALL FOR HELP

*Submitted by Cher delaMere*

I'm sure everyone has noticed how busy the library is during meetings. There is a need for someone to help with checking out materials to members, replacing cards in returned books and re-shelving at the end of meetings. If you are able to help with these tasks please contact either Cher delaMere or Dani Lawler.



## IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN

*Submitted by Cher delaMere*

It is time to form a nominating committee to choose a slate of candidates for the elected positions of the Guild. Names must be presented at the July Board meeting and officers elected at the regular September guild meeting. Officers' duties are found in the bylaws at the end of the membership directory. The following are up for election or re-election:

**PRESIDENT:** Presides at all meetings of the Guild and is chairperson of the Executive Board which assumes an ability to speak in front of a large group. Appoints chairpersons of all standing committees; presents a written report of the work of the guild at its annual meeting in September and co-signs checks of the Guild. Also writes a monthly article for Quilters Cables.

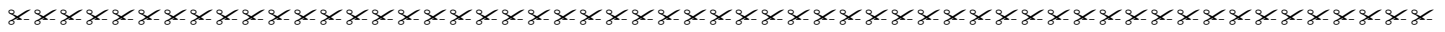
**VICE PRESIDENT:** Presides and performs duties of President in that officer's absence; chairperson of the Program Committee which includes the selection of monthly speakers (to that end, it is preferable that this officer attend NCQC); and is authorized to co-sign checks of the Guild.

**SECRETARY:** Records the minutes of Special and Executive Board meetings and presents them at the following Executive Board meeting; in charge of any correspondence assigned by the Board and is authorized to co-sign checks of the Guild

**TREASURER:** We are grateful to Gloria Miller for offering to fill this position; she was formally approved at the May Board meeting.

**PARLIAMENTARIAN:** Assures that the proper parliamentary procedure is followed at all meetings and chairs the Nominating Committee

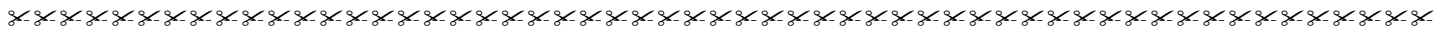
If you entertain thoughts of filling any of these positions, wish to suggest a candidate, or can serve on the nominating committee, please contact Cher delaMere, Parliamentarian/Chairperson of the Nominating Committee.



## KEEPING THE WEBSITE CURRENT

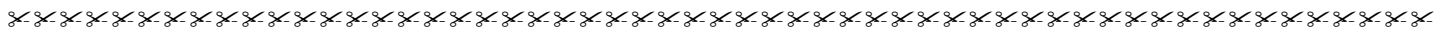
Submitted by Barbara Strick

Please help to keep our new website current by sending any news or announcements. I'm still looking for photos of any quilts made from Block of the Month squares or Friendship blocks. We hope to get the Member Section going soon, so please check the Directory to make sure we have your correct and current email. You will need an email address to login to that area. All photos or info, or questions can be sent to [webmaster@sfquiltersguild.org](mailto:webmaster@sfquiltersguild.org).



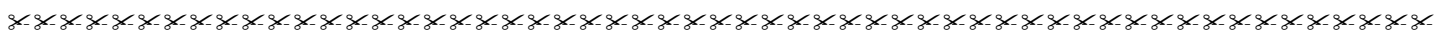
## SHOW & TELL ON [sfquiltersguild.org](http://sfquiltersguild.org)

We are all proud of the fabulous quilts made by members of our Guild. Let's Show them off with good photos. We'll need 2 extra "holders" to move downstage to hold quilts long enough to get a photo. AND a scribe to record name of quilter. Total of FIVE volunteers to make Show & Tell on our website look as good as the quilts look. And, don't forget to check out the site. Photos will be posted shortly after the meeting.



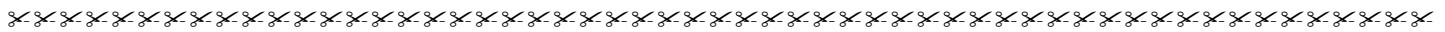
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<p><b>JOIN OUR GUILD OR RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP NOW!</b></p> <p>Membership runs from the beginning of October to the end of September. Just fill out the form on the back page, and turn in your check at the next meeting or drop it in the mail. Forms must be in by the end of December for inclusion in the Directory that is published in January. Mail membership checks, renewals, and changes of address to: SFQG, P.O. Box 27002, San Francisco, CA 94127.</p>
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## NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

Please email news and event notices to Judy Woodfill. Call 415-929-8283 if you have any questions. All submissions must be pre-edited. The deadline is the 1st Tuesday of each month. We accept advertising relevant to our membership. Ads will be approximately 1/8 page. Rate is \$20/month for SFQG members, \$25/month for non-members. A three month run is encouraged. Email information to [quilterscables@gmail.com](mailto:quilterscables@gmail.com) or [jwoodfill@quiltwombat.com](mailto:jwoodfill@quiltwombat.com) and send check to SFQG, P.O. Box 27002, SF, 94127.



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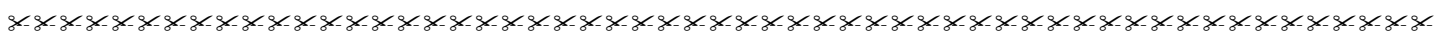
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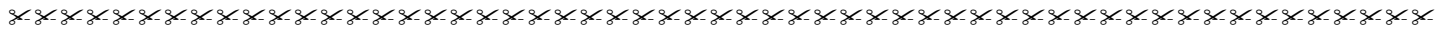
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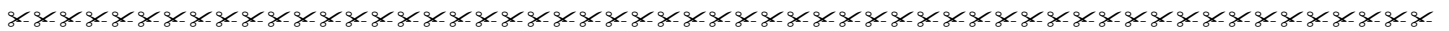
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Please check only one:  Yes  No

Name and phone number only  
(Directory is for Guild use only)

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