



Dear Quilters,

Spring is officially here and summer is just around the corner. We are participating in several great quilting events this season and hope that you will find many of them of interest. As always, Ron and I appreciate your support at A Time to Sew, we have just celebrated our second anniversary and are excited for the future!

Martha & Ron



MEET THE TEACHERS NIGHT

April 27th 5 to 8 p.m.

We have a superb new Class Schedule out for the months of May through August. You can check out the classes on the Classes page of the web site where you can see pictures of the quilts and projects being offered. However, an even better idea is to attend our **Meet the Teachers Night on April 27th**. During the hours of 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., drop by to view the quilts and projects displayed and to meet the teachers who will be instructing. Best of all, you will receive a 10% discount on every class that you sign up and pay for that evening. Bring a friend or two and enjoy the evening with us.

BEACH CITIES QUILT GUILD SHOW

June 5th & 6th @ Soka Univ.

Beach Cities Quilt Guild is holding their bi-annual **Quilt Show at Soka University in Aliso Viejo on June 5th and 6th**. There are many excellent reasons to attend this show, beginning with the gorgeous setting at Soka. Set on the edge of Wood Canyon the views are spectacular. Of course the best part is inside viewing the beautiful quilts and projects, checking out the vendors

and attending the auction. Tickets are available at the store and also can be purchased at the door during the show.



QUILTERS' RUN

Thurs – Sun June 17-20 & 24-27

The Southern California Association of Quilt Shop Owners is sponsoring our annual Quilters' Run this summer. We have moved the dates up to **Thursday through Sunday, June 17-20 and 24 – 27.** This move should provide for cooler weather for customers and will not compete with the International Quilt Show in Long Beach. We have great prizes and lots of them for Quilters' Run this year and we have brought back the charms! You can pick up a flyer at the store now and start planning your routes. We look forward to seeing everyone during the run and hope to make it a fun and memorable event this year.

INTERNATIONAL QUILT FESTIVAL AT LONG BEACH July 23rd – 25th

The Third Annual International Quilt Festival will be at Long Beach again this year from **July 23rd through the 25th, with a preview night on July 22nd.** You can sign up for classes now on-line at www.quilts.com. We hope to have tickets to sell before too long here at the store. The past two years have been fun and exciting, so make plans now. It is a short trip for a great show!

CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S CLUB FUNDRAISER

May 1st

The Christian Women's Philanthropy Club is holding a fundraiser on **May 1st from 11:30 to 2:30** here at the store that should be lots of fun! They have designed a new version of BINGO called Quilt-O to play. It should be a really fun event and they would love to have you participate. All money raised will go toward fabric and supplies for their various philanthropy projects. You can register ahead with Darly Dulion at qltdtresr@aol.com.



GOING GREEN CAMPAIGN

Our \$10 Gift Certificate winners for the month of March are Janet Shannon and Bettie Blauser! Congratulations ladies and thank you for supporting our effort to reduce the use of plastic merchandise bags in the store.

We had scores of slips turned in this month, and have started our campaign for April already. All you have to do is let us know that you have brought your own bag or that you do not need a bag and we will enter your name into our monthly drawing.

PILLOWCASE CHALLENGE

Donna Wester has spearheaded our involvement with the American Patchwork and Quilting National drive to make 1,000,000 pillowcases for charities. A Time to Sew has had a great start and we are just shy of our monthly goal of 85 which would help us reach our year goal of 1,000. If you would like to help, we have a free pillowcase pattern available in the store and lots of fabric to choose from 😊. Of course, pillowcases don't require much fabric and lots of them can be created from your stash. We hope you will help us.



BIRTHDAY AND GUILD DISCOUNTS

Just a reminder that we would like to honor you with a **20% discount** on a one-time shopping spree during the month of your birthday. Be ready to show us your license, we promise to only look at the month and forget about the year.

Also, we appreciate the great support from all of the local guilds in Southern California and to show our appreciation we give a **10% discount** on all non-sale merchandise on all purchases. Thank you guilds! If you are not a member of a guild and would like more information, we can help you at the store anytime.