

## PVQ SPEAKERS AND WORKSHOPS

We have some exciting lectures and workshops planned this year! Your participation in guild sponsored workshops and your "fishbowl" contributions help make it possible for us to continue having an interesting selection of nationally known speakers. For a more extensive list visit the Workshops website at <http://www.puyallupvalleyquilters.com/workshop.htm> or stop by the Workshops table during the guild meeting.

If you are interested in attending a workshop, please reserve your space **NOW** by registering and placing a deposit. There are three ways to register:

1. Visit PVQ's website and pay using PayPal – [www.PuyallupValleyQuilters.com](http://www.PuyallupValleyQuilters.com), click on "Workshops";
2. Sign up at the Workshops table at any PVQ meeting;
3. Send your deposit or payment in full to: Gail Mikuchonis, 1803 186<sup>th</sup> Ave. E., Lake Tapps, WA 98391. (Please include a note on the memo line which workshop you are registering for).

**Questions?** Contact Gail Mikuchonis at [stitcher9@comcast.net](mailto:stitcher9@comcast.net), (253) 405-8096 or drop by the workshops table at the guild meeting.

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## Do you love dolls? There is lots of space available in elinor's class.

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### April 2009 – elinor peace bailey

**elinor peace bailey** makes a much requested return to PVQ not only for a lecture, but also to offer one of her famous doll making workshops. As the ultimate entertainer, she will have you scrambling to use your stash in a whole new way as she presents her lecture, "**Is Your Collection a Working Collection – Cloth Dolls and Beyond.**" She'll return on Friday, April 4, 2009, and offer her popular workshop "**Dollmaker's Choice**" in which you will decide which doll you want to make.

#### Dollmaker's Choice Workshop

April 4, 2009, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Maximum space available: 20

Skill Level: All levels

Workshop Fee: \$75

Location: Calico Cat Quilt Shop



Work on the elinor doll pattern of your choice. Check out all her patterns at <http://www.ebpdolls.com>.

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### May 2009 – Maggie Ball

**Maggie Ball** has been quilting for over 20 years and enjoys using a variety of techniques, creating her own designs from elements of traditional patterns. Her quilts have been exhibited both locally and nationally. She has written 4 books, the latest being "**Bargello Quilts with a Twist**". She is very active in quilting activities in Mongolia. To find out more about Maggie and her quilts, visit her website at: <http://www.dragonflyquilts.com/>

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### June 2009 – Library Sale

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### July 2009 - To be determined

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## August 2009 – Brenda Henning

**Brenda Henning** is a compulsive quiltmaker with a fondness for traditional design and a desire to incorporate today's speed-piecing techniques with yesterday's well-loved patterns. Brenda's machine sewing experience began at the early age of 10 on her grandmother's treadle sewing machine with the first quilt following at age 14. Brenda became a compulsive quilter in the mid-80s, and began teaching quiltmaking in 1989, after her third child turned one. Writing and self-publishing that work have been byproducts of teaching quilting. Brenda is the author of numerous books and individual patterns available under the label Bear Paw Productions.

### Stained Glass Iris workshop August 8, 2009, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Maximum space available: 20**

**Skill Level:** All levels

**Workshop Fee:** \$90.00 (\$50.00 deposit to reserve your space, **balance due by July 1, 2009**).

**Location:** to be announced – Puyallup Area

Supply list available at a later date



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## Coming Soon - 2009 – Karla Alexander

**Karla Alexander** will have you looking at your stash in a whole new way after her **“Lift the Quilts out of Your Stash”** lecture. This program includes a trunk show with lots and lots of quilts that will show the many different styles and subjects discussed during her presentation. Karla returns for a one day workshop entitled, **“Razzle-Dazzle.”**

### Razzle-Dazzle workshop

**Maximum space available: 20**

**Skill Level:** All levels

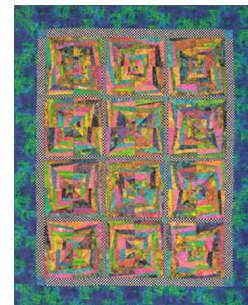
**Workshop Fee:** \$85.00 (\$50.00 deposit to reserve your space, **2009**).

**Location:** to be announced – Puyallup Area

No fussy cutting or difficult piecing – just easy, fun, “cut and sew as you go” no-fail methods are used to create your one-of-a-kind quilt. This 6-hour workshop offers fun, liberating design possibilities based on Karla's recent book, “New Cuts for New Quilts”.

Gather up some fabric and enjoy the freedom of straight, funky-cut angles as you create kaleidoscope blocks. Every block reveals a surprise! For more information about the

workshop visit <http://www.puyallupvalleyquilters.com/workshop%20karla%20alexander.htm>; or stop by the workshops table at the guild meeting. To learn more about Karla visit her website at <http://www.saginawstreetquilts.com/>.



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### SIGNING UP FOR ON-LINE NEWSLETTER NOTIFICATION

Many of you choose to receive the Newsletter on-line but have not yet signed up for the notification of its availability, here's how to sign up for notification:

Steps to sign up for on-line notification.

- Go to [www.puyallupvalleyquilters.com](http://www.puyallupvalleyquilters.com)
- Click on "Online Mail List" at the top of any page
- Fill in your name and e-mail address in the box and click on **"GO"**
- You will be sent a confirmation e-mail to ensure that you are the person who added you to the list
- You must click on the link provided in the e-mail to be added, you won't be added to the online mailing list unless you do this step.

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Please contact Dearlena at [Dearlena2006@comcast.net](mailto:Dearlena2006@comcast.net) with any information on events or shows for the Girlfriends trip list



**"Wrapped in Washington Memories"** Quilters Anonymous Quilt Show March 20-22, 2009 at the Evergreen State Fairgrounds, Monroe, WA more info at [www.quiltersanonymous.com](http://www.quiltersanonymous.com)



**'Quilting at the Beach'** 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Peninsula Quilt Guild Show. March 20-22, 2009 will be held at the [Columbia Pacific Heritage Museum](http://www.columbiaheritagemuseum.org) (formerly the Ilwaco Heritage Museum), 115 SE Lake St., Ilwaco, WA, from 10-4 daily. Admission is free. During the show, there will be ongoing demonstrations of various aspects of quilt making. There will be a special feature show of quilts by Janet King, quilt designer and teacher who uses non-traditional colors to give a modern twist to traditional patterns



**"A Garden of Quilts ... Labors of Love"** 2009 Quilt Show & Merchant Mall, March 27-28, 2009 Three Rivers Convention Center, Kennewick, WA <http://www.tcquilters.com/frame.html>  
Look for the Quilt Show Registration with new deadline: **(revised) March 2, 2009**



The 34th Annual Quilt Show **"Treasures of the Northwest"** April 2, 3 & 4, 2009 at Vancouver Church of Christ 9019 NE 86th Street, Vancouver, WA Many more details to come at <http://www.clarkcountyquilters.org/>



**"Camano Country"** presented by Camano Island Quilters April 10 & 11, 2009 10 am to 5 pm Donations : \$5.00 at the Stanwood Jr High School 9405 271 St. N. W., Stanwood, WA



**"New Beginnings"** presented by Evergreen Piecemakers May 30 – 31, 2009 at the Kent Commons 525 Fourth Ave. N., Kent, WA ( west of Kent station) Deadline for submission to this quilt show is April 27, 2009 – your choice of Judge or NOT Judge entry. Check for more information [www.evergreenpiecemakers.com/2009quiltshow.html](http://www.evergreenpiecemakers.com/2009quiltshow.html)

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