

## 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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### February 2009 – Anita Luvera-Mayer

Fiber artist **Anita Luvera-Mayer** presents "**The Secret Formula for Creativity**," a program sure to get your creative juices flowing. A stunning trunk show of her new body of work, all garments using quilting and embroidery and each piece a marker in her personal life during the past several years, accompanies the lecture.

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### March 2009 – Roxanne Carter

**Roxanne Carter** presents "**My Progress as a Quilter**," an entertaining and informative program combining Power Point and quilts. As a featured presenter at a number of stores and guilds, Roxanne has enthusiastically taught traditional quilting for many years and is the author of four books for Martingale Press/That Patchwork Place Publishing. To learn more about Roxanne visit her website at <http://www.quiltingwithroxanne.com/>.

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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:** \$85.00 (\$50.00 deposit to reserve your space, **balance due by Mar4, 2009**).

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

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



### 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 quilter 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.

**Baltimore Album 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



Create your own Baltimore Album quilt without the turned-under edges of traditional appliqué. This 20" block design starts with a 25 patch-pieced background. The design fabric pieces are then adhered to the background using Roxanne Glue-Baste-It and spray stabilizer is applied to the fabric before stitching. Completion of the quilt top will be discussed but not worked on in class

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### TBD - 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**

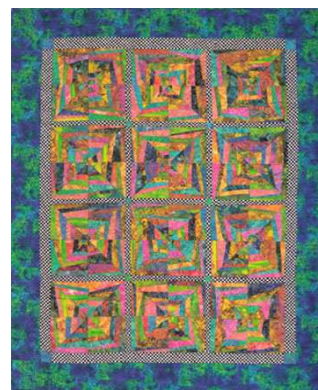
**Maximum space available: 20**

**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/>.



## Possible Girlfriend Trips 2009:

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



**"Sewing & Stitchery Expo"** Feb 23, 27, 28 & March 1, 2009 at the Puyallup Fair and Events Center, Puyallup, WA. The Sewing and Stitchery Expo celebrates its 25th Anniversary!

Visit the website [www.sewexpo.com](http://www.sewexpo.com) for Souvenir contest entry information.



**"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)



**"A Garden of Quilts ... Labors of Love"** Tri-City Quilters' Guild 26th Annual Quilt Show & Merchant Mall March 27, 2009 Friday 10-7pm and March 28, 2009 Saturday 10-5pm Three Rivers Convention Center 7016 W. Grandridge Blvd., Kennewick, Washington [www.tcquilters.com](http://www.tcquilters.com)



**"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)

## La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum

**About La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum:** Celebrating its eleventh anniversary this year, the La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum is one of only twelve quilt museums in the U.S. The Museum is housed in the turn-of-the-century Gaches Mansion, a National Historic Landmark located at 703 South 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, La Conner, WA. Museum hours are Wednesday-Sunday, 11:00 am to 5:00 pm. For more information, please contact the Museum by phone at 360-466-4288; by mail at PO Box 1270, La Conner, WA 98257-1270; by email at [info@laconnerquilts.com](mailto:info@laconnerquilts.com); or visit our website at [www.laconnerquilts.com](http://www.laconnerquilts.com)

Ongoing Exhibits: **The La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum presents "Ralli Quilts: Treasures from Pakistan and India"** with curator Patricia Stoddard and "All Things Not Quilted" works by local, national, & international textile and fiber artists. Exhibits run January 14 through March 29, 2009, Wednesday through Sunday 11-5. Admission to see both exhibits is \$5.00, members and children under 12 free. For more information, please contact the Museum by phone at 360-466-4288; by mail at PO Box 1270, La Conner, WA 98257-1270; by email at [info@laconnerquilts.com](mailto:info@laconnerquilts.com); or visit our website at [www.laconnerquilts.com](http://www.laconnerquilts.com)

**Textile Enrichment Series at the La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum in February: QSI: Quilt Scene Investigators.** Ann Bodle-Nash, Certified Quilt Appraiser, and Anne Dawson, Quilt Restorer, will evaluate your quilts, antique to new. Learn the identity, age, and how to care for your treasures. You will also pick up a bit of quilt history along the way. Two sessions on Saturday, February 7, 2009, 11-1 or 2-4. Cost: \$25 for analysis of two of your quilts, \$20 for analysis of one quilt, or \$15 for presentation only. Admission to Museum is included. Seating is limited. Call 360-466-4288 or [www.info@laconnerquilts.com](http://www.info@laconnerquilts.com)

**Textile Enrichment Series at the La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum in March: "The Mystery of the World's Oldest Carpet"** Fred Lundahl, owner of Music for the Eyes, will speak about the 5th Century B.C. carpets found at the Pazyryk archeological site in Russia. Saturday, March 7, 2009, 1-3pm. Cost: \$10 includes admission to Museum exhibits. Seating is limited. For more information, please contact the Museum by phone at 360-466-4288; by mail at PO Box 1270, La Conner, WA 98257-1270; by email at [info@laconnerquilts.com](mailto:info@laconnerquilts.com); or visit our website at [www.laconnerquilts.com](http://www.laconnerquilts.com)



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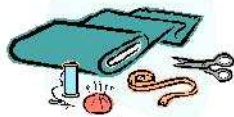
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