

Freeway Lace Guild

Charter Chapter of International Organization of Lace, Inc.

The guild's purpose:

Promote interest in fine old laces and to preserve them for posterity; study the history of lace; learn the names of laces; make laces; and hold lace exhibits.

freewaylaceguild.org

internationalorganizationoflace.org

June 2015

Meetings are held from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM on the third Saturday of the month at:

Pasadena Christian Church Pasadena Christian Church

789 N. Altadena Drive, Pasadena, CA 91107

There are two exceptions: Annual FLG Lace Day replaces the November meeting and the December meeting is held on the first Saturday of December.

OFFICERS

President: Julia Brock Membership

VP: Heidi Petersen

Program VP: Sylvia Fellows

Secretary: Lynn Oliver Secretary:

Treasurer: Louise Rozansky

Historian: Lucie Cofield

Hospitality: Heidi Petersen

Demonstrations: Bill McConnell

Demo Hours: Rita Taylor

Lace Day Co-Chairs: Julia Brock, Joanne Andre and Maria Provencher

Librarian: Vibbs Clausen

Co-Librarian: Betty Jo Emler

Website: Rayne & Lance Wilcox

Newsletter: Francesca Moore Miller

Lace Opportunities

JoDee Kane's Bobbin Lace Class

Thursdays from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

at the Cabrillo Lane Education Center, Cerritos, CA.

Tuesdays with Vibbs 10:00am – 12:00pm

Scandinavian Center

26 Faculty Road Thousand Oaks, CA 91360

Hedgehog Lacers

4th Saturday of month 10:00am-3:00pm

Speech & Language Development Center

8699 Holder St. Buena Park, CA 90620

Moonlight Lacers Guild

Meetings 1st Monday of each month from

7:00 pm-9:00 pm. various locations

Contact: Gail Stone (818) 367-9611

Cross-Twisters

Every Wednesday from 1:00-4:00

San Bernardino County Museum, Redlands, CA

Contact: Lolly Kjolsrud (909) 886-8697



June is Here! School is out for most and the time to sit in the shade and make lace is upon us.

Thank you Sylvia for the butterfly class last month. Many people are making butterflies for the Winter Lace Conference in Feb of 2016. Are you one of them? Thanks.

June's class is an Idrija necklace. It should be quite easy and very pretty. Idrija works up quickly and looks flashy. Bring some beads if you want yours to pop.

The results of the California State Fair are now posted on the website. Lace is Division 165 Class 1.

The results of the San Bernardino County fair show that Shirley Lawyer won Best of Show and a 1 year membership in IOLI for 2016. Congratulations Shirley.

The teach -in at the Homestead House looks promising. Thank you, Bill for co-coordinating it.

Lavender Festival is upon us. It is where we had the Spring retreat a few years ago.

p.s. Joanne and I are off to Portland for a bit of rain and lace. Have a lovely meeting and tell me all about it in July.

Julia

MINUTES

The May 15, 2015 meeting of the Freeway Lace Guild was called to order at 10:55 by President Julia Brock. The minutes were approved as printed.

COMMITTEES

Membership: Heidi distributed new FLG directories with the corrections folks failed to supply before the printing of the previous one.

Thank you Heidi for a yeoman effort.

Treasury: Louise reported a balance of \$12,519.29. This includes rent payments for May through August of \$340, website maintenance (4 months) \$77.64, convention expenses \$198 and membership income of \$250, class income of \$60.

Demonstrations: ♥San Bernardino County Fair in Victorville May 23-24, 30-31 ♥Lavender Festival at Highland Springs Resort June 13-14, 20-21. Contact Francesca for further info. ♥Homestead Museum 15415 East Don Julian Road, City of Industry, CA 91745, June 13, 1-1p. (626 968-8492 or www.homesteadmuseum.org. This will be a teaching workshop. We are all teachers! \$25 for adults, \$20 for seniors (55+) and students over 12. Participants will make a lace bookmark. Julia purchased supplies for and created 20 teaching kits. The Homestead house will make a donation to the guild. Contact Bill or Julia for info.

Library: Vibbs has a cold and Betty Jo is moving. Cindy will take any returned books to Vibbs. Lynn brought one box of knitted lace books for Betty Jo.

Volunteer Hours: FLG had a total of 3415 hours broken down as follows; demonstrating lace 903, travel time 468, preparation time 347.5, free teaching 633.5, programs presented i.e. lectures, exhibits, etc. 90, board member hours 48, charter chapter officer(s) hours 579, additional hours, donations of articles to charity organizations 347. New sheets were passed out, so start recording volunteer hours for 2015-16.

Program: Sylvia will be teaching a butterfly today. She says it's fast and easy with only two leaves that may be replaced by beads. June will feature an Idrija necklace that fits on a memory wire. July of course will be a star.

NEW BUSINESS Thank you to Francesca, Cindy, Louise and Julia for packaging the IOLI convention gifts. It is a card holder that inserts into your lace pillow. It can hold a pattern, note or the stitch card that Julia made.

SHOW 'N TELL

Julia-finished a necklace for her goddaughter, a butterfly and a bracelet.

Lucie-knitted plum hat, two crocheted metallic butterflies, bobbin butterfly in light blue, and a tatted butterfly in pink.

Alice-brought her beautifully framed hedge.

Grace-wore her burgundy bobbin lace bracelet and shared her school award for it.

Sylvia-a lavender butterfly with smashed jewelry findings, a turquoise torchon sampler inspired by the lace from a woman who had learned lace making at the Jurupa Cultural Center and today's butterfly.

Elbert-today's butterfly in orange adapted from a schneeberger pattern.

Heidi- finished her exquisite hardanger sampler!

Lydia-her tatted 2-color bookmark is almost done.

Charlene-a lovely tatted doily.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:25 for lunch to be followed by Sylvia's bobbin lace butterfly class.

Submitted,
Lynn L. Oliver
Secretary

Show & Share



Elbert-today's butterfly



More butterflies



Butterfly Class



more butterfly class



young lacemakers



finished!



Finished beacelet



Lydia-tatted 2-color



Another finish bracelet!



Heidi- exquisite hardanger



Charlene- tatted doily



Sylvia- torchon sampler



Julia- finished lace



Lucie- butterflies



Sylvia's Space

Do you have ideas to share with the guild? We have some very talented people in our guild that can help with programs. If you have any questions ask or call Sylvia 714-501-9864 *Thanks!*

Future Programs (all classes \$5)

June-Idrija necklace

July-star

August- Austrian lace

September and October-TBA

May Project



Idrija Necklace

Materials: It requires 5 pairs of bobbins, Madeira metallic thread (any color), 1 10mm bead (optional) and a chain or memory wire necklet. Actually, I made mine in silver metallic and purple thread.



Thanks, Sylvia

Membership Corner

The Freeway Lace Guild now has 72 members, a bit down from last year. If you see any of our past members, please encourage them to reregister, we miss them! The rosters that were not picked up at meetings have now all been mailed... please let me know if there are any corrections. heidilgp@gmail.com or 310-508-8297

Many Happy Birthday Wishes to our
with June birthdays....

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| Sharon Lienemann | June 9 |
| Rosemary Horr | June 10 |
| Shireen Walker | June 12 |
| Heidi Peterson | June 13 |
| Charleen Law | June 25 |



members

... and a big Welcome to new
joined this year...

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| Janice Blair | Liz Buchroeder |
| Katie Cannon | Lydia Gonzalez |
| Gaylene Jones | Sharon Lienemann |
| Margaret (Peggy) Oberg | Grace @ Alice Ryan |

members who

At our April meeting four members came all the way from Pine Mountain Club, a 90 mile trip one way! We enjoyed their company and hope they will come back soon!



Member Bios....

If you are one of our members who are only able to come to meetings occasionally, and would like to participate in our member bios, please tell us a little about yourself and send a picture. Some suggested questions to answer are... How did you hear about the guild? What is your favorite lace or craft interest? Do you belong to other groups? What is fun and/or unique about you? How long have you been a member and have you held any board positions? We hope to include everyone eventually! heidilgp@gmail.com