

SANTA CLARA VALLEY QUILT ASSOCIATION

STANDING COMMITTEE: PHILANTHROPY

TERM: 2 years

The job of the philanthropy committee is to coordinate the making and distributing of philanthropy quilts. The mechanics of how this is done are up to the committee.

The 2005-2006 committee borrowed ideas from other quilt guilds. The fabric stash is presently housed in the guild storage unit. Packages of tops, backs, batting, and binding were made available at the meetings. Occasional quilt-a-thons were held off site. Blind baby squares were made available at the meetings. Fund raising, i.e. a silent auction featuring quilts donated by guild members was held to purchase supplies. This was in addition to the budget provided by the board. The committee provided backs and batting and asked members to make tops to match. Take home kits and projects to be worked on at guild meetings added to the number of quilts produced. A "Philanthropy" presence is required at the guild's bi-annual quilt show.

The Philanthropy Chairperson duties include:

- Attend all monthly meetings.
- Keep an accurate account of all expenses for the year.
- Present a new budget to the Treasurer for your position/committee for the following year by August first.