



## Join us at the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Fort Bragg Quilt Show!

**June 29-30, 2024**

**10:00 am – 4:00 pm daily, \$10 Entry fee- includes both days!**

We are excited to announce the 2024 Fort Bragg Quilt Show, “Around the Block”. The show will be held at Dana Gray Elementary School in Fort Bragg, California, a perfect venue as it has excellent lighting and plenty of rooms for displays, classes, and vendors.

California’s North Coast is known for having stellar quilters who have an eye toward color and design. Over 175 quilts will be on display by local artists, featuring everything from hand quilting and embroidered designs to appliqué and paper piecing.

This year’s featured artist is Daisy Woodhams, a native of the West. She started learning handwork from her great-grandmother Grams and sewing from her mom. She was a seamstress for years, having started as soon as she could reach the pedal, mastering most types of sewing from upholstery to tailoring. When she retired, she needed a creative outlet, and when she reconnected with a friend who was a quilter, her quilting journey began. This was the summer of 2016.

Daisy’s quilting portfolio includes multiple techniques and styles. As with most quilters, she began with piecing, then moved into applique. She likes precision, so she expanded into foundation paper piecing and quilting using special rulers. Recently she has been experimenting with color, paints/inks, and texture in art quilts.



“Olivia”

Adapted from a pattern by

Lynn Douglas

Pieced by Daisy Woodhams

Quilted by Daisy Woodhams

31” x 37”

Our vendors complement the show with creative offerings that include beautiful fabrics, stunning jewelry, and of course quilting supplies! In addition, you can enjoy the show while your scissors are being sharpened.

A special exhibit at the 2024 show will be “Upcycled Quilts”. What is an upcycled quilt? Sometimes upcycling is referred to as revamping, transforming and repurposing an object, in this case, fabric, into a “new” object, such as T-shirt quilts, jean quilts, memory quilts, etc. Here is a picture that one of our members, Kathy McCormick, made from silk ties.



Adapted from “Log Cabin Notebook”

Quilted by Cindi Jo Willey

Court House Steps

63” x 87”

As a prelude to our quilt show, Ocean Wave Quilters hosts an annual Quilt Walk. Quilts are displayed in local businesses and restaurants from the end of May until after the Fourth of July. Look for the Quilt Walk signage on the front windows of participating businesses.

For a list of places to stay close to the show visit our website at [oceanwavequilters.com](http://oceanwavequilters.com). You can also find a list of interesting activities to do in the area while you are visiting. And it is on our website where you can view our 2024 Opportunity Quilts, “Around the Countryside” and “Friends Around the Block”.

We look forward to seeing you in June! Come to the show and stay to celebrate the Fourth of July!

For more information please reach out to us through our website.