

SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

October 8, 2024

Check-in and Registration began at 9:30 a.m.

Meeting location: Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 33501 Stonehill Drive,
Dana Point, CA

Called to Order at 10:00 a.m. by Jeanette Brooks, President.

Jeanette welcomed members and guests to the meeting and wished a happy birthday to all the members with October birthdays.

The next board meeting is October 15th at the Seaside Villas Clubhouse in Dana Point

Jeanette pointed out the locations of exits, restrooms and refreshments. Jeanette asked everyone to silence their cell phones.

Jeanette reminded members that if they are contacted by her or a gift card or money that it is a scam.

Jeanette reminded everyone to wear their name tags. She also suggested introducing yourself to new members or by sitting by someone new at a workshop.

Jeanette announced that we have members looking at the technology of our guild – a sub-committee has been formed, and they are looking to see if we can do anything to enhance what is already presented to our guild.

There were 71 current members, 2 new members and 5 guests in attendance, bringing it to a total attendance of 78. We currently have 191 members.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. SUNSHINE & SHADOWS: Sharon Whelan reported that there are no new announcements.
- b. Mary Mulcahey's Bylaw review committee has met. Mary is currently in Italy.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

1st VP Programs: October - Jeff Warner; November – Pam Hadfield; December – Give Back. We are working with myowncaseoc.com to pack bags for the many foster children in Orange County. Members can either buy items on the needs list or donate money to be spent to buy supplies.

PHILANTHROPY: Linda Chiu and Nancy Pestal showed a parade of Philanthropy quilts. All members are invited to join the Philanthropy group Wednesday, October 9th, at the Center for Spiritual Living in San Clemente from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

MONTHLY MINI: Judy Nunn & Katy Lillie. This month there are two monthly minis. A very pretty cross-body was donated by Carol Gobrogge. There is also a clear tote with wonderful goodies inside.

RETREAT: Michelle Howe – The Fall retreat is October 21-23.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH: This month is a chain block.

Jan Hirth – A big thank you to Jan for organizing the Hoffman Tour.

Elizabeth Geer – Road to California – January 24th – Bus Trip.

Global Quilt Connection was September 28 and 29. We hope you enjoyed this event.

WORKSHOPS: Mary Arter presented:

October: In-house retreat and making pillowcases.

November: Pam Hadfield “All Around the Neighborhood”.

December: No workshop.

January: Kristie Naranjo “Scrappy Applique”.

February: Joanna Figuora – a new way to pineapple.

Raffle tickets are available for the Workshop drawing.

PROGRAM: Pam Hadfield

Pam introduced Karen Barry from Quilt Passions

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Jeanette announced the break.

Show and Tell: Hiroko and Charlotte – Halloween is in the House

DRAWING WINNERS:

Hospitality: Yvonne Bell

Monthly Mini: Project Bag – Pam Hadfield; Odette’s pillow cover – Denise Riley.

Workshop: Judy Nunn

Door Prizes: Yvonne Bell and Diane Healey.

Jeanette thanked the volunteers, pianists, members, and guests who attended.

The next meeting will be on November 12, 2024, with our talented Pam Hadfield.

Members reminded to clean up, turn on phones.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janis Toman, Secretary