

SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

May 14, 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 the guild a happy fifteenth anniversary.

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

Jeanette handed out stamped envelopes to members who wished to renew their membership by mail. The June guild meeting will be the last day to renew your membership to have your name in the Directory.

There were 99 current members, 3 guests and 5 new members in attendance, bringing it to a total attendance of 107. We currently have 185 members.

Jeanette wished a Happy Birthday to the members with May birthdays.

The next board meeting will be held on May 21st at 10:00 a.m. at Seaside Villas Clubhouse, Dana Point.

Jeanette announced that Del will be taking pictures for the Directory at break.

Dawn Johnson and Glenna Anderson are the new Welcoming committee.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. SUNSHINE & SHADOWS: Sharon Whelan reported that Maggie Bell's daughter became an assistant principal. Deanne Meidell is recovering from shoulder surgery. Ellen Heck passed away. Barbarann Christensen has a new greatgranddaughter. Suzette Blake is going to be a great grandma.
- b. Welcoming Committee: Dawn Johnson and Glenna Anderson

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Block of the Month: Mary Arter finished up the 2023-2024 year with a showing of the completed quilt tops. Kelly Counseller won the \$100 cash prize and Deanne Meidell won the basket of sewing goodies.

New Committee Reports for 2024-2025

1st VP Programs: Pam Hadfield: June – Grace Errea; July – Michelle Howe; August – Susy Nash

PHILANTHROPY: Linda Chiu and Nancy Pestal showed a parade of Philanthropy quilts. Baby quilts are needed for a baby shower in June and should be about 45”x45”. Please continue to make lap sized quilts for Meals on Wheels, quilts for kids, teens and babies. All members are invited to join the Philanthropy group next Wednesday, May 22, at the Center for Spiritual Living in San Clemente from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

MONTHLY MINI: Nancy Ota donated a 15th Anniversary Quilt for SQG.

RETREAT: Michelle Howe presented:

Temecula retreat: June 10-13, 2024. Double and single rooms are available for 4 days, 3 nights: \$520 and \$670 respectively, and for 3 days, 2 nights; \$354 and \$454 respectively. Fifteen have signed up with space for 20.

PHOTOGRAPHY: Del Thomas requested old and new members to please see her to update their Directory photos.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH: Block of the Month 2024-2025: Holly Betz and Judy Kamman introduced the new Block of the Month, “Oh My Stars”. The quilt is made of 12” blocks.

WORKSHOPS: Mary Arter presented:

May 15: Pop Up Shop. There are 15 people signed up to sell.

June 12: Grace Errea teaching No Fray Applique. \$36 for the kit.

July 10: Vickie Janis and Janis Toman will be teaching a bag making class. \$20 for the class, and \$5 for supplies.

August 14: Susy Nash teaching Laura Heine Collage.

September 10: Jeff Warner is teaching a Bargello technique.

Raffle tickets are available for the Workshop drawing.

PROGRAM: Jeanette Brooks

Introduction of the new board. Each member shared their favorite quilt.

History of Surfside Quilters Guild was given by Jeanette Brooks.

Presentation of the President's quilt to Past President, Mary Mulcahey, by Debbie Myers.

Jeanette announced the break.

DRAWING WINNERS:

Hospitality: Suzie Whitney

Monthly Mini: Jan Hirth

Workshop: Maureen Killackey

Door Prizes: Katy Lillie and Monica Shafer

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

The next meeting will be on June 11, 2024 – Grace Errea

Members reminded to clean up, turn on phones.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:01 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janis Toman, Secretary