

SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

July 14, 2020

Via Zoom Video Conference

Called to Order at 10:00 a.m. by Mary Arter, President.

Mary welcomed everyone back to our Zoom General Meeting format. There were approximately 82 people involved in the video conference. She wished a Happy Birthday to the 14 members with July birthdays.

The next board meeting will be held via Zoom on July 21 at 10:00 a.m. Guests are welcome. Let Mary know if you would like to attend and she will send you the Zoom information.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Pacific international Quilt Festival will be a virtual quilt show October 14-17.
- Mancuso Show Management will present their second virtual quilt show August 12-15.
- QuiltCon will be held February 18-22, 2021, as a virtual quilt show.

Sunshine and Shadows: Elizabeth Geer's husband passed away recently. Guild Member Julia Maben passed away recently. Cards were sent to both families.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

BLOCK OF THE MONTH: Janis Toman showed block #4 named "Surfside Flower." There will be 12 blocks in all. Other patterns are available on the Surfside website.

MEMBERSHIP: Thank you, Vivien Hawker, for mailing the new directories.

NOVEMBER FEST: Mary Arter will ask the board at the July meeting to discuss and decide on the future of November Fest 2020.

Boutique: Monica Shafer and Odette Ostanowski showed items that have been made already.

Raffle Baskets: Nancy Pestal will have no report until the decision about November Fest has been made.

Quilt Auction: Cathie Opila – No report

PHILANTHROPY: Linda Chiu spoke during a wonderful slide show of completed quilts. There are 111+ ready for distribution. There will be a donation to the UCI Oncology Auction. Other quilts will be donated in the future to Olive Crest, Meals on

Wheels, Family Assistance Ministries in San Clemente and also to a new program of FAM called Fresh Start.

You may call Linda or Nancy Pestal for quilts to be picked up and Sheri Hill for batting.

SCCQG: Sharon Jaeger and Mary Arter will attend their virtual board meeting on July 18.

WORKSHOPS: Deanna Garcia - No report until workshops can be scheduled again.

BUS TRIPS: Judy Kamman – Plans are on hold right now. The bus company only needs 3-4 weeks notice for the trip to Road to CA in January, 2021.

PHD: Sheri Hill – The group met on June 26, at Cathie Opila’s house. They will be working on #8 at a time and location to be announced.

RETREAT: Michelle Howe reported our retreat dates for 2021 are June 14-17.

PROGRAMS: Janet Smith reported Jay Seidel will present a Member Showcase in August. Other speakers who can present by Zoom are being planned for the future.

Our speaker for today was introduced by Janet Smith:

Sam Hunter, Hunter’s Design Studio, presented a PowerPoint presentation: “Creative Process – Where to Find Inspiration and How to Put it into Practice” She offered a coupon code which was effective for 24 hours on her website. The sticker maker she mentioned is standoutstickers.com.

SHOW AND TELL: Mary presented slides as each maker described her quilt. Please send her photos to be included in Show and Tell each month.

FAT QUARTER DRAWING: Judy Nunn put the names of all of today’s participants in a container and drew Charlotte Runyan as the winner of a fat quarter.

Mary Arter ended the meeting with thanks to our speaker, Sam, and to all who attended the meeting today. The next general meeting will feature Jay Seidel on August 11.

Adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Deanne Meidell, Secretary