

# Surfside Quilters Guild

## General Meeting # 64 Minutes

August 12, 2014, 10:00 a.m.

San Clemente Presbyterian Church, 119 N. Ave De La Estrella, San Clemente, CA 92672

### Call to Order:

President Linda Ambrosini welcomed guests and new members, and acknowledged those with August birthdays. A thank you was given to piano players Jo Hutcheson and Pat McNeil. Reminders were given concerning lunch reservations at Carbonara's, no parking in south lot, and turning off cell phones.

### Special Announcements:

Sunshine and Shadows: Nancy Bloyer is at home and would love texts and/or e-mails, please note that her phone and e-mail have changed, the new ones are in the August newsletter. Sumi Maruyama is recovering from a broken wrist. Katy Lillie also is recovering from a bad fall.

Bus Trip to Palm Springs Quilt Show: Maggie Bell and Monica Shafer will be chairing the bus trip on Thursday, October 2, 2014. Sign-ups will begin today! The bus will leave San Clemente at 7 a.m. with a stop at Mission Viejo Target and leave the show about 5 p.m. Cost is \$435. Four members will have quilts in the show: Jan Hirth, Nancy Gasparotti, Odette Osantowski, and Nancy Ota. The bus has been reserved for the January 22, 2015 Road to California show.

Theater Trip: Sign-ups begin today for "Quilters the Musical" on Sunday Oct 5<sup>th</sup>, 2014. Checks for \$23 should be made out to Cabrillo Playhouse and given to Maggie Bell.

Friendship Groups: Monica Shafer & Maggie Bell

The meeting will be Wednesday, August 20, 2014 at La Siesta restaurant in San Clemente at 11:30 a.m. for new members and those interested in joining a friendship group.

Monthly Mini: Margaret Arnold & Nancy Gasparotti

Vickie Janis made and quilted the mini for August, a bright and sunny citrus table topper.

November Fest: Betty Collins

Betty requested donations of food and materials. Connie Veldkamp showed items for the auction and requested additional items. Nancy Gasparotti requested help with food and Mary Freedman, items for baskets.

Philanthropy: Sheri Hill

Olive Crest will receive 25 quilts. Throws and lap quilts are being collected for Meals on Wheels San Juan Capistrano. A Christmas quilt will be put together at the August 19, 2014 meeting.

Super Swappers: Joann Bishop & Susie Russell

Bags of polka dotted fabrics were distributed and batiks were turned in. We'll swap stripes in September, Christmas and tone-on-tone/neutral (in separate bags) in October, and Civil War fabrics in November.

Workshops: Wendy McCalley & Linda Rigdon

Several openings remain for the August 13<sup>th</sup> mystery quilt workshop. In September, Rob Appell will present a fused and raw-edged marine life art quilt, and in October, Peggy Martin will teach a millennium star which is

paper pieced. If space is available, non-members can register for workshops after the previous month's general meeting. The fees will be \$40 for members and \$50 for non-members.

UFO Group: Wendy McCalley & Linda Rigdon  
The meeting will be August 22, 2014 at Maggie Bell's Clubhouse.

Wounded Warrior: Mary Freedman  
Nine finished quilts were shown as well as this month's block. The meeting is the first Tuesday of the month at Mary's home from 9:00-3:00.

Show and Tell: Nineteen projects were shown by 14 members.

Break: Time for Hospitality, Workshop sign ups, Monthly Mini Tickets, Photos with Del.

Monthly Mini Drawing: The table topper was won by Wendy McCalley.

Hospitality Drawing: Joan Provance won a bowl of watermelon.

Membership report: Katy Lillie  
Members Present: 125  
Guests Present: 7  
New Members: 2  
Total Present: 134  
Members for 2014-2015: 214 by Katie

Programs: Odette Osantowski  
Odette announced the teachers for Demo Day:  
Victoria Crayne (labels)  
Ruth Johnson (windmills)  
Wendy McCalley (magic blocks)  
Linda Rigdon (ric rac flowers.)  
The audience remained seated while the teachers moved stations three times.

Board Meeting will be at Maggie Bell's clubhouse on Aug19th.

Adjournment at 12:05.

Submitted by Connie Veldkamp  
Secretary, Surfside Quilters Guild