

Minutes, September 8, 2009 10:00 am
Surfside Quilters Guild, General Meeting #5

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Welcome/cell phone reminder

Parking ---Not in south lot, extra lot on Cabrillo and El Camino Real

Restroom Access: Two routes available, one through the fireside room and the other through hospitality.

Logo contest: Finally, you get to see the finalists of our logo contest, 32 designs by 21 designers. To reduce the number of designs for today's vote, the board members voted. You should have received your ballot at membership. You may vote and turn it in to Lyndy Dye before the end of break. Lyndy please stand.

Guest: Op quilt by the Orange County Quilters Guild. Cheri Hansen. Be sure and attend their quilt show, "Quilts – Our Global Language", Saturday or Sunday, September 26 and 27 at CSUF Titan Student Union. The featured artist is one of our own members, Claudia Redfern.

2nd VP Membership: Cindy Croucher

Number of members: 220

Welcome new members!

Welcome guests!

Questions? Ask the board members wearing a lei.

3rd VP Facility: Kathie Bellamy

Hapa J is unable to accommodate us today, so we are going to the lovely Irons at the San Clemente Golf Course. 150 Avenida Magdalena, San Clemente CA 92672 949.542.3900

Choice of three entrees, coffee, tea, soda, chef choice dessert,
\$15.00 with tax and tip included.

Menu and directions available at the membership desk

Currently we have 28 **reservations**, 6 more from the audience. Total of 39 attended lunch.

Member's Photographs: Pam Engelhardt and Carol Whiteside are taking photos of members for the website photo album.

Block Party: Jan Hirth and LeAnn Goettel – the "Surf's Up" quilt is growing, tutorial available from the guild website. How many are making the blocks? Show of hands indicates good participation.

Friendship Groups: Please see Betty Prottas and Sue Haw

A Friendship group in the Carlsbad/Oceanside area is looking for more members.

Monthly Mini: Mary Freedman

Nancy Bloyer, your SQG Secretary, made the September mini from the pattern "Thoughtful Pillow" by Deborah Busby. Nancy began quilting some 20+ years ago when a friend asked her to go to a quilting class in Orchards, Washington. In a few years she was invited to meet with a small group of women who create hand quilted quilts on a traditional frame. She finished her first machine pieced quilt in 1993 and has since tried different quilting techniques. After learning to hand appliqué she found joy in the handwork of Hawaiian quilts, heirloom baby quilts, doll bed quilts and mini quilts for fundraisers. The felted wool is her newest exploration. The texture and detail of handwork is natural for her. Nancy is proud to say she has not machine appliquéd or machine quilted any of her quilts! Be sure and take a look, I know you will want this for Thanksgiving.

Newsletter: Del Thomas – thanks Del for beautiful September newsletter. She says it is getting easier, less calls to the tech support in India. Newsletter deadline is *Tuesday, September 22*.

Philanthropy: Stash Busters next meeting: *Monday, September 28, from 10 to 4*, at A Time To Sew. Membership in this wonderful group is open. This month will be a lesson given by Rachel Maus. Please see Julie Vlahos and Monica Shafer about joining the group.

Workshops: Microphone- Sally Edwards

September 9, Lillian Gordon, Lillian's One Day Quilt, \$30.00. Community Presbyterian Church, Youth Center. Color/design.

October 14, Odette Osantowski, Paper Piecing, Community Presbyterian Church, Youth Center.

November 11, Patricia Beaver, Vintage doll square. Embellish heat set fabric crayons and hand embroidery. No sewing machine. The class is full at this first sign up with 7 on the waiting list.

Surfside Stars: Diane Collins reminds you to turn in your signature bricks and more are available.

December Fest: Barbara Seidel and Marge Johnson, this is SGG's first big fundraiser and it will take a team effort to make it successful. There is a committee formed comprised of Barbara, Marge, Joann Bishop, Kathie Bellamy, and Bev Weibel. If you are interested in helping with this important event please contact one of the committee members. The event will include gift baskets (this is a way friendship groups can get involved) and a silent auction. Auction items include a beautiful red, white, and blue quilt donated by Kathie Bellamy and a weekend at a cabin at Big Bear Lake. Donations are welcome anytime. The deadline is November 10, the general meeting.

Arrangements for pick up may be made with Marge Johnson. Marge Johnson passed a clip board for volunteer to sign. Response was excellent.

1st VP Programs: Microphone-Sharon Whelan

September: Lillian Gordon, color in design, history of marbling, and description of dyeing process.

October: Odette Osantowski, trunk show

November: Patricia Beaver, trunk show

Sharon introduced Lillian Gordon with a poem. Thank you Lillian!

Logo Contest: Last chance to turn in your vote, see Lyndy at her table.

Roster Photographs: Pam Englehardt and Carol Whiteside are working on taking photographs of members for our on-line, members only SQG Roster. This voluntary, see Pam or Carol in the Fireplace Room.

Break

Has everyone turned in their Logo ballot? Lyndy Dye

Hospitality: Bev Weibel: Please sign up for next month on the yum table.

Membership: Today's membership stats.

New members: 2

Guests: 6

Total number in attendance: 116

Membership total 222

Monthly Mini: Microphone- Mary Freedman,

Nancy Bloyer, maker, pulled the winning ticket. THANK YOU, Nancy. Winner was Sharon Whelan! Income \$170.00

Show & Tell: Microphone- Maggie Bell, with help from Sue Troise, Janet Shannon, Katy Lillie and Emily LaMond.

Logo Contest: Microphone-Lyndy Dye announced the winning logo. The designers were Susie & Dave Russell. Susie was given a bouquet of flowers and a round of applause.

Congratulations!!! There were 32 designs by 21 designers. Thanks to the designers who submitted: Kathy Awender, Nancy Bloyer, Jan Bojikes, Diane Collins, Mary Gorelick, Linda Graham, Priscilla Hackbarth, Sue Haw & Megan Walley, Barbara Korne, Joan Mauri, Robert Melville & Barbara Seidel, Mary Mulcahey, Nancy Ota, Susie & Dave Russell, Patty Seebold, Austin Stringfellow, and Carol & Don Whiteside.

Meeting adjourned.

Please help us by looking around and clean your space.

THANKS FOR COMING! See many of you at Irons for lunch.