

**Surfside Quilters Guild
General Meeting #112 MINUTES
September 11, 2018**

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

Call to Order: Time: 9.59AM

1. President, Becky McDaniel, welcomed guests and new members and asked them to stand. Acknowledged September birthdays.
2. No music as there was no piano.
3. No parking in south lot.
4. Please turn off or silence cell phones.
5. Next Board Meeting: Tuesday, September 18, 10:00AM, Seaside Villas Clubhouse, Dana Point, CA.

Special Announcements:

- Nancy Gasparotti, subject of "Let's Get to Know" in the newsletter was asked to stand and be recognized.
- El Camino Quilt Guild is selling tickets to win their beautiful black and white opportunity quilt displayed at the back of the room.
- Sharon Yeager, a guest, is representing the SCCQG Quilt Challenge at Road to CA; she will collect entries and deliver them.
- A Quilt Drive has been created for families and especially children whose homes were destroyed by the Carr Fire in Redding CA. The Quilters' Sew-Ciety of Redding will collect new quilts, lap size and larger. Donations of supplies are also needed. Further details will be published in the SQG October newsletter.
- A Welcoming Tea for new members is planned at Becky McDaniel's house on October 23, 2018. All new members as well as Board Members are invited to attend.
- **Sunshine & Shadows:** Margo Grube will celebrate her 94th birthday this month.

Committee Reports:

-Philanthropy: Mary Arter and Linda Chiu - Mary thanked everyone for quilts that were turned in. Kits for quilts available at back of the room; many just need to be bound. Philanthropy welcomes orphan blocks and UFO projects.

Statistics this month:

- \$120 from fat qtr. sales in August; 39 quilts completed, 8 distributed in August.
- Next Meeting: Wednesday, September 19th, 10AM-2PM
- Quilt Parade followed.

-November Fest: Charlotte Runyan - Plans for November Fest are progressing; many volunteers are needed. Sign-up sheets are at the back of the room. Next meeting is September 28th, 10AM at her house.

Mary Arter, Quilt Baskets: Mary has 38 commitments for baskets. A sample of a completed basket is displayed at the back of the room. She has empty baskets, cellophane, and bows available. Baskets should be turned in at the October meeting; they will be collected in the parking lot beginning at 8:30AM. She seeks volunteers for set-up (the day prior) as well as runners at November Fest. Gift card donations and cash will be collected at September and October meetings.

Judy Kamman, Boutique: Judy is thrilled with items that were just donated at the meeting but hopes for a bit more. She would like to fill a six foot Christmas tree with ornaments and asked each member to donate a handmade ornament.

Cathie Opila, Quilt Auction: She is on-track and ready to go but could use a few more donations.

-Membership: Judy Nunn -
Members present: 120
Guests: 11
New members: 5
Total at meeting: 136
Total current members: 205

-Block of the Month: Vickie Janis and Janis Toman: Janis displayed the “Beach Cabanas” block, the fifth in this series. She noted that all five patterns to date may be found on the SQG website.

-Monthly Mini: Sheri Hill and Nancy Northrup - They are selling tickets for a beautiful wall hanging of Camellias by Del Thomas.

-Future Speakers & Workshops: Monica Shafer, Jane Salem, Vivien Hawker - Monica noted that future programs include: Lyn Mann with “There are no Ugly Fabrics” in October. November is November Fest and in December, Member Showcase by Monica Shafer. January speaker is Jennifer Rapacki, “Modern Technology for Quilters.”

Jane and Vivien showed samples for Lyn Mann and Jennifer Rapacki workshops and mentioned that there were two openings in Annie Unrein’s workshop tomorrow.

-Program: Annie Unrein, Simple Gifts and Weekend Projects

-Other announcements: Becky McDaniel - Becky reminded members to check out during the break:

- 50-50 Raffle
- Recycled magazine sales
- Fat Quarter Sale
- Workshop sign-up
- SewCial sign-up
- Workshop raffle
- Sign-ups for November Fest

BREAK: 10 minutes - returned at 11:40AM

POST BREAK

-Show & Tell: Julie Vlahos and Carol Whiteside: Becky reminded participants to step off the stage and have their photo taken by Susie Russell afterward.

-Volunteers Today: Thanks to Marjie Butterworth for coordinating meeting volunteers: **Katy Lillie, Nancy Northrup, Joan Orris, Patty Seebold, and Karen Wendel.**

Drawings:

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| -Name tag - Judy Nunn - | Janie Culbertson won a "layer cake." |
| -Hospitality - Kathryn Firman | Sheri Hill won flowers. |
| -Workshop raffle - Jane Salem | None |
| -Monthly Mini - Sheri Hill | Joann Bishop won Del Thomas' creation. |
| -50-50 Raffle - Mary Freedman | Priscilla Hackbarth won \$81. (\$162 total) |

CLOSE OF MEETING:

1. Lost & Found - nothing.
2. Please pick up trash. Check area for your belongings.
3. Turn cell phones back on.
4. Thank you for coming.

Meeting Adjourned: 12:00PM