

No July board meeting

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COASTAL QUILTERS GUILD MEETING: JULY 10, 1991 AT GENERAL RESEARCH

Carol Boyce called the meeting to order at 7:40 p.m. There were approximately 85 people present, many of them with cameras in anticipation of Katie Pasquini's talk, and Carol's first announcement was that she had just been informed by the security guard that no cameras were allowed in General Research for security reasons. She will speak to the facilities manager to see whether that rule can be bent for us.

Katie Pasquini spoke from 7:45 to 9 p.m. on "Quilts and Quilt Trips; or Quilts, Quilts, Everywhere Quilts." She showed slides of her travels as a quilting teacher, and of her quilts, which showed that inspiration is indeed everywhere. We were impressed by the Memory Jar Quilts, her collection of strange road signs, and her general sense of fun. Katie showed some of her quilts after the slide presentation but had to cut the question period short because she wasn't feeling well. She will be giving a workshop on Saturday at the Goleta Valley Community Center, and it should be exciting.

The business portion of the meeting began at 9:20 p.m. Carol B. has been approached by a non-Guild member who wants to rent a quilt frame; see her if you have one you're willing to let out of your house. Norah McMeeking announced that Nordstroms is displaying some quilts made by Guild members until July 20, and they also have a place for the Opportunity Quilt behind the concierge's desk and would sell tickets for us. Pat Stanovich is having a quilt show at Sexton House, Hollister and Ward Boulevard, on Saturday, August 31, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Space is available for anyone who wants to show or sell, and Pat says that the Opportunity Quilt could be shown and tickets sold there too.

Hardly any of the nomination sheets were returned to Zetta Hanna after last month's meeting. If you have one, please see that she gets it. Suzy Carter reported that the magazine subscription snafu has apparently been cleared up; however, if you continue to have difficulties with a subscription you got through the Guild last winter, please see her. Sandi Globus gave the final financial accounting of the Museum Show, and our final income was \$2567.55, including the auction. One person who hadn't paid for Nancy Whalen's workshop was sent a refund check: if you received money you weren't entitled to, or if you haven't sorted out your proceeds from the Museum Show, please get in touch with Sandi as soon as possible.

Colby Kline thanked the people who brought refreshments. Michele Lyon, our librarian, announced that a Jinnie Beyer video on piecing is now in our possession, and the membership voted to buy Clues in the Calico. Lee Carlson spoke on workshops, reminding us about Katie Pasquini's on July 13 and saying that Cheryl Bradkin will be giving one on Seminole patchwork in September. Maggie Godwin then gave us an update on the speakers for the rest of the year. In August we'll have the Hoffmann Challenge clothing show, a report on Paducah, and a visit from Mary Ellen Hopkins. In September Cheryl Bradkin will speak on Seminole patchwork; the month after, Denita Ravelovitch will discuss and give a workshop on rubber stamping. In November Michelle Shoesmith will help us organize our sewing rooms, and in December Mary Ellen Hopkins will talk about continuing on with log cabins. Maggie also showed us the three ugly fabrics for this year's challenge; the rules will be out and the fabrics will be available in August.

Jane Manassee reported on Brinkerhoff and Stowe House, saying that quite a few directories and Block of the Month books, as well as Opportunity Quilt tickets, had been sold, and a lot of quilting was done too. Denise Clark thanked the ladies who sold more than 320 tickets at Brinkerhoff and Stow House, and she reminded us that a free Guild membership would go to the person selling the most tickets. Again, if anyone is interested in borrowing the quilt to show at work, church, or wherever, please see Denise.

Kristin Otte won the 22 blocks from the last Block of the Month; next month's block is "Flowers in a Pot." Doris Floyd called our attention to the fact that the drawing in the newsletter is not accurate in terms of leaf placement; however, if we follow the directions, we should be fine. Door prizes were won by Pat Yamada, Nancy Bauerle, Candy Poolman, Verna Smith, and Susan G. Twelve people had items for Show and Tell, Susan G. noting that the Folkwear Pattern no. 107, the Afghan dress, runs very small. The meeting was adjourned at 10:05 p.m.