

Coastal Quilters Guild General Meeting

St. Andrews Church

January 8, 2004

President, Susan West opened the meeting at 7:05. Membership announced 3 guests, one from Australia. The new members Ann Marks and Ann Ames were introduced.

Susan announced that a new "chair person" is needed. Someone to set up and take down the chairs for our meeting once a month would be paid \$50 each time. Set up time is 4:30pm and take down time is 9:30pm. People participating in Show and Tell were: Mary Weaver, Liz Turner, Michelle Peerson, Edalee Keehn, Susan Halo, Michelle Garbarino, Diane Moore, Joey Strait, Ruth Walters, Marge Hall, Patti Hunter, Pat Masterson, Kristen Otte, Norah McMeeking, Judy Garindo, Jane McMenamin, Barbara Ortiz, Erma Sheaha, Nola Ferguson, Arla Wardell, Rosana Loving.

Vice President of Current Programs, Penny Odom announced the upcoming program for February will be Mickey Lawler, who will speak on "Creating Your Own Fabric." She also announced that the March speaker would be Robyn Pandolf.

Quilt Show chair, Betty Kelly asked for help with the Quilt Show. She asked people to come to the committee meeting to help on Thursday the 22nd of this month at 7:00pm in the Craft room at Samarkand. Publicity people are needed.

The actual Quilt Show will be October 9th and 10th, Columbus Day weekend.

Pictures of your quilts for show should be submitted with the application by August.

Satellite Chair, Ruth Walters encouraged people to join a satellite group.

Quilt teacher, Nora McMeeking spoke about an Ethnic Quilt Trunk Show to be held at the Schott Center on February 24th. She showed some examples from Pakistan.

Susan announced the break in the meeting and the fact that Margaret Miller; our speaker had books for sale.

Pat Masterson announced an Art Quilt Show at the SB Museum of Art on March 5th & 6th. The evening of the 5th there will be a free reception for the participants.

Jan Beckert and Mary Ann Huggins demonstrated the Block of the Month.

It will be a pieced heart with pink and red center and off white background.

Nancy King won this month's Block of the Month of spools. 47 blocks were submitted.

Door prizes were won by Lynn Henskin, Jan Beckert 2, Ursala Dial, Heather Georgakis, and Carol Barringer.

Penny Odom gave an enthusiastic introduction to our speaker, Margaret Miller. There appeared to be SRO but people did find seats and settled in to hear a vivacious speaker. Ms Miller titled her talk, "Looking Ahead". She said, "Quilt makers are a formidable force for peace" She was a dynamic speaker. The meeting adjourned around 9:20pm.

Respectfully submitted, Paulette Ley