

COASTAL QUILTERS GUILD, INC.
GENERAL MEETING, January 14, 2010

The January General Meeting of the Coastal Quilters Guild was held at the Saint Andrews Presbyterian Church in Goleta. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Darilyn Kisch.

Welcome: Darilyn welcomed 2 new members, 7 guests, and Yvonne Porcella.

Announcements: Darilyn made the following announcements.

Thanked members for their food donations. Just fewer than 1000 cans in 10 months have been donated.

Ricky Tims has sent some items to the guild (3 how-to videos, 4 music CDs, and 2 patterns).

SBCC Adult Education begins and some space is still available for quilting classes.

Signups: (workshop table: make checks payable to "Coastal Quilters")

Tomorrow's workshop with Yvonne has space.

February's workshop with Andi Perejda has space.

March is the Challenge month. No workshop but Sat., March 13 is an Open Sew. It is free but space is limited. Sign up at the workshop table.

Road to California bus trip has just a few spaces left.

Upcoming Guild Events:

Next New Member Welcome Coffee is Tuesday, Jan 19 at 10 am at Darilyn's house. RSVP's appreciated but not required.

Next Board meeting is Jan. 21 at 6:30 pm at Maravilla. (Dinner at Frescos at 5 pm)

Nov. 14 – Jan. 24 Fibervision show at Elverhoj in Solvang

Next Quilt Show meeting is Feb.13 at 10 am.

Bulleting Board Updates:

Quilt needs help.

Breast Friends Forever is looking for help in sewing bags for those undergoing breast cancer treatments.

Information available concerning online classes, challenges, and auctions.

Member Vickie Manning gave a presentation on a special project, Ba Ba Blankets.

Quilt Show: Carol Hart reported and encouraged members to enter their quilts. She discussed what judges may criticize and the different categories to be judged. Wearable art will be judged this year and there is a \$10 entry fee. Evelyn Gorrindo explained that the merchandize sold in the boutique at the quilt show are things you make at home and then sell in the boutique booth. If you sell merchandize then you are required to work in the booth. Marilyn Osgood handles the money for the boutique booth.

Community Quilts: Meredith Scott of Fostering Friends gave a presentation on the purpose of Fostering Friends and what they do.

Challenge Quilts: Judith and Jean reported there is just one month until it is time to turn in your challenge quilts. The entry form will be in the newsletter.

Block of the Month: Naomi and Debbie reported on the new block for February and displayed a new container for blocks that will be given away to each winner for the month. Rosana Swing was the winner for January.

Show & Tell: Ten members showed their quilts.

Break: The satellite group, Sew What's, provided the refreshments.

Program: Darilyn presented the speaker, Yvonne Porcella.

Door Prizes: Sue Kadner announced the door prize winners: Joanne Conklin, Christa Huwe, Barbara MacCallum, Ann Marx, and Barbara Postma. The contributing vendors were: Assistance League of Santa Barbara, Baron's Fabrics, Craft Essentials, Grant House, Quilt Ventura, The Creation Station, The Treasure Hunt, The Warm Company and anonymous Guild members.

Door Prize earned \$210.00.

The meeting adjourned at 9:10 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Priscilla Jacobs
Recording Secretary