# COASTAL QUILTERS GUILD MEETING - JAN. 8. 1992

Barbara Maxwell called the meeting to order at 7:40 p.m. at General Research. There were 112 people present.

#### Announcements:

Everyone was urged to enjoy looking at the quilts made for the Ugly Fabric Challenge. The Southern CA. Council of Quilt Guilds meets Saturday, Jan. 18, in Huntington Beach. Flyers for quilt shows are on the front table. All of the people who brought refreshments were thanked.

## Rules for the Fabric Exchange:

Norah McMeeking explained the rules for the fabric exchange. Each person who brought fabric got a number. The first to draw will also get to go last and choose what she wants. Fabric can be "stolen" only twice. You may choose a fabric from the basket or choose from a package already opened.

### Other announcements:

Norah announced that our Feb. program will be Round Robin workshops led by members. March will be Rachel Clark, who does fabric art clothing. We have lost our "chair" boy (Ludwick) and need someone for this. We pay \$20 per meeting to set up the chairs.

Maggie Godwin announced that before we break, she will pass out ballots to vote for the quilt of our choice. She reminded people that the <u>quilts</u> are not ugly, just the fabric is ugly!

Carol Ludwick reported the the guild collected 200 pounds of food for the Food Bank at our December meeting. Do people want to do another Ginghers' order? The vote was yes, so we will do this at our March meeting. Membership packets are now available for those people who have paid their dues. Approximately 115 people are paid as of right now! To help them be more easily identified, officers will now wear name cards in a GREEN color. Birthday girls for January are: Nancy Bauerly, Jan Inouye, Jane Manasse, Gail Tinsley, and Pat Ymada.

## Block of the Month:

Doris Floyd conducted a special drawing for those people who participated the most in making the Block of the Month in 1991. Cathy Rampton was the lucky winner of a gift certificate from Betty's Fabrics.

Kathy Doughty reported that 120 blocks (named Exquisite block) had been turned in for tonight's drawing! Members voted to have just one winner instead of splitting the blocks into two quilts. The lucky winner was Carol Ludwick! February's block will be the Indiana Puzzle. Kathy gave some helpful hints on making it.

## Other business:

Marjorie Hall and her committee have looked into possibilities for our Community Project. Please see the list in tonight's newsletter. Also please sign up tonight to help with this project.

Denise Clark (via Zetta) asked people who had signed up for the Charm Square exchange to pick up their copy of the information sheet on this. The exchange will be in February.

Jan Inouye announced that there ARE openings in our Feb. mini-workshop. Also she is now accepting sign-ups for a Rachel Clark workshop in March.

The quilts from the Goleta Library display are here: Please pick up your quilts.

Door prizes were an AQS calendar, won by Joan Hinckley; a Quilters' Hall of Fame pin, won by Tiffany Watt; a quilting stamp, won by Betty Elred; a quilting stamp, won by a guest; and a cat stamp, won by Carol Ludwick.

Before our break, Maggie passed out the ballots and asked us to circle 3 - and only 3\_ quilts as our choice of the 16 Ugly Fabric Quilts.

After our break, we had our fabric drawing game: 107 packages (of a half a yard of fabric each) were there. This fun game lasted one full hour!. Eleven people shared their works for SHOW & TELL.

Finally, Maggie announced the results of the Ugly Challenge:

First prize (a \$100 gift certificate from Betty's): Sharon Doyle

Second prize: Judy Gorrindo Third prize: Susan Cochran

Fourth Prize: Eve Gill (her first quilt!)

The meeting was dismissed at 9:50 p.m.

## Participants in the Ugly Fabric Challenge:

- 1. Cathy Rampton Flying Geese
- 2. Penny Hall Flower Basket
- 3. Harriet Berk a Barn silhouette
- 4. Barbara Maxwell stars in hot pink
- 5. Judy Gorrindo Feathered Star
- 6. Susan Cochran Living Room from Hell
- 7. Maggie Godwin dyed fabric with kite & EPB doll
- 8. Darlene Skow a crazy quilt
- 9. Lee Carlson a zig-zag design
- 10.. Eve Gill an applique using the birds from one fabric
- 11. Zetta Hanna Crossword puzzle
- 12. Jan Inouye a curved pinwheel
- 13. Ruth Walters Bow-Ties
- 14. Claire Hemke a whirlybird
- 15. Sharon Doyle Snail's Trail in the Garden
- 16. Helena Kennedy used a compass center block

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