

Marty
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COASTAL QUILTERS MEETING MINUTES

SEPTEMBER 13, 1989

Marty Frolli opened the meeting at 7:40 p.m. in the Goleta Library. There were 66 people present.

Marty made some general announcements:

- She reminded us that nametags are now available and asked that we be sure to leave them at the end of the meeting.
- The latest newsletter is at the welcoming table.
- There are still some Gingher orders to be picked up from Zetta.
- The library window was decorated by the guild this month; those who hadn't seen it yet were advised to take a look before they left. Thanks went to Zetta Hanna, Sandi Globus, and Liz Steele for putting it together. Next year we'll do the window in November with a Christmas theme.
- Even though there has been talk of the library having to close on Wednesday evenings, we'll still be able to use the room.
- Though it's not possible this year, we'll look into getting a microphone sometime next year.
- The Hoffman Challenge will be at Sally's Quilt Quarters in Santa Maria during the week of November 1.
- Sharon Hurley is forming a local chapter of the Sewing Guild of America - information is available.
- There will be a drafting class at the Cotton Gallery on September 30, taught by Norah McMeeking.

Suzy Carter welcomed the evening's 10 guests and new members.

Committee announcements were made:

- Jan Inouye reminded us that the deadline for submitting a quilt to Visions is September 26.
There will be a quilt show at UCSB during February and March. Our October program is Elinor Peace Bailey. People who want to take her workshop need to sign up tonight so they can get the pattern and supply list in time to be ready for the class. Our Challenge quilts are due in November. Since tonight was a sneak-a-peek raffle for those who showed that they were indeed making a quilt, Jan pulled a name - Judy Gorrindo won.
- Carol Boyce told us of new additions to our library and reminded us that there are stencil cutters available. She also explained how we would be having a display at the BVCC as part of Goleta Valley Days. She asked that people who participated in last year's challenge submit their quilts, and said that everyone was allowed to submit one in addition to those. She explained the need for all the volunteers we can get and passed sign-up sheets so that people could indicate in what ways they could be involved.
- Sandi Globus reminded us of the next Quilting Bee, which will take place September 30 from 10-4 at the BVCC.
- Carolyn Nielsen showed us our almost completed Irish Chain raffle quilt. She urged people to help finish it in time for the Goleta Valley Days so we can sell tickets there. Tickets and pictures will be available at the next meeting; the drawing will be in December.
- Norah McMeeking reminded us that we're all welcome to put ads or notices in the newsletter; the next one will be in November.

-Janet Berlin thanked those who brought tonight's refreshments and hinted that she's always happy to have new volunteers.

Maggie Godwin conducted the Block-of-the-Month raffle, which was won by Laurie Ball. She then presented the block for next month, which is an Amish-colored Crown of Thorns. With this was a Maggie-mini-lecture on Amish colors and quick-piecing triangles.

Bev Soderlund conducted the \$-raffle. She also raffled off the blocks-of-the-month donated back to the guild by the ever-winning Marge Hall; they were won by Colby Kline.

We had Show & Tell.

Jan Inouye introduced our speaker for the evening, Lucy Hilty. Lucy's lecture, "Fine Quilting", came complete with slide show and quilts all showing the way quilting patterns can enhance and embellish a quilt.

Our next meeting will be October 11. Elinor Peace Bailey will be our speaker; her lecture is "Dolls and Beyond".