

COASTAL QUILTERS GUILD BOARD MEETING: DEC 4, 1991 AT GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY

Carol Boyce called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m. Present were Carol Boyce, Colby Kline, Cathy Rampton, Marge Hall, Suzy Carter, Carol Ludwick, Rebecca Mealey, Maggie Godwin, Sandi Globus, Eve Gill, Rob Gill, Sherrie Collins, Zetta Hanna, Barbara Maxwell, Norah McMeeking, Judy Gorrindo and Gail Tinsley.

The phone committee will remind everyone that next month's meeting will be at General Research. Each member is asked to bring a can for the Food Bank and something for the refreshment table. Those participating in the Ugly Fabrics Challenge should bring their quilts in a brown bag for a special drawing.

Because our December speaker, Mary Ellen Hopkins, is expected to draw a large crowd, we will turn the chairs in the meeting room to face the far wall and put the refreshment table and Mary Ellen's products at the back. We will have our speaker first; Sherrie will bring an easel board and Mary Ellen will provide everything else. After the break we will have the business portion of the meeting and the Ugly Fabrics Challenge drawing. Entry forms for the Challenge competition in January will be made available so as to expedite the paper work at the next meeting.

Those making announcements include Sandi, who will talk about membership; Denise Clark, who will be asking for sign-ups for the charm square exchange in February; Norah, who will tell us what will be happening at the January meeting, and possibly Jane Manassee, who would talk about the satellite groups. Quite a few of the board members never got the sign-up sheets for the charm square exchange, so it was suggested that four clipboards be sent around from now on, one from the front and one from the back of each section.

Carol Boyce bought a Kodak Carousel 4600 projector from Russ' Cameras. The projector, zoom lens, extension cord for the changer, extra lamp and used case came to \$500. The projector doesn't fit in the case, however, so Carol will see if it fits in the case for the PA system (which might then, she hopes, fit in the projector case) or exchange it. Carol also read a list of what the Guild owns, which she will include in the President's book, and additions were made to it by members of the board.

Rebecca will get in touch with Doris Floyd to get the pattern for January's Block of the Month, which will go in December's newsletter. Cathy Doughty will do Block of the Month next year.

Starting in January the board meetings will be held at 466 North La Cumbre Road, upstairs, at Barbara Maxwell's (after State Street comes Sunset, and Barbara's is the second house on the right). The meeting day and time have not changed. Barbara has found out that the Louise Lowry Center downtown will let us have their auditorium for \$20 per hour. The Elks lodge turns out to be prohibitively expensive. It is hoped that a committee will be formed next year to look into alternative meeting sites.

Norah is developing the Round Robin for February's meeting, which will include the Hoffman Clothing Challenge garments. Four seems to be the optimum number of stations; suggestions for speakers include Melody Bollay, Sharon Doyle, Julie Johnson and Marty Froli. Norah will also look into programs on machine embroidery and getting to know one's sewing machine, as well as a presentation by Grant House. She wants to address the Guild to see how much interest there is in putting on another quilt show; however, doing this brings up problems such as incorporation, so there will be further discussion at the January board meeting.

Carol Boyce will ask the Guild for a volunteer to be Membership Chair. We also need a helper for the real chairs, and more people for the Program Committee to do such things as coordinate logistics and take care of the speakers. Norah will call Lee Carlson, who is already handling the PA system, to see whether she might be willing to expand her role.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

*G. Tinsley*