

## COASTAL QUILTERS GUILD MEETING: March 11, 1992

President Barbara Maxwell called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m. at General Research. Approximately 96 people were present. Five new members joined tonight.

### Block of the Month

Kathy Doughty conducted the drawing for approximately 30 Irish Chain blocks. Sandy Wilmot was the lucky winner. Kathy then explained the April block of the Month, Twisted Ribbons. It has many setting possibilities. Kathy also reminded members that if we turn in nine of the 12 blocks for 1992, we are eligible for a special drawing at the end of the year.

### Program

Rachel Clark was introduced as our speaker of the evening. She is a lively speaker and her talk was titled "Clothing for the Body and Soul". Seven guild members modeled the 25 garments Rachel had brought for a style show. Each garment was heavily pieced and also embellished with buttons, charms, beads, novelty pins, etc. Rachel's trademark seems to be individual prairie points tucked into unexpected places in her garments.

After the program (which lasted until 9 p.m.), a 10 minute break was called.

### Announcements

Announcements included: A hand quilting class is available at the new House of Fabrics store. Check the bulletin board for the Hoffman Challenge flyer. People who brought tonight's refreshments were thanked. Member Susan Shaw has a block in the McCall's quilts now being displayed around the country. Member Julie Johnston received the Best of Show award for her Gulf War quilt shown in the Auburn Quilt Show. Julie's Ugly Challenge quilt will be pictured in Katie Pasquini-Massopout's next book.

Please pick up your Ugly Challenge quilt tonight. We, as a guild, have \$3000 set aside for a quilt show but so far no one has volunteered to chair this project. Barbara has prepared some nice posters on guild programs and distributed these posters to all the local fabric stores.

### Programs

Jan Inouye discussed workshops: There are still openings in tomorrow's workshop with Rachel Clark. Sign-ups are now being taken for a May workshop with Judy Mathieson on Pet Portraits. See Jan for snapshots that will work for this class project. Jan is still setting up a workshop with guild member Melody Bollyay on applique. In July, Sara Nephew will be here for a workshop. Elinor Peace Bailey will be here in August. June Ryker will be here in September and do Circular Log Cabins. Tina Gravatt is scheduled for October to do Miniatures.

## General

Rebecca Mealey reminded people to check the newsletter for the new satellite groups forming. One will be an applique group.

Trudy Pickard asked for an angel applique design. Can anyone help her?

The guild is working to submit our Museum Quilt to the Pacific International Quilt Festival in October.

Marjorie Hall announced that she still has sign-up forms for those who would like to contribute to our community projects.

Judy Gorrindo talked about our Opportunity Quilt now "in process". If you missed signing up to help with this task, please seek out the sign-up sheet at the back of the room.

Janet Berlin conducted the drawing for the four door prizes: three fabric paks and one magnetic pincushion.

Eleven members shared at Show and Tell.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:40 p.m.

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