

10/11/95 Coastal Quilters Guild Inc. Monthly Meeting

- I. Susan Cochran introduced six visitors to tonight's meeting.
- II. A thank-you was given to Linda Estrada and Lee Carlson for holding the reception tonight for new members.
- III. Judy Gorrindo showed the Opportunity Quilt and asked for a strong show of support by giving donations to the Guild. So far the Guild has collected \$363. Judy also has made a smaller top as a "planned-over" quilt out of the remaining fabrics, and this will be held as a private Opportunity Quilt raffle for Guild members only, before year's end.
- IV. Linda Karppinen asked that those members invited to the California Heritage Quilt Project on Nov 1 and 2 respond soon. There will be an open Wednesday "Before" party on October 25 in Samarkand's Craft Room at 7:30 p.m. to prepare interviews, go over the format, make packets, etc. and volunteers are needed for this and other work. Linda has sample questions as a warm-up for those being interviewed. Contact addresses are still needed for Florence Jones and Mary Morton. An attempt will be made to include people suggested to the Project who live out of the area.
- V. Maggie Godwin will be teaching a Continuing Ed Class on three consecutive Saturdays on wearable art and competition clothing. The classes are Oct 21, Oct 28, and Nov 4 from 9 am-3 pm.
- VI. Evelyn Gorrindo announced that Ellen Heck, who won Viewer's Choice at Natural Impressions II for her Baltimore Album quilt, will be holding a session of workshops on the last Monday of each month during the day-time, to teach how she made her quilt. Each session will cost \$20, and it will take 1 to 2 sessions to cover each block. Give Evelyn your name and phone number if interested.
- VII. Mary Ann from Beverly's Fabrics spoke of a private party and sale that will be held at the Goleta store as a Thank-you to Guild members on Friday, November 10. The store will be closed to the public at 6 pm, and open to Guild members by showing your membership card at the door, from 7 to 9 pm. There will be food and snacks, and drawings for door-prizes every 15 minutes. Please bring your projects for a special Show & Tell.
- VIII. Judy went over the slate of candidates for the November ballot: Maggie Godwin for President, Judy Gorrindo for Vice President, Carol Faye for Treasurer, Kathy Doughty for Parliamentarian and Diane Eardley for Recording Secretary. Non-elected positions are being filled as well.
- IX. Anne Braddock said that Alex Anderson of Livermore, CA, will be our speaker in January. She will hold a workshop for \$30 on January 11 on "Surface Quilting Designs". Members can get a preview of Alex by watching her quilt show, Simply Quilts, on Channel 61 on Tuesdays and Thursdays at either 6:30 am or 11:30 am. Alex does traditional-style quilts.
- X. Ruth ~~Wilson~~^{Walters} ~~announced~~^{corrected} that 52 quilts had been submitted for the Challenge tonight! Ballots were given out, and the Guild walked around the room to make their selections. While the votes were being counted, the quilters of each piece introduced themselves and gave a short explanation of their quilt. Ruth announced the winners and gave them their prize (gift certificates or basket), and everyone participating received a Guild pin. Original Design: 1st-Judy Gorrindo (\$30), 2nd-Ruth Walters (\$15). Most Interesting Use of Yellow and/or Orange: 1st-Judy Gorrindo (\$25), 2nd-Ruth Walters (\$15). Most Yellow and/or Orange: 1st-Pat Yamada (\$25), 2nd-Harriet Berk (\$15). Embellishments: Cindy Enderby (\$25). Technique/Workmanship: 1st-Diane Eardley (\$50), 2nd-Karin Cooper (\$25), 3rd-Diana Iler (\$15). Most Humorous: Carol Meyer (\$25). Traditional Design: 1st-Harriet Berk (\$25), 2nd-Lee Carlson (gift basket), 3rd-Marty Frolli (\$10). Viewer's Choice: 1st-Judy Gorrindo (\$50), 2nd-Ingrid Engmyr (\$25), 3rd-Cindy Enderby (\$15).
- XI. Diana Iler thanked individuals for bringing refreshments tonight.
- XII. Judy spoke of continuing problems with books not being returned and some being taken without

being checked out. Karin Cooper read the names of missing books and videos, which are 12% of the Guild's collection. She also gave a summary of new books the Guild has received from That Patchwork Place.

XIII. Door prizes were given out by Tracy Hilden-Cope.

XIV. Beth Jones and Verna Smith presented next month's block, Maple Leaf. The winner for last month's blocks was Debra Rodgers.

XV. Show and Tell was not done this evening because of the length of the meeting tonight.

Respectfully submitted,

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