COASTAL QUILTER'S GUILD

General Meeting November 11, 1998

The meeting was called to order at the Samarkand Community Center at 7:10 P.M. by Norah McMeeking. Norah announced new officers would assume their duties after the December meeting. The new - old board meeting would be held at the home of Susan West on December 16 and the November board meeting would be at the Good Earth at 5:15 P. M

ELECTION - Diane Eardley passed out ballots to the membership. Nominations included President - Ranell Hansen; Vice-president, programs - Ellen Richardson; Vice President, workshops - Karin Cooper; Vice president, future programs - Susan West; Recording Secretary - Jeanna ThunderHawk; Corresponding secretary - Sandy Wilmot; Treasurer - Judy Stanton; Parliamentarian - Betty Kelley.

NEWESLETTER - the new <u>Coastlines</u> Editor, Claire Fouquet, asked all material for the January edition be in her hands by December 7. She will need to publish early due to vacation plans. Thereafter, the deadline will be the last Monday of the month.

MEMBERSHIP - Pat Yamada introduced 7 guests. 110 members were in attendance. Carol Fay did the 10th anniversary drawing. 26% of the membership has served on the board or a committee and 17% consider themselves workshop junkies. (Won by Diana Iler and Martha Adams.)

WECOMING COMMITTEE member Suzy Carter passed out sign up sheets for goodies in December. The meeting will begin at 6:15 and we will honor all new members for 1998. There will also be a 10th Anniversary celebration and a fabric exchange of 6 inch blocks of fabric with the theme being pine trees or leaves.

COMMUNITY QUILT chair Carol Barringer announced the final workshop this Saturday at Samarkand starting at 9:00 A.M. A clip board to list possible recipients for next year was circulated. Members will have a chance to select the recipient via the membership application. In December the community quilts for 1998 will be presented to Bethel House.

VICE PRESIDENT Ellen Richardson reviewed next year's programs.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH was won by Pat Masterson.

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN Lora Martin still is seeking a membership person. The Guild will purchase the data base program if the volunteer does not have it.

NEW BUSINESS - Diane Eardley reminded all to read the newsletter re a fiber arts show at UCSB and encouraged members to submit work. Lou Ann Schlichter will have tickets for the Ojai show to be held January 21 - 23. \$5 presale, \$10 at the door and husbands are free. Joann Conklin invited the membership to the guild only sale at Beverly's on November 18 at 7:00 P.M..

Ellen introduced our speaker, Paula Nadelstern. Her program was followed by the chance drawing.

Meeting adjourned at 9:35

Respectfully submitted,

Betty Kelley