

Coastal Quilters Guild, Inc of Santa Barbara

Minutes of the General Meeting of December 9, 1999 St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Santa Barbara, CA

President Ranell Hansen called the meeting to order at 7pm. Ranell introduced the mystery guest, Ricky Tims.

Tori Gleeson from Transition House was introduced

Diane Eardlev introduced the guests and spoke about renewing membership for next year.

Susan West spoke about the 2000 Programs

Ranell thanked Ellen Richardson for the 1999 Programs

Karen Cooper, Joanne Conklin and Betty Kelley spoke about the 1999 and 2000 workshops. Ranell thanked Karen for being so wonderful in the position of workshop chair. Betty Kelley spoke about the Sesquicentennial quilt showing at the SB library January 8 & 9.

Mary Marko spoke about the success of the Xmas Quilt Show and Boutique. The vendors sold over \$10,000 worth of merchandise. There were over 400 shoppers who attended. Overall the event was a tremendous success.

Kristin Otte introduced her Seminole Class exhibit, which was displayed as group of the month.

Carol Meyer thanked everyone for their participation in the Challenge. The quilts will be displayed at Antioch College. The show opens January 3rd.

Lora Martin invited members to attend the Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds meeting on January 22nd.

SHOW & TELL was outstanding as usual.

Community Quilts were displayed and paraded by the current and future Board members. Stockings and approximately 100 quilts were donated to Transition House.

Ingrid Bergere won Block of the Month; it was a paper-pieced tree. Michelle Peerson explained the star block for the next month.

A book was presented to Ranell Hansen in thanks for her valuable contribution as president this year.

Tori Gleeson from Transition House thanked the membership for the quilts. **BREAK**

Door prizes.

Liz Turner won Opportunity Quilt, over 1,400 tickets were sold.

Ricky Tims gave a wonderful Christmas presentation

Michael Beerson Respectfully submitted, Michelle Peerson

Acting Secretary