Coastal Quilters Guild Meeting

Minutes August 10, 2017

6:30 Special Board meeting regarding church contract

- Board called to order by Linda Boynton De Sepulveda; Board quorum was present.
 Attendees: Linda Boynton de Sepulveda, Bonnie Epperson, Carol Fay, Cathe Hedrick, Sue Kadner, Sam McIlraith, Sue Orfila
 - O Some names may be missing.
- Linda gave a brief update on the status of the church contract.
- Email conversations have started w/church regarding contract negotiations. There has been a bit of set-up animosity with another group as they have the room prior to the Guild. 1999 was last contract and the rate will likely increase.
- Need to know what we truly need for set-up and take-down. There are three (3) dates that need an earlier set-up time frame (normal i.e. 4 PM): April challenge quilt showing; July picnic and December holiday party.
- Motion to enable Carol Fay to negotiate with the church on behalf of the Guild.
 MSC/Kadner, Hedrick

7 PM Linda Boynton de Sepulveda, President, called the general meeting to order.

Announcements

• Upcoming dates: Board meeting August 17, 2017, 6:30 PM Mar Villa.

Challenge Quilt: Pam Holst, Edalee Keehn, Barbara MacCallum, Darilyn Kisch

- Challenge is favorite song title from high school years.
- Each month the committee will go down memory lane in a different genre, a "name that tune" game. This month is Country. Music played and examples of quilts shown.
- A handout has been designed with anticipated questions. A few questions were answered:
 - O Quilts are due March; the challenge is in April.
 - o Size: 96" and perimeter and 24" across maximum (due to drape limitations).
 - It is ok to have the song title on the front of the quilt, but is up to the individual quilt maker.
- Next month's genre will be the 40's.

Opportunity Quilt: Sue Kadner & Carol Fay, Sue Orfila (tickets)

- Please pick-up your tickets if you have not already.
- Thank you to those who have already turned in funds from their ticket sales.
- You never know where/who will be interested in tickets. Sue told a story about lunch with a friend, showed her the image on her phone, sold tickets and the waitress bought tickets as well!

Library: Carol Hart & Knotty Threads

- If you are interested in a specific book, there is a list in the library where you can add the wanted book name. This will be helpful in identifying books to acquire.
- Book Bag being offered each month for auction and the fabric comes from the reuse table!

Quilt Show: Bonnie Epperson

- As said last month, set-up is scheduled for September 14, 2018 and the show will be September 15-16, 2018. Location is Earl Warren.
- Theme is Remembering the Past and Looking Forward to the Future.
- Shortly Bonnie will advise of what volunteer positions are open. If you can't wait then give Bonnie a call. Most positions are open, you can select now while there is a choice, and since the budget needs to be turned in soon, if you volunteer now, you can give budget input.

Programs: Cathe Hedrick

- August (tonight) Natalie Barnes from Beyond the Reef –
- October Modern Quilt Guild show will display quilts, present and share stories
- September Karen Gloeggler, Jane Austin Quilts.
- Nov Dora Carey with Orange Dot Quilts
- Dec Holiday party and there are fun things in store; Susan Katz is helping.
- 2018 2019 working on and will keep the Guild posted.

Workshops: Francine Smith, Shirley Morrison, Margaret Dear

- August 11 Natalie Barnes (tonight's speaker) will be teaching string piecing boot camp;
- September Karen Gloeggler will be teaching a Jane Austin square.

Community Quilts: Carol Fay

- Cradle quilt kits with fun fabrics are available to take/make. This is a great opportunity to try something new, you only need to do one block, a great way to see if you like it.
- Jewish Federation has requested 24 lap quilts to go with holiday Baskets, for shut-ins, of all faiths.

Satellite Groups: Darilyn Kisch

- Marty Frolli talked about the new Daysies sewing group; which is participating in
 making personal, reusable hygiene kits for Days for Girls, in collaboration with Direct
 Relief. She explained why it is not appropriate to just sending tampax, etc.; there are
 multiple reasons such as non-reusable and nowhere to dispose of products, can be
 tabooed to use, and menstrual cycles keep girls out of school, plus lack of education is a
 leading factor to poverty.
- There is a sign-up sheet to join the group. A sewing workshop on Monday, you can also take kits home to make, you can donate fabric, and/or underpants. A panty drive is going

on for the 2,000-pair needed and a sheet is being handed out that gives important specifics of what is needed for the panties. You can also shop for on Amazon and funds will be directed toward the Guild. And, the panties can be shipped direct to Marty.

Block of the Month: Marty Frolli, Rochelle Schneider

- Marty reported 33 Four in Nine blocks turned in and more are coming; winner of the blocks is Edalee Keehn.
- Next month is Patience Corner in red, yellow and blue- primary colors. Also, it is great to include kid's patterns in the fabrics.

Membership: Annette

• 173 members, and one guest at tonight's meeting.

Show and Tell – List Attached.

Raffle Basket: Diane Moore, Elizabeth Jenquin, Linda Kriss

- September through December there will be a Mystery Basket each month.
- Tonight's winners: Basket #1: Carolyn Kennedy; Basket #2 Helena Kennedy; and Basket #3 Julie Mock.