Coastal Quilters Guild General Meeting Minutes October 8, 2020

Note: This meeting was held online and was recorded

The meeting was called to order by President Karen Pickford at 7:00 PM.

A. Up and coming meeting dates were announced: Elizabeth Eastmond Workshop October 10 at 9:00 AM (Zoom) Board Meeting October 15 at 2:00 PM (Zoom) Coffee Break October 23 at 1:00 PM (Zoom) Updates and Announcements

Karen gave an update on the mask project that is still winding down.

Nancy Butterfield announced that Sam McIlraith is a new member of the Fundraising Task Force.

Karen asked for volunteers for the Nominating Committee and said that the following committees still need leadership:

Challenge, Door Prizes/Raffle, Opportunity Quilt (2021), Welcome Committee

Karen outlined the coming meeting.

B. Committees

Program: Susan Bullington Katz reminded members of the coming speakers/workshops:

October 10 Elizabeth Eastmond-Triad Harmony Workshop

October 23 Quilters Coffee Break-Layer Cake Challenge

November 12 Tara Faughnan, Guild Speaker

November 14 Tara Faughnan, Color Interaction Workshop

December 10 Front Porch Holiday Show Guild Meeting

Information about all of the Guild activities is on the Guild website: coastalquilters.org

<u>Technology Support</u>-Bee Saunders reminded members that if they have technical difficulties at the workshops, she will be available for help.

<u>Community Quilts-</u> Darilyn Kisch announced that 166 cradle sets were delivered to the Unity Shoppe. Karen mentioned that she had some masks for them.

<u>Quilt Show/Fundraising-</u> Nancy Butterfield announced that she will begin planning for the 2022 Quilt Show on January 21st. She also said that she saw our donations when she visited the Unity Shop. She took pictures of the display. The plan for the selling of our donated antique quilts is on hold for the moment. She asked members to send her

interesting information related to the Guild for her reports to various news outlets. She can be contacted at news@coastalquilterssb.org.

<u>Membership-</u> Sue Orfila thanked members for remembering to pick up their Directories from the church parking lot. We have 189 members. Call Sue if you do not have your directory and want it. She noted that it was wonderful to see so many members attending tonight.

<u>Library-</u> Mary Faria and Mary Ballard—no report

<u>Block of the Month</u>- Kika Hutchings reported that she received 19 Rolling Gears blocks. The winner was Marcia Greiten. The block for next month is Falling Leaves. She thanked the participants and said she is enjoying organizing the BOM.

<u>Axxess Card</u>—Sue Kadner announced that we are selling Axxess cards. She mentioned many ways that the card can be used. It can only be ordered online. You fill in the name of the Guild when you order. It combines the Santa Barbara and Ventura books. The new book will be effective January 1. The Guild receives \$13 for each book sold. Last year we made over \$700.

Other announcements:

Rosana Swing and Pat Masterson announced that the in-person ROAD2CA Quilt Show has been postponed to January 2022. The organizers will be featuring a virtual quilt show, ROAD@HOME, for January 2021. Details about the ROAD@HOME will be passed on as they become available.

There was some general conversation with a guest as well as with Bee Saunders about her weather quilt.

C. Break

D. Program

Pam Holst introduced Elizabeth Eastmond who gave a very interesting talk about her Abecedary (pronounced ah-bee'-si-dary) collection of quilts.

Karen thanked her for her presentation and thanked everyone for attending. There were 69 attendees.

Adjourned: 8:57 PM

Respectfully submitted: Mary Maxwell, Recording Secretary (submitted electronically)