Coastal Quilters Guild General Meeting June 10, 2021

The meeting was called to order by Susan Bullington Katz at 7:00 PM.

She welcomed everyone to the meeting and announced the following activities:

A. Beginning of Business Meeting: Susan Bullington Katz Up and coming meeting dates:

June 12: Sew-In Postcards, etc.
June 25: Coffee Break - Isabel Downs
July 8: Guild Meeting – Kathy Doughty
July10 workshop – Kathy Doughty

Updates and Announcements

B. Committees

1. Programs/workshops/coffee breaks – Susan Bullington Katz, Pamela Holst and Diana Hamilton Pamela Holst said hello to everyone and announced that Kathy Doughty will be with us next month from Australia. We are lucky to get her. She is already booked for the year. She is traditional and will talk about applique. Susan said that she is a good teacher and very creative. There is more about her in the July newsletter. Her workshop on July 10th is from 2 – 5 PM and is \$35. You can pay through Pay Pal. Her website is Material Obsession. There are only 16 spots left for the workshop.

Susan announced that there is a Guild workshop on Saturday at 9:00. There will be two tutorials on Post Cards at 9:30 PM and 1:00 PM. You can attend and sew anything you want or make Postcards for our fundraising.

Susan announced that Isabel Downs will be the speaker for the Coffee Break on June 25 speaking about Molas.

- 2. Election Committee: Sue Wuetz, Nancy Butterfield, Bee Saunders, Carol Hart, Joel Blumenthal Nancy announced that the Board is fully staffed. She thanked continuing and new Board and Committee members and listed the names. The list can be found in the Guild newsletter and eventually on the website.
- 3. Tech Support: Bee Saunders and Sam McIlraith Bee announced that there is a "How to Photograph Quilts" instruction on the website. She reminded everyone to take the best pictures for the web that they can.
- 4. Community Projects: Darilyn Kisch, Kathy Draine, Laura Perry
 The new members of the committee were noted: Pamela Holst, Linda Estrada, Ranell Hansen, Mary
 Maxwell
- Quilt Show 2022 and/or Fundraising Task Force Report: Nancy Butterfield

Nancy noted that the post card fundraising is going well. She encouraged members to get their cards in so we can sell them. We will continue fundraising in many ways. The Quilt Show is planned for September 24-25, 2022. Be thinking about what you will do for the show.

6. PR: Nancy Butterfield

Nancy mentioned that she is still getting articles printed where she can and is using Instagram regularly. "Coastalquilters" can be used for our Instagram and "Instagram" can be used to post.

7. Membership: Sue Orfila

Sue announced that we have a new member named Marie Balsley. New members are already rejoining. Members can do that, too! Membership forms are on the website.

- 8. Library: members can contact us through the library email if they wish to access books. We can make arrangements to fill their needs.
- 9. Block of the Month: Kika Hutchings

The Block of the month winner of this month is Nancy Butterfield. The next block is for July called Yankee Charm.

10. Other announcements:

Nancy Butterfield announced that we have an opportunity to display quilts at the Central Library in July as well as the Goleta Library in 2022. The president's quilt is being loaned by Karen Pickford for the Central library.

C. Program Introduction: Challenge: Bee Saunders and Pat Masterson

The 21 Item Challenge quilts were shared with each quilter describing their method. The winners were:

1st Place: Maria Dzreeva \$50 2nd Place: Suzy Pelovsky \$40 3rd Place: Linda Boynton de Sepulveda \$30 Favorite "all 21" entry: Pat Masterson \$20

Roxanne's A Wish and a Dream and Grant House Sewing donated the prizes above for the winners, as well as \$10 for all participants who used all 21 objects. All participants received a fat quarter of Horizon Blue, the featured fabric for this year from Kona.

Susan reminded members of the following activities

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The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 by Susan Bullington Katz.

Respectfully Submitted by Mary Maxwell, Recording Secretary