

Coastal Quilters Guild General Meeting
October 12, 2023 @ 7:00 pm
Zoom and live at Unitarian Church

<https://us06web.zoom.us/join/9177554527>

Meeting ID: 817 7755 4527

Passcode: 045156

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 am by Barb LaPlante

- Reminder to mute phones and computers
- Postcards will be for sale during our break. We need someone to take this project on; making, sale and on to our Quilt show.
- Are we going to Road to California? YES. At a steal of a deal, all-inclusive cost of \$75.00 per person. The airbus, with a toilet, holds 47 people and we will include guild members and friends. You can sign up and pay at our meetings or you can sign up and the Guild Treasurer Sandy will be calling to collect your payment.
- In November we will celebrate “Sewing for Others”, with a special emphasis on making projects for Community Quilts, post cards, cradle kits and other items to be donated to the Guild to sell at the Boutique at the Quilt Show. We will have a “Sewing for Others” Free Sew Day, on November 10th, from 9 am to 3 pm at St. Andrews. CQ will have fabrics and Treasure table items.
- The theme for December will be “Sewing with Friends”, and we will have a formal Holiday Tea party complete with savory and sweet treats. This meeting will be at St. Andrews, starting at **3 pm** on Dec 14. We will honor our new members, Satellite groups will share what they have been up to, share group projects and other activities. We need volunteers to help bake, make a fab centerpiece, set up and clean up, contact Barb LaPlante to volunteer.

Community Quilts: presentation of cradle kits to Angela Miller-Bevan Director.

- The guild has been providing cradle kits to the Unity Shop for 13 years.
- 147 cradle kits were donated. They are given out in combination with a cradle set for a doll to children. They are given out, starting Dec 1.
- We provide these kits each year and have already started the cradle kits for next year.
- You can pick up a kit if you would like to make one.

Programs: Nancy Butterfield, upcoming programs

- Tonight – Giuseppe aka Giucy Giuce
- Nov-California Heritage Quilt Catalog will be coming and teaching us about their database and how to get quilts entered into the database.
- Dec 14 at 3pm– Holiday Tea Party and
- Dec 22 at 1 pm-3 pm or 4 pm Zoom Holiday Festive Front Porch show
- Jan – Cool tools and Tips

Workshops and Website updates: Bonnie Barber by Zoom

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- Website tour shown.

Challenge 2024: Patti Hunter by Zoom (& Ranell Hansen)

- Memorable Meals – The best of them or the worst or anything in between
- Details are on the website, but it doesn't need to be an art quilt. It can be any kind of quilt.

Opportunity Quilt: Marcia Greiten

- is selling tickets here tonight or they can be purchased by submitting a request by mail to the guild PO box. Marcia and Sandy will get you your tickets.

Block of the Month: Kika Hutchings

- 8 blocks submitted and some other late ones pending. Nobody wanted them, so Kika is getting the blocks.
- Nov is a leaf block and please make in fall colors.

Zoom Committee:

Susan Bullington-Katz (on Zoom)

- Coffee Break in Nov will be Susan Bullington-Katz teaching how to work with Vinyl and making a vinyl bag.
- Details are on the website, including a supply list and the pattern "Comet Case" from Sew Hungry Hippie

Jennifer Hendrickson

- Front Porch Festive Quilt Show will be Dec 22 1 pm-3 pm/4 pm via zoom (during the usual coffee break time)
- Submit your photos on your porch of any quilts, holiday or not, via email to the zoom@coastalquilters.org
- May also submit other projects that you would like to share that you have made since covid (submit via email)
- Encourage you to wear your headgear/holiday apparel, there will be a prize.

Karen Pickford

- Mini bag exchange details
 - Needs to be mailed.
 - Need to sign up before the end of October so we can give you an assignment to mail.
 - Assignments will be made in the beginning of Nov.
 - We will ask for some details about you so the person making a bag for you will have some idea what you might like.
 - Add your name to the sign up in person.
 - Zoomers can email zoom@coastalquilters.org or add your information in the chat and we will send you details.

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- SECRET exchange, so you will use the guild address as the return address on the package when you mail it.

Library: Traci Cope

- tiny piecing books available in the library, come and visit across the way in the library.

Show and Tell: none on zoom this time.

In person

- Bee Saunders
- Polly Matsuoka
- Paulette Ley
- Mary Ballard – won the irish chains in March and completed the quilt.
- Dundie Schulte
- Judith McCaffrey
- Marcia Greiten

Break for 10 minutes Return at 8:00 pm

Door prizes: Marilyn Martin and Linda Estrada

- Wear your name tag raffle.
 - Linda Boynton de Sepulveda
 - Kika Hutchings
- Basket #3 – Ursula Almeida
- Basket #2- Carolee Clayton
- Basket #1- Diana Hamilton

Speaker: Giuseppe Ribauda – presentation and trunk show

Final reminders: by Barb

- October 19th Board meeting: 7:00p on Zoom, link to be sent in eblast.
- Newsletter deadline is October 22nd.
- Coffee Break is on October 27th: 1:00p on Zoom.
- November 9th General meeting, in person at Live Oak and on Zoom
- November 10th Sew Day, and Quilt documenting day in person at St. Andrews.
- When exiting the parking lot; no u turns directly after the median.

Meeting is adjourned at 9:16 pm

Respectfully Submitted by

Jennifer Hendrickson, Recording Secretary