

Pacific Piecemaker's Quilt Guild
Feb 15, 2019

Meeting called to order at 1:02 by President Cheryl Faconti

Guests or visitors: None

Announcements:

Cheryl is still collecting twin sized (60" by 80") quilts for the Camp Fire victims. She will be taking them to Broadway quilts two more Thursdays.

Attendance: 22

Minutes of the Jan 2019 meeting: A motion was made by Sandy Hughes to approve the minutes of the last meeting as submitted. Seconded by Gail Spencer Approved: Yes

Treasurer Report: Pam Todd

We have received \$20 from library sales. After expenditures for the retreat, rent, and hospitality for the Comfort Quilt/QOV workshop our current balance is \$21,181.17.

Program Committee: Marcia Luchini/Francie Angwin

In March we will have a workshop taught by Jennie Henderson, "No Mess Dyeing." We are happy to report that the class is full. You can still sign up on the waiting list in case someone has to cancel. For a materials list and more information about the class and instructor, go to the GAC Website.

Kalynn Oleson/Barbara Dunsmoor 2019-2020

April – Liz Berg will have a one-day class called "Design Principles." No machine required. The cost is \$60. Ready for you to sign up!

May – Comfort Quilts/ QOV

June – Margreth Barrett will teach a two-day class on Redwood Landscape quilts.
Our speaker for our meeting will be Joe Cunningham

September – Mel Beach will teach two one-day classes. A free motion quilter, the first day will be "Walking Foot Wow," and the second day will be "Slice of Improv." Sign up for one or both. See the GAC website for more information.

October – Kalynn Oleson will be teaching a class on turning a sweatshirt into a jacket or vest

November – Lecturer yet to finalized

2020

January – Comfort Quilts/ QOV

February – Lecturer to be finalized

March – Barbara Dunsmoor will teach a class “In the Style of Ursula Kern.”

April – TBA

May – Comfort Quilts/QOV

June – Sue Benner

Continuing Education Committee: Kalynn/Jan Carter
No report

Upcycling show:

Kalynn reminded us of this show where you take something no longer wanted or needed and give it new life. Deadline for entries is March 22. For ideas, check out Upcycling on Pinterest.

Challenge 2019: Melissa Finley/Carole Garcia/Jan Carter

The title of the 2019 challenge is “One Red Square.” Melissa Finley has red fabrics available. Marva also has some at The Loft. Melissa shared a small quilt she had made with, one red square, as an example. Entry forms must be in by September 20, and turn in day is October 4.

Fund Raising: Thank you to those who have volunteered to chair these events! Let’s get going on making items for these important fundraisers. It’s never too early to start making potholders, bowls, aprons, animals, or whatever you think might sell. If you don’t have any ideas, talk to one of these ladies for a suggestion.

AIR 2018 Pam Todd

Pam Todd has been joined by Marcie Johnston and Sylvia Evans.

FOT 2018: Greth Barrett, Marcie Johnston, Cheryl Faconti

AIR Quilt

2019: Dee Goodrich, Jan Carter

The quilt top was finished at our retreat. It is on its way to the quilter.

2020: Dee Goodrich and Jan Carter have volunteered for the 2020 AIR quilt, also! Thank you ladies!

Comfort Quilts: Marcia Luchini, Marcie Johnston, and Wendy Hodam are co-chairing. At this time please direct requests to Marcia, 884-3888.

We will be having our next Comfort Quilt/Veterans’ Quilt workshop at the meeting in **May** 2019. Please note the change from our usual June meeting.

Quilts of Valor: Sandy Lockhart and Lori Holmes

As we are not officially affiliated with the national QOV association, there is some question as to whether or not we can continue to use this title. Two proposed changes were Veterans’ Quilts, and Valor Quilts. The issue will be taken up at our next meeting. Please continue to make these quilts to honor those who have served our country.

Retreat: Jan Carter

Many, many thanks to Jan for putting together a wonderful event again!!!! We had 24 attendees. Visitors included Polly Dakin, Bonnie Morgan, Renata Lopez, and Harmony Susalla. We made blocks that will go into a new QOV. Jan has pieced last year’s quilt, and is

readying it for quilting. In addition, due to Jan's recent injury, we felt compelled to wrap her in batting to keep her safe. A picture will, hopefully, be included in the upcoming newsletter.

Special Events: Judy Riddle
No report

July Picnic: Jan Carter has volunteered to chair this event. Thank you!

Library: Iris Lorenz-Fife
We have added several books to the library about principles of design, including, those by Lynn Koolish and Jean Wells. Amanda Murphy's book on Rulering is coming in. Iris highly recommends these. If you have any books to donate, please email Iris at irisilk@wildblue.net.

Membership: Gail Spencer
Renewal should be done by the end of February. It looks like we will come in a little under 90, due to several members moving away. She hopes to have the list finalized by our March meeting. If any of your information is incorrect please let her know ASAP. The new roster will be out in April.

Publicity: Volunteer needed

Newsletter: Judy Riddle
Please get items for the newsletter to Judy by the 25th.

Hospitality: Della Zita, Mary Eberhard
Thank you to Kalynn Oleson, Della Zita, Cheryl Faconti, Gail Spencer and Francie Angwin for providing our refreshments.

Name Tag drawing:
Iris Lorenz-Fife won the nametag drawing.

New Business:
President Cheryl Faconti announced the list of new officers.

**Pacific Piecemakers Quilt Guild
Officers, Committees and Ongoing Projects
March 2019 – March 2021**

President: Sandy Hughes
Vice President: Janice Batchelder
First Past President: Cheryl Faconti
Second Past President: Jan Carter
Third Past President: Judy Riddle
Secretary: Francie Angwin & Jan Carter
Treasurer: Pam Todd
Membership: Gail Spencer

Executive Committee: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, First Past President, Community Outreach Coordinator, Membership Chair, Special Events Chair
Ways and Means: Vice President (Chair), Current President, Treasurer, Program Committee Chair, Three Immediate Past Presidents

AIR Quilt 2019: Dee Goodrich & Jan Carter
AIR Quilt 2020: Dee Goodrich & Jan Carter

Art in the Redwoods 2019: Marcie Johnston, Pam Todd, Sylvia Evans

Art in the Redwoods 2020:

Festival of Trees 2019: Cheryl Faconti, Margreth Barrett, Marcie Johnston

Festival of Trees 2020: Margreth Barrett?

Challenge 2019: Melissa Finley, Carole Garcia and Jan Carter

Challenge 2020: Sandy Hughes & Francie Angwin

Comfort Quilt and Fanny Basket: Marcia Luchini, Marcie Johnston, Wendy Hodum

Quilts of Valor: Sandy Lockhart, Lori Holmes

Community Outreach Coordinator: Cheryl Faconti

Continuing Education: Kalynn Oleson, Jan Carter

Decorating Christmas Tree for GAC: Melissa Finley

GAC Scholarship Committee: Sandy Hughes, Francie Angwin

Hospitality: Mary Eberhard & Della Zita, **volunteer**

Library: Iris Lorenz-Fife, Cheryl Harris

List serve: Bonnie Toy

Name Tag Raffle and Greeter: Carole Garcia, Janice Batchelder, Cheryl Harris

Newsletter: Judy Riddle

Photographer: Mary Eberhard, Jan Carter

Publicity:

Program 2019 and beginning of 2020: Barbara Dunsmoor & Kalynn Oleson

Program end of 2020 and beginning of 2021: Marcie Johnston. **volunteer(s)**

Special Events Chair: Judy Riddle

Holiday Luncheon:

July Outing: Jan Carter, **volunteer**

Retreat: Jan Carter

Website: Lynn Bailey

Iris Lorenz-Fife moved that we accept the list, with Caroline Ogg seconding. The motion to accept the list of officers passed.

Out-going President Cheryl Faconti reminded people that she is now accepting squares for her President's Quilt. They need to be 8.5" by 8.5" log cabins. She would love some of her favorite color, purple, but it isn't a requirement. Please remember to sign your name somewhere in the middle.

Sandy Hughes passed around a letter from former guild member Barbara Gonce telling how her quilt has been chosen to be the Signature Quilt of the International Quilt Festival in Chicago. That means it will be featured at the show, on the cover of the show magazine, the announcement card and one of the blocks will be the show logo.

Della Zita has picked up some grapefruit spoons from Pay'n'Take that she is willing to share. They can really save your fingers when pinning a quilt for quilting.

Marcie Johnston shared details for a Block of the Month Quilt using fat quarters. She will be sharing the specifics on our PPQG email list, for those who would like to participate. She is hoping to generate some QOV's from this undertaking. She also let us know that Shannon in Larkfield is willing to train people to use her long arm and you would be able to rent time on it to do your own quilting.

Show and Tell:

Sandy Lockhart showed two wonderful QOV's that were made by Connie Seale, one of our original, founding members.

Meeting Adjourned at 1:54

Special Speaker: Caroline Ogg was our speaker. She told us about her journey into landscape quilting, and how it has evolved over the years. She shared a wonderful treasure trove of landscape quilts.