

Pacific Piecemakers Quilt Guild  
Meeting on March 19, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 12:35 pm by president Janice Batchelder.

Treasurer's Report (Pam Todd):

End of year balance in December 2020 was \$25,757.9. \$170 has been received in Angel Gifts, dues are still coming in, and our Winter Wonderland sales netted us \$3,297. We have had few expenditures because of Covid-19. \$48.00 went to retreat expenses reimbursement, there was Quilt of Valor batting reimbursement, and \$437 for a lecture fee.

Program Committee Report (Caroline Ogg):

At our April meeting we will have speaker Susie Monday. May will perhaps be a zoom comfort quilt workshop, still being discussed. Sue Benner has been contacted about her class scheduled for June. It may need to be re-scheduled for a later date.

Challenge Report (Sandy Hughes and Francie Angwin):

People may submit a quilt from the new theme, Flying Free. Or they may submit a quilt befitting the guild's 25th anniversary, which would incorporate some silver into the quilt. People may also submit a quilt with the 2020 theme of A Star is Born. The exhibition will be from October 1 through November 7, 2021. There will be a members' reception reception October 1, and a public reception on October 2.

Fundraising (Judy Riddle):

Judy said that she received several placemat sets, some with matching napkins at the end of February. Our March project is to sew a baby quilt. April's project will be to make at least 4 coasters or mug rugs tied together in a set. Extra points will be given for

every microwave bowl turned in. Our May project will be to make two table runners.

Art In the Redwoods:

AIR is usually the third weekend in July, however it may still be up in air due to Covid-19.

Comfort Quilts (Marcia Luchini):

Four comfort quilts were given out last month. New batting has been ordered. It will be cut to 55" x 65". Call Marcia if you need replacement batting for your next comfort quilt.

Quilts of Valor (Lori Holmes and Sandy Lockhart):

No report, but call Marcia if you need replacement batting.

Retreat (Jan Carter):

Jan said that the virtual quilt retreat in February seemed to be a fun time for people, although it cannot replace the real quilt retreat.

Summer Event (Jan Carter):

This is still up in the air. Jan said that it might be done as a "pick-up" luncheon, similar to our December luncheon. Or it might be approached as a zoom "picnic" gathering.

Holiday Luncheon (Judy Riddle):

Judy said that there might be a holiday luncheon this December.

Publicity (Sandy Hughes):

Sandy talked about the possibility of having an interview with Sylvia Keller put in the ICO. Della Zita suggested that we have news about our meetings and speakers appear in the ICO "Mark your Calendar" section, and in the "Telescope" section.

Newsletter (Judy Riddle):

The deadline to have articles in the newsletter is March 25. If you have photos (like Show and Tell) send them to Judy in either a JPG or GIFF form. It was decided that Judy will be reimbursed for printer ink.

The meeting adjourned at 1:17 pm.

The program for today was given by Ann Turley.