Santa Rosa Quilt Guild Minutes September 3, 2015

President Vicki David called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m. Vicki asked all members to park carefully and completely by backing out of the parking spot they are attempting to park in and driving in straight and evenly spaced between the white lines. This needs to be done as a courtesy to other members wishing to park.

Introductions - Guests and new member Marsha McAlpin were introduced. Ladies from The Oroville PieceMakers, here with their opportunity quilt, were introduced.

<u>Affiliate Presentation</u>: Janice Rodgers shared the story of the beginning and expansion of her business, It's From Grandma and noted that she had many items for sale after the meeting.

<u>UFO</u> – Fran Threewit invited members with completed UFO's to the front. Fat quarters and candy were available for successful completion.

Quilt Related Announcements

- Mystery Quilt: Linda Hooper stated that the production would start at 12:00 noon. If you have questions, she is in the back. The finished project and information will be on line.

- Nominations: Jim Jensen reminded us of the details regarding our upcoming election and points of contact should members have questions.

Committee Reports

<u>Programs</u> – Rhonda D: October program is with Jennifer Sampou. November sign up is now open. Linda Gilbert's Square in a Square Ruler went missing in the last workshop. If you find it, please give to Rhonda.

<u>Program Elect</u> – Jan Nilsen: noted that next year's programs would be related to color as that was the most asked for workshop. January's program/workshop will be with Linda Ballard and is now open for sign up.

<u>Opportunity Quilt</u> – Patricia Kearns: Patricia reviewed upcoming venues and noted that they will be online. She also shared that the organizers of the Petaluma Quilt Show are looking for workers. Check their website for information.

<u>Hospitality</u> – Carolle LeMonnier: noted that the Founders Day Luncheon is on Sept. 17. A clip board is circulating for food donation sign up.

<u>Block of the Month</u> – Sue Gragg: showed the new block - details will be on line. There were two drawings for sets of 27 blocks each and they went to Sharon Fry and Joyce Wood.

<u>Community Outreach</u> – Mirna Estes: has delivered many items to the Vets and they are very appreciative. She could use more knitted hats and scarves.

<u>TSW</u> – Diana Roberts Janice Rodgers: Nov 5 TSW is making a folding bag with zip lock bags and is a demo only.

<u>Sew-a-Row</u> – Debby Bainbridge: they are on the last session; 2 looking for homes and due Nov 5.

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<u>Tri-Guild Luncheon</u> – Linda Hooper: will be on March 12. The Snooze You Lose Mini Group is in charge and will ask when they need volunteers. If members have anything new or that looks new that can be used in baskets, please pass them on to her.

<u>Community Quilts</u> - Laura Barrett/Nancy Stedman: October 1 will be our next Quiltathon; bring machines, needles, scissors.

<u>Library</u> - Sharon reviewed new magazines and books. Check in the back for silent auction items from past meetings on which you may have had the successful high bid.

Final Announcements:

- Vicki announced a number of upcoming shows and encouraged members to remember to bring food to the luncheon

- Patricia Kearns: there is a quilt on the wet bar at the back. It is a Silent Auction item and bids will end at our next meeting.

Show And Tell

Name Tag Drawing: approx. 100 present; Patty Horn's and Sue Gragg's numbers were drawn.

Meeting adjourned at 11:17 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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