

Santa Rosa Quilt Guild
Speaker Meeting Minutes
January 17, 2019

President Genelle Voorhees called the meeting to order at 10:00 am., and made the following announcements:

North Wind Quilters Guild of Fairfield is visiting with their Opportunity Quilt.
A reminder to members to buy tickets for our Opportunity Quilt.
Rhonda Denny introduced new members Marja Tarr and Annette Matson.
Members were asked to pay dues as soon as possible after the meeting.

Mary Wood and Wendy Feist introduced guest speaker Inger Blood, who presented a trunk show entitled "Progress of a Free-Motion Quilter."

Quilt Related Announcements

Karen Taylor announced that the Sonoma Quilt Show will be held at the Vintage House on March 9-10. Pointless Sisters will be the featured artists. Information flyer will be on the table.

Cathy Eddy's memorial will be held at 10: am on January 19, 2019, Spring Hills Church, 3700 Fulton Road, Santa Rosa.

Genelle read a thank you note from a fire quilt recipient in Paradise.

Genelle Voorhees announced that the Tri-Guild Luncheon Committee is working to finalize a work list; any SRQG member who plans to attend needs to be a worker bee. Volunteers are needed for the following positions: table hostess, kitchen runner, sign-in table, block intake, and ticket sales. Interested members may contact Jan Westerman, volunteer coordinator. Toni Anderson and Jan Westerman displayed the two blocks for the Tri-Guild Luncheon, a paper pieced teapot and appliqued teacups, both with a white-on-white background. Patterns are available today, and members need not attend the luncheon to make and/or win blocks.

Treasurer's Report

None given.

Standing Committee Reports

Ellindale Wells announced the annual UFO Challenge, which will begin on March 7th. Members may bet \$5 per project and win chocolate, their money back, and fabric if their project(s) is/are finished by the deadline on September 5th.

Jeannie Parent for Sew-a-Row is seeking rows and medallions with extra fabric, she will still accept starter rows at the next meeting.

Betsy Smith with Block-of-the-Month, displayed the January block; drawing February 7th meeting.

Mary Wood, Wendy Feist announced the Katie Fowler February workshop with a \$40 additional materials fee; all materials for class are provided.

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The March 22nd Workshop with Dora Carey is “Make it Modern,” and features traditional quilts with a modern twist. A pattern fee of \$10 will allow attendees to make one of four different quilts, which are pre-cut friendly.

The April Workshop will be held on Good Friday, April 19th, with Petra Keller. Wendy needs to know if members are interested in workshop, but can't attend on Friday so they may change the date in a timely fashion.

Leslie Kruse announced that January 24th is “Visit your local fabric store day.”

Heidi Mitarai has three Friendship Block proposals waiting in the wings. Members with three or more credits who would like to ask for a block should contact her.

Laura Barrett and Nancy Stedman announced the Fifth Thursday Retreat at Luther Burbank Art & Garden Center on January 31st. Members may come all day or part of day and work on Community Quilts or their own projects.

Sharon Fry and Joy McGoran displayed Lost and Found. Joy displayed a mangle from the Silent Auction table that is looking for a home...FREE. Sharon presented several new books and magazines.

Diana Watson reported that volunteers have been found for the Opportunity Quilt ticket sales for three venues, Alameda, Quilted Angel, and Moonlighters.

Linda Hooper announced that an art quilt show is being held at Moshin Winery with the Extreme Quilters through January 25th.

Show & Tell

Name Tag Drawing:

123 in attendance; Judy Crowner and Ellindale Wells are winners.

Final Announcements

None.

Meeting adjourned at: 12:01

Submitted by
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Recording Secretary