### Santa Rosa Quilt Guild Business Meeting Minutes January 3, 2019

President Jim Jensen called the meeting to order at 10:02 am. Jim thanked everyone for support during his three terms as President and introduced President-Elect Genelle Voorhees.

Welcome Committee Chair Rhonda Denny introduced guests: Bernice Rogers, Dorothy Romell, Rosie Romell, Christine Giblin, and Ginnie Isaacson, as well as new members Anni Donahue and Annette Matson.

Linda Hooper presented Jim with a memory album as a thank you gift for his third term as President. Toni Anderson recited a poem she wrote for him.

#### Treasurer's Report

Carole Behlke reported that the books are not balanced for 2019 as the December statement has not been issued by the bank. She urged members to pay dues in a timely fashion.

Elected Board was called to the stage for installation, and was sworn in by outgoing Parliamentarian Sharon Fry.

### **Quilt Related Announcements**

- ) Thank you notes were read from the Council on Aging Meals-on-Wheels program for the placemats donated, and Empress Post-Acute Care in Petaluma.
- Country Crossroads Quilters of Modesto is holding their annual show on January 19 and 20.
- ) Gina Stateler-Calhoun invited members to participate in Wine Country Quilts in June. Vicki David and Sue Gragg are the featured artists. Changes this year include online registration, limit of five quilts per entrant, entry fee of \$10 per quilter, and there will be a special entry form for group quilts such as challenges. Photographs will be taken at meetings, and a Moonlight representative will have computer for registry at meetings. Gina urged us to enter quilts, and volunteer.
- ) The Sonoma Quilt Show will be held March 9 and 10 Show at the Vintage House. Featured artists will be the Pointless Sisters.
- Cloverdale Citrus Fair February 15-18. January 25 is the deadline for entry.
- Vicki announced Quilt Rave next Thursday. Coffee and tea will be available
- Carolle LeMonnier reminded about how hospitality works, outlining items available for members and reminding members to bring food on birthday month and six months later.

#### **Standing Committee Reports**

Jan Andrews: Members who have not paid their dues should do so as soon as possible so the Membership Roster can be finalized. Membership cards will be available at the next meeting.

Janice Rodgers, Mary Wood, and Wendy Feist: Programs and Workshops will have a new signup procedure this year. Members may sign up for all workshops during the year in the P/W binder. A check/voucher/cash is required to hold a seat in the workshop. The deposit will be made 5 months prior to the workshop. Unless there is a wait-list, refunds will not be made; members must find a replacement to take her or his seat.

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Proposed Workshop Schedule for 2019

| Jan. 16 &18 | Inger Blood         | Ruler Quilting                             | LBAGC* |
|-------------|---------------------|--|--------|
| February 22 | Katie Fowler        | Fearless Quilting, Paint, Layer, Stitch    | VSC*   |
| March 22    | Dora Cary           | Make It Modern                             | VSC*   |
| April19     | Petra Keller        | Applique                                   | VSC*   |
| May17       | Colleen Pelfrey     | Taking the Dye Out                         | VSC*   |
| June 21     | Jane Tenorio Coscar | elli TBD                                   | VSC*   |
| July 18     | NO WORKSHOP         | There will be a free sewing day!           | SRB*   |
| August 16   | Jane Haworth        | Love of Pets Fabric Collage                | VSC*   |
| September   | Free Workshop       | More information to follow soon!           | SRB*   |
| October 18  | Sandra Mollon       | TBD  | VSC*   |
| November 22 | NO WORKSHOP         | There will be a free sewing day on Nov. 21 |        |
|             |                     |  |        |

- \*LBAGC Luther Burbank Art and Garden Center, 2050 Yulupa Ave, Santa Rosa
- \*VSC Village Sewing Center, 506 Lewis Road, Santa Rosa
- \*SRB Scottish Rite Building, 600 Acacia Lane, Santa Rosa

Mary Wood: Quilts are still available for Santa Rosa fire survivors, and she displayed several quilts. When we fulfill the needs of Santa Rosa, the group will start collecting quilts for Paradise.

Rhonda Denny: Welcome Committee helps new members and guests get oriented. Joanne Meaney, Jan Westerman, and Loni McDonald help introduce new members at guild meetings.

Linda Hooper: Website, Photography, and Videography Chair explained the procedure for photographing quilts after Show-and-Tell. She also explained procedure for logging quilt information for the photographer prior to Show-and-Tell. Members may also email Linda with details and she will add information to the website. She asked that members email her with special requests for photos or videography.

Heidi Mitarai: Friendship Blocks has a blank slate for 2019. Heidi welcomes requests for FB, and will provide information on available credits if desired.

Jeanne Parent and Jenine Giblin: Sew-a-Row has several rows that have been submitted, and they welcome more starters for rows or medallions.

Bonnie Butler-Sibbald: The Number of Technique Sharing Workshops will be reduced this year, and the first of five will be held after today's meeting. Bonnie will demonstrate Christmas napkins and the "Ten-minute Table Runner." The Craft Fair will be held on first meeting in November.

Betsy Smith and Nadine Heppell: January's Block-of-the-Month is "New Beginnings." Each month's block will have a color theme.

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Janet Tonkin, Pam Beebe, Laura Barrett, Nancy Stedman: Community Quilts will host three Fifth Thursday Retreats and three Quiltathons during 2019. Janet T. tracks donations, Pam oversees the committee, and Nancy and Laura organize events.

Diana Watson: Opportunity Quilt tickets are available at every meeting. The quilt is currently at Bolt in Cloverdale. The quilt is scheduled to go to Alameda Quilt Guild on January 17th, 6:30 to 9:00 pm, February 6th at Moonlight Quilters, and Quilted Angel would like to show the quilt for the five hours that the store is open one day. Volunteers are need to sell tickets for all venues.

Cathy Conover and Alana Colburn: DAAC (Drug Abuse Alternative Center) has 90 different programs. They are involved with Perinatal Program for new mothers, pregnant women, and mothers of young children, and work with them monthly to sew a small project. DAAC also has a store where program members may buy supplies with points they have earned. Currently, the program needs slip-on bibs, personal products for mothers, baby items, and yarn. Donations are welcome all year.

Jan Westerman: Miss Sunshine has old rosters in case anyone needs an address for a former member. She asked that members email her if someone they know needs a card.

Genelle Voorhees: Tri-Guild Luncheon workers are automatically registered for luncheon on March 23. Members who want to help can contact Toni Anderson. More details and registration will be available at the meeting on January 17.

Sharon Fry: Our Librarian asked members to bring books back next meeting. Library will be open during the Quilt Rave, as will the Silent Auction. Lost and found items were shown. Several books and magazines were introduced.

Betty Upchurch: Boutique can always use help to get the merchandise set up and taken down. The raffle is held at almost every meeting; Chris Nolen is salesman.

### Show & Tell

Name Tag Drawing: Joanne Landen and Esther Alton

# Final Announcements

None

The meeting was adjourned at 11:50 am.

Minutes submitted by Jan Andrews, Secretary

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