Santa Rosa Quilt Guild Quiltathon Meeting Minutes February 7, 2019

President Genelle Voorhees called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. and asked that announcements and Show and Tell be kept to a minimum.

Vicki David introduced guest Mary Wilson, and new member Beth Shields.

Genelle read a letter from Robert Silvey, son of deceased member Susan Silvey, who made a \$5,000.00 donation in her honor, per her instructions. Genelle and Carole Behlke are investigating ways to utilize the donation to honor Susan.

Diana Watson is seeking volunteers to sell tickets for the Opportunity Quilt at the Cloverdale Citrus Fair.

2019 Membership Rosters are now available. Contact Jan Andrews for a digital or printed copy.

Vintage House Quilt Show in Sonoma will be featuring The Pointless Sisters.

Tri-Guild Luncheon attendees will not have invitations, but email confirmations will be sent instead. Each volunteer/attendee will receive an email confirmation.

Moonlight Quilters' annual show will be held June 1-2. Joanne Thomas and Trina Jahnsen are here with entry forms for the show.

The students who are part of "Beth's Quilting Club" at Roseland Prep will be guests at our meeting on February 21st.

Quilt Related Announcements

- Betty Upchurch announced the Healdsburg Quilt Show March will take place on 30th. Quilts may be given to Betty, and will be returned at the next guild meeting.
- Mary Wood has quilts for fire survivors, and noted that labels are pinned on the quilts and need to be sewed down.
- Janice Rodgers noted that the February workshop is full, but names will be taken for a waiting list. March workshop is "Make it Modern," and sign-ups are open. The April workshop is being held on Good Friday. She reminded attendees to be sure to put their checks in the envelope to guarantee a seat in the class.

Committee Reports

Elizabeth Marrs announced that the SRQG 2018 Guild Challenge will be featured at the Moonlighter's quilt show in June. The entry form has a special place to note that the entry is part of a challenge.

This year's challenge theme is "Fiesta," and the date for reveal is the first meeting in August. She suggested that an 18" size would make a great display for the quilt show, but the challenge has no limitations as to size or type of project.

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Betsy Smith and Nadine Heppell divided the January BOM into two piles of 16 blocks each; Peggy Sue Buckelew and Frances Evans were the winners. February's block is "Wonky" which finishes at 8 inches; directions may be found on the website.

Jeanne Parent displayed one Sew-a-Row, and has 21 rows up for adoption starting next month.

Pam Beebe Community Quilts read a thank you note from the YWCA of Sonoma County.

Sharon Fry urged members to check out the Lost and Found, and also check on books reserved. Sharon introduced four new magazines and a new book donated to the guild by Toni Anderson, who has a quilt included. Rulers from last workshop were purchased by the Guild for checkout by members.

Laura Barrett and Nancy Stedman introduced members doing different tasks at different tables for the Quiltathon. They will hold a brief orientation regarding the different jobs at the beginning of the Quiltathon for new members or as a refresher for older members.

Name Tag Drawing: 85 members present; Heidi Mitarai and Vicki David won the drawing.

Show & Tell

Meeting adjourned at 10:29 a.m.

Submitted by: Jan Andrews, Secretary