SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

February 9, 2021

Via Zoom Video Conference

Called to Order at 10:00 a.m. by Mary Arter, President.

Mary welcomed members and guests.

Mary reminded participants of Zoom controls for the meeting.

There were 82 members and 2 guests participating in the Zoom meeting.

Mary wished a Happy Birthday to the 14 members with February birthdays.

The next board meeting will be held via Zoom on February 16 at 10:00 a.m. Guests are welcome. Let Mary know if you would like to participate and she will send you the Zoom information.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunshine and Shadows – Katy Lillie

- Nancy Pestal sent a sympathy card to Susan Ritschel at the passing of her mother at age 96.
- Maggie Bell described a wonderful new procedure she had to treat her glaucoma.
- Angela Miller has a new granddaughter in Massachusetts.
- Nancy Ota reported Del Thomas experienced a TIA recently.
- Well-known quilter and teacher, Roberta Horton, passed away.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

<u>BLOCK OF THE MONTH</u>: Vickie Janis showed block #11. There will be one more block and then sashing and borders will be presented. Quilts should be completed in April.

<u>PHILANTHROPY</u>: Linda Chiu reported 40 quilts will be donated to the Marine's baby shower. Maggie Bell is making cute fleece birds to go with the quilts. The committee is waiting to get into the church for backing fabric.

<u>PHD</u>: Sheri Hill reported the next meeting will be held on February 26 with the location to be announced. Let Sheri or Johanne Gibson know if you would like to attend. Prizes from last year will be awarded.

WORKSHOPS: Deanna Garcia reported on workshops scheduled:

- Elizabeth Eastmond: Criss Cross February 10 &16
- "Chicken Challenge" with Ann Shaw, March 23 & 24. Deanna will be at the church on March 18 at 10:00 a.m. to distribute the patterns.

• Rami Kim class: April 14-15, from 9:30-12:30 both days. The class is the "Fifth Dimension." The workshop is \$40.

<u>PARLIAMENTARIAN</u>: Monica Shafer reported a volunteer is still needed for 1st Vice-President/Programs. It is important to volunteer to keep our guild active and growing.

Monica has received many star blocks made with bright batiks for Mary's President's Quilt. Any star pattern may be used and the block should be 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " unfinished. The committee will trim the blocks. The deadline is the March guild meeting.

<u>2021 SQG CHALLENGE:</u> Jan Hirth showed the logo designed by Lyndy Dye for the theme "Bucket List." The kits are \$20 and ready to be picked up from any of these people: Jan Hirth, Debbie Myers, Lyndy Dye, Nancy Ota. They should be picked up by Saturday, February 13. The quilts are due in July.

<u>PROGRAM</u>: Vivien Hawker introduced our speaker, Elizabeth Eastmond. She showed many quilts and techniques.

<u>SHOW AND TELL</u>: Mary presented slides of the participants as each maker described her quilt. Cathie Opila was the winner of the fat quarter drawing presented by Judy Nunn.

<u>DOOR PRIZE</u>: Mary announced Jeanne Tavasci as the winner of the charm pack, "Prim" by Lori Holt of Bee in My Bonnet for Riley Blake Designs.

Mary Arter ended the meeting with thanks to our speaker and to members and guests who attended the meeting. She noted that Judy Kamman and Holly Betz have volunteered to chair "Block of the Month" for the next year.

It was announced that Del Thomas won a prize in the virtual quilt show for Gallery Q in Laguna Beach.

The March General Meeting will be a Zoom presentation by Linda J. Hahn. Her topic will be "New York Beauty State of Mind."

Adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Deanne Meidell, Secretary