

SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

May 13, 2025

Check-in and Registration began at 9:30 a.m.

Meeting location: Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 33501 Stonehill Drive,
Dana Point, CA

Called to Order at 10:00 a.m. by Pam Hadfield, President.

Pam welcomed members and guests to the meeting. Pam mentioned this is a little bit different meeting since we are bidding farewell to Jeanette as our outgoing President and giving her thanks for all her service. Jeanette has spent the last four years on the executive board.

Pam reminded members to be sure to renew their membership and announced that Del and Bridgette will be taking photos for the directory.

The next board meeting is May 20th at the Seaside Villas Clubhouse in Dana Point. News articles are due by the evening of the board meeting.

There are chocolate kisses for the birthday members back on the table by Mry Arter.

Pam pointed out the locations of exits, restrooms and refreshments. Pam asked everyone to silence their cell phones.

There were 114 current members present.

Pam introduced the 2025-2026 board:

President: Pam Hadfield

1st VP Programs: Sherri Peltier

2nd VP Membership: Karen Hanway and Cathy Harris

3rd VP: Marcia Kuehl

Secretary: Janis Toman

Treasurer: Deb Hadley

Parliamentarian: Jeanette Brooks

The board was voted on and passed.

Deb Hadley – Approval of the budget for 2025-26 guild year. A motion was made by Del Thomas and a second was made by Patty Sexton. The vote passed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

a. SUNSHINE & SHADOWS:

- Del Thomas is a Featured Quilter at Empty Spools Seminar March 1-6, 2026.
- Gloria Rose's husband has passed away and she is moving to Massachusetts to be near her family.

- Kelly Counselor is moving to Michigan.
 - Lynn Tweet moved into a nursing home in Rancho Santa Magarita.
 - The Orange County Fair is coming u[in July. The guild has been assigned to opening day – July 18th.
- b. Pam welcomed the visitors and new members.
- c. Our new members from April were Christi Valley, Janet Crothers, Julie Layne, and Pam Swanson.

Program: Introducing Incoming Board Members

a. Executive Board

- President – Pam Hadfield
- 1st VP Programs – Sherri Peltier
- 2nd VP Membership – Karen Hanway and Cathy Harris
- 3rd VP Facilities – Marcia Kuehl
- Secretary – Janis Toman
- Treasurer Debra Hadley
- Parliamentarian – Jeanette Brooks

b. Standing Committees

- Block of the Month – Holly Betz and Judy Kamman
- Hospitality – Jaine Culbertson
- Monthly Mini – Katy Lillie
- Newsletter Editor – Deanne Meidell (Proofreader – Becky Silvaggio)
- Philanthropy Linda Chiu and Nancy Pestal
- Publicity/Sponsors – Julia Renaud
- SCCQG Representative – Bridgette Callanan
- Show & Tell – Carol Gobrogge
- Sunshine and Shadows – Diana Jacobs
- Volunteer Coordinator – Monica Shafer
- Welcoming – Glanna Anderson and Dawn Johnson
- Workshops – Mary Arter

c. Special Committees

- Bus Trips – Elizabeth Geer and Deanna Garcia
- Directory – Debbie Myers
- Let's Get to Know – Susie Russell
- Magazine Recycling – Laura Miller
- Challenge – Janis Toman and Jan Hirth
- Photography – Del Thomas and Bridgette Callanan
- Webmail and Retreat – Michelle Howe

d. November Fest

- Chair – Christina Ehrenguber

- Boutique – Sherri Peltier and Julie Kemmerer
- Baskets – Carol Gobrogge and Elizabeth Geer
- Quilt Auction – Mary Arter
- Silent Auction – Joann Bishop and Odette Osantowski

COMMITTEE REPORTS

PROGRAMS: Sherri Peltier

Our speaker for the June meeting will be Nancy Prince.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH: The new BOM is 18 houses made up 12 blocks.

MONTHLY MINI: Judy Nunn & Katy Lillie. This month the mini is a cute bag with novelty fabric inside.

WORKSHOPS: Mary Arter presented:

May – Popup Shop

June – Nancy Prince – Thread sketching and thread painting.

July – Julia McCloud – Mary Arter has extra ties for this workshop if anyone needs ties.

Raffle tickets are available for the Workshop drawing.

CHALLENGE: Janis Toman and Jan Hirth – The Challenge entries are due at the July Guild Meeting. There are many opportunities for awards.

NOVEMBER FEST: Christina Ehrenguber (Sherri, Carol, Mary, Joann)

PHILANTHROPY: Linda Chiu and Nancy Pestal showed a parade of Philanthropy quilts. All members are invited to join the Philanthropy group Wednesday, May 20th at the Community Presbyterian Church in San Juan Capistrano on Del Obispo, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Philanthropy has an inventory of 96 quilts and 51 pillowcases. For the 2024-2025 Guild year we have donated 406 quilts and 600 pillowcases.

Pam announced the Break

Presentation of the President's Quilt: Mary Mulcahey presented Jeanette with her President's Quilt.

DRAWING WINNERS:

Workshop Raffle – Michell Howe

Hospitality: Margaret Shea

Monthly Mini: Becky Silvaggio

Door Prizes: Pricilla Hackbarth and Barbarann Christensen

The next meeting will be on June 10, 2025. Nancy Prince, an award winner quilter, will be our speaker.

Members reminded to clean up, turn on phones.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janis Toman, Secretary