SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

June 8, 2021

Via Zoom Video Conference

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

Mary welcomed members and guests to the meeting.

Mary reminded participants of Door Prize rules and Zoom controls for the meeting.

There were 68 members and 1 guest participating in the Zoom meeting.

Mary wished a Happy Birthday to the 9 members with June birthdays.

The next board meeting will be held via Zoom on June 22 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:

- a. COVID: Mary noted most of the state restrictions will be lifted in a week. The church has not yet given permission for meetings.
- b. Membership Renewals: Renewals should be completed soon so members will be included in the Directory.
- c. The Road to California show will take place in January. The guild plans a bus trip on Friday, January 21. A survey will be sent to members about the trip.
- d. The Global Quilt Connection Sampler Platter was successful in May. They plan to present another one on October 2-3.
- e. Sunshine and Shadows no report

COMMITTEE REPORTS

<u>BLOCK OF THE MONTH</u>: Holly Betz and Judy Kamman presented two blocks for the "Puzzle" series. The instructions are available on the SQG website.

NOVEMBER FEST: Mary reported the event will take place on November 9.

- Boutique: Monica Shafer reported from the planning meeting on June 3. Each member is asked to make a handmade Christmas ornament. Kits and notebooks of patterns will be available at the retreat. She can be contacted for a kit also. Patterns for ironing board covers and dog bandanas will soon be available. Baby items haven't sold very well in the past.
- Raffle Baskets: Nancy Pestal reported complete baskets are requested rather than individual items. The committee requests a list of the contents. Currently baskets have been promised with these themes: Christmas, Halloween, Beach, Asian. Baskets should be turned in at the October General Meeting.

 Quilt Auction: Cathie Opila reported she is ready to collect quilts for the auction. She showed a queen-size Bonnie Hunter Mystery Quilt she is donating. She has a form to fill out with the donation of a quilt. Lyn Mann will be the auctioneer.

Mary thanked the committee members who attended the planning meeting.

<u>PHILANTHROPY</u>: Linda Chiu reported the Philanthropy Committee will be at the church on June 16 for a fat quarter sale. They recently donated 25 quilts to UCSD which were given to participants in a clinical trial. Twenty kids' quilts were donated to CHOC at Mission. Twenty-eight pillowcases were also donated. The committee needs baby quilts for the next Marine event.

<u>PHD</u>: Mary reported for Sheri Hill the group will be meeting on Friday, June 25 at Cathie Opila's to work on project #9.

<u>WORKSHOPS</u>: Deanna Garcia reported on workshops scheduled:

June 9: Pam Hadfield: Owl-O-Ween virtual workshop (3 are signed up)

July 13 General Meeting: Linda Sullivan (Colourwerx) "Got Color?"

Workshop: Bodacious Bloomin' Curves Made Easy Wednesday, July 14, 1:30 - 4:30 and Thursday, July 15, 10:00 - 1:00

<u>2021 SQG CHALLENGE:</u> Jan Hirth encouraged members to take part in the "Bucket List" Challenge as kits are still available. The quilts are due July 13 at the General Meeting. If you cannot attend the meeting, you may take your quilt to Lyndy Dye, Nancy Ota or Jan Hirth. Jan asks that you call or text before dropping off a quilt. There will be 15 awards and ribbons and a \$100 Viewer's Choice award.

<u>PROGRAM:</u> Denise Riley introduced Julie Silber of Julie Silber Quilts who gave an entertaining talk called "Keepin' 'Em in Stitches."

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

<u>DOOR PRIZE:</u> Mary announced Amira Mansour as the winner of the charm pack, "Nebula" by Laurel Burch for Clothworks.

Mary thanked Julie Silber, members and guests who attended the meeting.

The next guild meeting will be July 13 via Zoom unless otherwise announced.

Adjourned at approximately 11:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Deanne Meidell, Secretary