Surfside Quilters Guild

General Meeting #88 Minutes

August 9, 2016, 10:00 a.m.

San Clemente Presbyterian Church, 119 N. Ave De La Estrella, San Clemente, CA 92672

Call to Order:

- 1. President, Betty Collins, welcomed guests and new members and acknowledged those with August birthdays.
- 2. A thank you was given to piano players, Pat McNeil, Jo Hutchinson, and Elizabeth Geer.
- 3. Reminders were given concerning lunch reservations for today at Rocco's.
- 4. No parking in south lot.
- 5. Reminder to turn off or silence cell phones.
- 6. The Board Meeting is August 16 at The Seaside Villa's Clubhouse in Dana Point.

Special Announcements:

<u>Sunshine and Shadows</u>: Judy Killberg and Debbie Knutsen: Stuart Binns of Capistrano Sew and Vacuum is semi-retired and working on healing. Barbara Dietsch's son has died. Wendy McCalley's mom, Judy, has passed away.

Committee Reports:

<u>Lunch Reservations and Bus Trips</u>: Maggie Bell and Lynn Tweet: Make reservations early for September luncheon to help Lynn who will be working table on her own.

<u>Block of the Month</u>: Joann Bishop and Susie Russell: Patterns for blocks 1-4 are available at the BOM table at break.

<u>Friendship Groups</u>: Monica Shafer: Meet and greet August 23 at 10:00 a.m. at the Coffee Importers in Dana Point.

Smile: Monica Shafer: Read out the instructions to sign up for the Amazon Smile program.

Monthly Mini: Julie Vlahos and Carol Whiteside: Mini Quilt in 30's fabrics donated by Linda Ambrosini.

Past President/Parliamentarian: Odette Osantowski: No Report

<u>Philanthropy</u>: Suzette Blake and Nancy Pestal: Shared Potter's Lane project. Philanthropy anticipates donating seven patriotic (65"x93") quilts. Barbara Seidel is making pillow cases and donating pillows.

<u>Ways & Means:</u> Becky McDaniel, Katie Lillie, and Julie Vlahos: Sign up for cello bags at the Fest Table. Donation forms are there too. Volunteers needed. If you are unable to take on a Guild

position, but want to help, November Fest is an opportunity to give back. Sign up at the September meeting.

<u>Boutique</u>: Mary Mulcahey: Sew day to make items for the November Fest Boutique will be tomorrow, August 10 at the San Juan Mobile Estates.

<u>Workshops</u>: Mary Mulcahey and Karen Wendel: Wednesday's workshop, "Trees" is cancelled. Another date to be determined. September: Patricia Beavers, "Crayon Quilts"; October: Cathy Van Bruggen, "All About Applique".

Drawing for free workshop each month. Purchase tickets at the Monthly Mini table.

<u>UFO Coordinators</u>: Marjie Butterworth and Johanne Gibson: Meeting is August 16 at 10:00 a.m. at Seaside Villas in Dana Point. Project #4.

Show and Tell: Vickie Janis and Sheri Hill: Fourteen members shared 23 items.

<u>Break</u>: Workshop signups, Monthly Mini tickets, Photos with Del, Magazine Table, & Fat Quarter sale.

Monthly Mini Drawing: Mini 30's quilt donated by Linda Ambrosini was won by Carole Bassett.

Hospitality Drawing: Floral bouquet won by Julie Vlahos.

Workshop Drawing: Won by Rosalind Doidge.

Membership Report: Cathie Opila:

Members Present: 102

Guests Present: 10

New Members: 1 (Linda Chiu)

Total Present: 123

Members for 2016-2017: 199

Programs: Linda Rigdon: Introduced the five SQG volunteer demonstrators:

Marcia Faultersack-Easy Rag French Quilt; Becky McDaniel-Folded Star Coaster; Glenna Anderson- Upcycle Bags; Angela Miller-Fearless Zipper Bags, and Judy Killberg- French Sachet.

<u>Remember</u> to turn your cell phones back on. Please pick up your trash and check around your areas for anything you forgot.

Meeting Adjournment: 11:05 a.m. to the Demonstrations.

Submitted by: Nancy Pestal, Secretary, Surfside Quilters Guild