SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES September 13, 2022 Check-in and Registration began at 9:30 a.m.

Meeting location: St Andrew's By-the-Sea UMC, 2001 Calle Frontera, San Clemente, CA

Called to Order at 10:02 a.m. by Debbie Myers, President.

Debbie welcomed members and guests to the meeting.

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

There were 87 current members, 2 new members (1 not in attendance) and 9 guests in attendance, bringing it to a total attendance of 97. We currently have 179 members.

Debbie wished a Happy Birthday to the 15 members with September birthdays.

The next board meeting will be held on September 20 at 10:00 a.m. at Seaside Villas Clubhouse, Dana Point. Guests are welcome and should let Debbie know if they wish to attend.

Lunch reservations available at Panera Bread in the San Clemente Outlet Mall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

a. Explanation of leis on board members: to identify behind the scenes board members.

b. Orange County Quilters Guild's Opportunity Quilt: Celestial Diamond, with Jennifer Kerr. Winning ticket to be pulled 5/9/2023.

c. Global Quilt Connection's holiday-themed Sampler Platter: September 17& 18; link to go out later in the week.

d. New Member Tea: save the date for Tuesday October 25 10:00 a.m. at St Andrew's By-the-Sea UMC.

e. Sunshine and Shadows/Welcoming: Mary Harrigan reported that Mary Jayne Bellamy passed and her service will be on September 24 from 1-3 p.m.

at Our Savior Lutheran Church in San Clemente. Lyn Mann is currently struggling with cancer.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

<u>BLOCK OF THE MONTH</u>: Rock the Block. Holly Betz and Judy Kamman showed their BOM with the next border block featuring squares. The instructions are available at the BOM table and the SQG website.

<u>MONTHLY MINI</u>: Maggie Bell showed Lynn Tweet's 2015 SQG Challenge "It's All About the Water". It brought in \$67. October's Monthly Mini is a beautiful, beach-themed, blue and tan table runner donated by Philanthropy.

<u>PHILANTHROPY</u>: Linda Chiu and Nancy Pestal showed a parade of Philanthropy quilts. Philanthropy needs quilts for CHOC Mission Hospital, the Marine Baby Shower in October and Meals on Wheels. In September fabric sales brought in \$81. Two quilt tops were put up for silent auction: \$60 was brought in for a pink and brown quilt won by Jean Impey, and \$120 for a flower applique quilt top won by Karen Guthrie. They invited everyone to join the Philanthropy group next Wednesday- September 21 at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Dana Point.

<u>WORKSHOPS/BYLAWS REVIEW</u>: Mary Arter. Mary reported that Guild Bylaw changes will be presented to the board for review at the board meeting.

Surfside Quilters Guild Sew-cial/Popup shop: Sale of fabrics, demos, give-aways and snacks available. The location will be Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Dana Point on September 14 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. October 12: Cathie Hoover giving Moo-Desto Cowblock November 9: Edyta Sitar workshop TBD. Tickets are available for Workshop drawing.

BUS TRIPS: Elizabeth Geer and Deanna Garcia.

<u>PROGRAM</u>: Mary Mulcahey introduced Mary Arter and Sherri Peltier for Member Showcase.

<u>SHOW AND TELL:</u> Angela Miller and Hiroko Moriwaki. Members showed their quilting projects.

DRAWING WINNERS:

Hospitality: Deanna Garcia Monthly Mini: Joan Provance Workshop: Gail Licata Door Prize: Kelly Counseller and Suzette Blake

Debbie thanked the volunteers, pianists, members and guests who attended.

The next meeting will be on October 12 with Cathie Hoover.

Members reminded to cleanup, turn on phones. No lost and found.

The meeting was adjourned at 12.16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Vivien Hawker, Secretary