# SURFSIDE QUILTERS GUILD GENERAL MEETING MINUTES September 10, 2024

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 10:02 a.m. by Jeanette Brooks, President.

Jeanette welcomed members and guests to the meeting and wished a happy birthday to all the members with September birthdays.

The next board meeting is September 17<sup>th</sup> at the Seaside Villas Clubhouse in Dana Point

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

Jeanette reminded members that if they are contacted by her or a gift card or money that it is a scam.

There were 80 current members and 4 guests in attendance, bringing it to a total attendance of 84. We currently have 191 members.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- a. <u>SUNSHINE & SHADOWS:</u> Sharon Whelan reported that Stephanie Duncan's son, Nathaniel, passed away. Stephanie was a previous member who has moved to Arizona.
- b. <u>Welcoming Committee</u>: Dawn Johnson and Glenna Anderson are on the Welcoming committee and are working with Carol and Kelly to meet all the new members and guests.
- c. Jeanette reminded everyone to wear their name tags. She also suggested introducing yourself to new members or by sitting by someone new at a workshop.

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

<u>1st VP Programs</u>: Susy Nash; September - Jeff Warner; November - Pam Hadfield; December - Give Back. We are working with myowncaseoc.com to pack bags for the many foster children in Orange County. Members can either buy items on the needs list or donate money to be spent to buy supplies.

<u>PHILANTHROPY</u>: Linda Chiu and Nancy Pestal showed a parade of Philanthropy quilts. All members are invited to join the Philanthropy group next Wednesday, September 18th, at the Center for Spiritual Living in San Clemente from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Marcia Kuehl received a generous donation of \$1,000.

MONTHLY MINI: Judy Nunn & Katy Lillie. This month there are two monthly minis. A very pretty cross-body was donated by Carol Gobrogge. There is also a clear tote with wonderful goodies inside.

RETREAT: Michelle Howe – The Fall retreat is October 21-23.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH: This month is a star block.

Jan Hirth – Hoffman Tour sign ups are taking place for a tour on September 25<sup>th</sup> from 9:15 to 11:30.

Global Quilt Connection is September 28 and 29. You will be getting a blast with the links to this program. It is a "Meet the Teachers" and learn new things about quilting in 15-20 snip-its.

### WORKSHOPS: Mary Arter presented:

October 8: Karen Barry is presenting the history of Hawaiian quilting.

November 12: Pam Hadfield "All Around the Neighborhood".

January 14: Kristie Naranjo "Scrappy Applique".

Raffle tickets are available for the Workshop drawing.

PROGRAM: Pam Hadfield Pam introduced Jeff Warner

Jeanette announced the break.

Show and Tell: Hiroko and Charlotte - Fall Quilts

## **DRAWING WINNERS:**

Hospitality: Yvonne Bell and Lynn Lohe Monthly Mini: Bag – Odette Osantowski

Workshop: Michelle Lincoln

Door Prizes: Monica Shafer and Judy Nunn

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

The next meeting will be on October 8, 2024 with Karen from Quilt Passions on the history of Hawaiian Quilting.

Members reminded to clean up, turn on phones.

Lunch at RJ's following the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janis Toman, Secretary