

Pacific Piecemakers Quilt Guild

Minutes of Meeting, May 21, 2021

Meeting called to order at 1:00 by Vice President Della Zita

No guests, visitors

Announcements:

Judy Riddle reported that she went up to Albion to Charlene Younker's, Rainbow Resource Sale. She has lots of Kaffe and batiks. Many ½ yard cuts of fabric. Some is 10% off, some up to 50% off. Visit her June 3-11, or 17-30. Call to make an appointment, 937-0431 or 684-0699.

Minutes of April Meeting: Move to approve: Marcia Luchini, Seconded: Caroline Ogg
Approved

Membership: Thank you to Gail Spencer and Bonnie Toy for updating and sending out our current roster. Membership numbers currently 76.

Treasurer's Report: Pam Todd reports that our current balance is \$25,614.93. We spent \$185 for the April lecture.

Program Committee Report: Caroline Ogg that we will have a Zoom lecture from Carol Wyles-Shaw, "What Makes a Modern Quilt?" Since she is in Florida, her lecture will begin at 12:00. Our meeting will follow her presentation.

Continuing Education: Waiting for things to open up from COVID.

2021 Challenge: Francie reported that our Challenge is in October. The exhibit will hang at GAC from Oct 1 through Nov 7. Take in will be Sept 29. Hanging will be Sept 30. Member Preview will be Oct 1. Public reception (tentative due to COVID) will be Oct. 2. Take down will be Nov 8. The theme is "Flying Free." You may submit a quilt you made for "A Star is Born," or any other quilt you make, as long as it is no older than two years. Since it is the 25th Anniversary of PPQG, if you could include some silver, that would be great, but is not required. Maryse, at The Loft, has some silver fabrics in stock.

2022 Challenge: This will take place in May 2022. A committee is needed to decide on a theme.

Fundraising:

AIR Quilt 2021: Is at Jan Carter's house. She will contact Kendra about showing it and beginning to sell tickets. We are donating the quilt made for 2020, which was cancelled due to COVID.

AIR Quilt 2022: Jan Carter is willing to work on it. Needs a chairperson.

AIR: Judy Riddle is chairman. Committee: Marcia Luchini, Darla Buechner, Cheryl Faconti, Sylvia Evans, Francie Angwin

We are awaiting direction from GAC as to what AIR might consist of this year. The dates for the exhibit and sales are August 19-22, as of now.

FOT 2021: For chair and committee see AIR 2021 above. Again, we are waiting to see what the format for FOT will be. It will be the weekend after Thanksgiving, but we are not sure if it will continue through December as Winter Wonderland did in 2020.

FOT Christmas Tree: A chairperson is needed. Again, we are not sure of the format due to possible COVID restrictions.

Monthly Projects: Judy Riddle and Sylvia Evans

Response to this project has been great. The take in for Coasters was 30 sets, with some more on the way. There were 22 sets of Microwave Bowls turned in. Judy is keeping track of who has made what and adds tickets for the custom quilted quilt each month. The winning ticket will be drawn at our Holiday event. The next turn in, is two table runners on Monday, May 31, in the parking lot behind the Gualala Hotel. Please let Judy or Sylvia know if you will be bringing them items.

Comfort Quilts: Marcia Luchini

We gave away two last month. Always need more. Thanks to Cheryl Faconti, Janice Batchelder, and Sylvia Keller for their donations.

Seven members met for three hours to sort through an enormous donation of fabric. The group also pulled all of the bins for the fanny basket and resorted them, folding and grouping like fabrics together.

Quilts of Valor: Lori Holmes, Sandy Lockhart

No report. Maryse at The Loft has patriotic fabrics. She is offering a 10% discount on any fabrics bought for a Quilt of Valor.

Community Outreach: Cheryl Faconti

We continue our Comfort Quilt program.

Retreat 2022: Jan Carter

Jan is tentatively going ahead with scheduling us in the Dry Creek Inn for the first week in February 2022.

Summer Event: Jan Carter

To be Announced

Holiday Luncheon: Judy Riddle, Sylvia Evans

They are still unsure of restrictions at GAC due to COVID. It is possible that we will have a sit down lunch at The Gualala Community Center. They hope to have a lunch catered by Tanya Radtkey again. (Black Oak Catering) At this time quiche, salad, a biscuit and dessert are tentatively on the menu.

Library: Iris Lorenz-Fife

No report

Publicity: Sandy Hughes

No report

Newsletter: Judy Riddle

Get any items for the newsletter to her by the 25th.

Hospitality: Della Zita, Cheryl Faconti, Sylvia Evans, Pam Todd

The committee has been working hard on investigating options for when we get the green light and are able to meet in person again. We're not sure what restrictions on using the kitchen will be in place. We will have some prepackaged treats and possibly urns for coffee and hot water.

New Business:

Name tag drawing:

No

Show and Tell:

Cheryl Faconti showed two baby quilts, one she made for a friend's grandniece, and one for her new granddaughter.

Jan Carter showed a table runner with a large red flower center.

Gail Spencer showed a cat-panel quilt for her granddaughter.

Meeting Adjourned 1:54