

Pacific Piecemakers Quilt Guild  
March 18, 2022

Meeting called to order at 1:00 by President Janice Batchelder

Attendance was 18 members and 2 guests, Sandi and Jack

Approval of Minutes

Moved to approve Cheryl Faconti, Seconded by Iris Lorenz-Fife

Minutes were approved

Membership Report: Gail Spencer

A month ago we were at 43, but Gail contacted members and now we have 74 paid up. Thank you, Gail, for your work in this area. Please welcome new member, Karen Stultz-Miller.

Treasurer's Report: Pam Todd

We had income of \$345 from dues, \$145 Angel Gifts, and \$40 from past fundraiser.

Outgo from hospitality expenses, hangers and a hanger stacker for sales, and renewal of Zoom totaled \$307.25.

Our current balance is \$30,400.54.

Program: Jeanette Schnell has volunteered to head the program committee. She can use some help!

April 2022: Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup> Jeri Kennedy will teach the first class for learning how to make a double wedding ring quilt. Class will be at the Gualala Community Center. There is no fee for the class. Please sign up and buy your background fabric (3 1/2 yards) at The Loft. Use your own scraps or a charm pack for rings. The morning of the class will deal with properly marking your pieces, and we will sew in the afternoon.

On Friday, April 15<sup>th</sup> Jeri will have a lecture and trunk show featuring Mountain Mist Applique patterns and history.

May: Member, Charlotte Tefft will give a talk and show her fairy dolls on May 20<sup>th</sup>, at the Gualala Community Center.

June: June 17<sup>th</sup> we will have a Comfort Quilt/QOV workshop at the Gualala Community Center.

July: Picnic

August: No meeting

September: Marcia Luchini's sister will be teaching a one day class on Thursday and giving a lecture at our meeting on Friday.

Challenge 2022: Della Zita, Sylvia Evans

Entry forms are due at GAC by April 29, 2022

Turn in of quilts will be May 11<sup>th</sup> from 11 AM until 2 PM. Hanging the show will take place that day.

Reception will be May 13<sup>th</sup>, from 5 – 7 PM.

Quilts will be picked up on June 6 from 10 AM – 12 noon.

We need folks to help with take in and hanging the show. We need a sign up to make hors d'oeuvres for our reception as well as set up, serve, and clean up. Please email Della or Sylvia to sign up.

Challenge 2023

Jan Carter and Melissa Finley will chair the challenge. Details to be announced.

AIR Quilt 2022: Jan Carter, Barbara Dunsmoor, Cheryl Faconti

The quilt will be ready for quilting at the end of March.

AIR Quilt 2023

Volunteers are needed.

AIR/ Winter Wonderland Sales: Judy Riddle

Per our monthly tasks, in March Judy received 4 sets of placemats and 20 bowls.

April: Coasters

May: Aprons

June: Quilts

Bowls and any other items are welcome at any time!

Comfort Quilts: Marcia Luchini

Marcia was not present, though it was reported that we gave out 2 the week before.

All types of quilts are needed.

Quilts of Valor (QOV): Sandy Lockhart

Sandy made a delivery to the VA hospital in Palo Alto in November. She had to hand them in at the door, as no one can go inside due to COVID.

Community Outreach: Cheryl Faconti

No report.

Retreat 2022: Jan Carter

We had fourteen signups. We Zoomed for coffee hour at 10 AM and happy hour at 4 PM each day. We enjoyed sharing our projects. Out of town participants included Sylvia Edwards from Santa Cruz, Lola de Longoria from New Jersey and Trudy Armer from Playa del Rey. Great to see their faces!

Retreat 2023: Jan Carter

Hopefully we will be able to meet in person again. Watch for further information.

Holiday Luncheon: Judy Riddle, Sylvia Evans

Judy and Sylvia are exploring the option of going to a restaurant in 2022.

Publicity: Sandy Hughes

No report.

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

Many thanks to Cheryl Faconti for her two tasty versions of chili. Pam Todd made delicious cornbread. Jeri Kennedy brought Madelines, Gail Spencer made banana bread, Jan Carter brought short bread and cashews, and Mary Hunter brought Ferrero Rocher candies.

T-shirts: Cheryl Faconti

Cheryl is still working with the provider. Info will be coming out soon regarding ordering protocols. The shirts will be long sleeved and we hope to have them to be worn by those working at our sales.

July Picnic: Jan Carter

Jan has offered to organize our picnic. If members want something other than that please let her know.

Monthly drawing of Gift Certificate from the Loft:

Maryse has generously donated a monthly \$20 gift certificate for those who have contributed items to our sales. This month's winner of the drawing was Francie Angwin.

Library Report: Iris Lorenz Fife

No report

New Business:

We still need some officers for 2023. The two current vice presidents will be unable to serve as president in 2023, when Janice steps down. We are asking for someone who is willing to serve as president next year. The past presidents are ready and willing to help out. They include Judy Riddle, Sandy Hughes, Cheryl Faconti, Jan Carter and Janice Batchelder.

Program: Jeanette Schnell has graciously stepped up to work on Program, but she still needs help.

Nametag/Raffle Leader/Greeter: Kathy Mayda

Photographer: Jeanette Schnell has volunteered!

Winter Wonderland Christmas Tree: Volunteer needed

Comfort Quilts: Marcia could use some help!!

Pam Todd suggested that perhaps we look at our organization of officers. She suggested a three-year term during which a person would serve as vice president, then president, then past president. This would support all involved.

Show and Tell:

Cheryl Faconti showed a scrappy tumbler quilt with no pink, making it appropriate for a male recipient.

Kalynn Oleson showed a comfort quilt with 12-inch squares from a large scale print, sashed in black. She also showed a quilt featuring animal panels from the fanny basket.

Della Zita showed, via Sylvia Evans, a green, lavender and turquoise comfort quilt.

Dee Goodrich shared a comfort quilt of nautical themed panels. She also showed a quilt that she will keep, called "Rainbow Boogie," made with overlapping triangles in a color wash.

Sandy Lockhart showed a quilt top sent in by Lori Holmes that needs borders, backing and quilting to be completed. Dee Goodrich took it to finish.

Nametag Drawing:

Cheryl Faconti and Iris Lorenz-Fife were winners.

Meeting adjourned at 2:03

We returned to our Comfort Quilt/QOV workshop.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Francie Angwin