



Fallbrook Quilt Guild Newsletter September 2017

President's Message

Someone please tell me September isn't just around the corner! This year is just flying by too fast. Our Quilt Show will be here before we know it. The "Wine & A Bite" Art Walk went exceptionally well on 11 August. Sylvia Williams, Betsy Shirkey, Linda Wright and I were at C&R Properties on Main Street having a great time. There was a really good crowd enjoying the festivities - toward the end of the evening, more seemed to settle right where we were located – lucky us!. Our Opportunity Quilt was a hit – everyone who looked at it had great comments and naturally we were more than willing to help them part with a total of \$94. A really great evening with some pretty great ladies. After the Board meeting on 11 August we jumped right into the Budget meeting. Lots of great discussion and compromise occurred with a few items of note:

- (1) - "Guild Storage" expense was added to our list of operating expenses as nobody could accommodate a shed for our "Guild property" at their home.
- (2) - During this last change of Treasurers, we found that not everyone is using the same computer program(s) required to enable an easy hand-off to the next Treasurer for preparation of the Guild's spreadsheet. It was requested, motioned and voted by the Board to purchase a laptop, software and antivirus protection to enable future Treasurers a smooth transition and the capability to perform the job without hindrances.

NOTE: Although the expense is listed, this issue will be revisited after the Quilt Show to ensure there are sufficient funds to accommodate.

- (3) – At the bottom of the page you will see that Workshops/Pgms for 2018-2019 are listed as having a budget of \$12,200. This amount is **not** included in the 2017-2018 budget. It is there only as a footnote for next year's budget and as a guide for Collette to use when putting together her program for next year.

Wishing everyone a cool "rest of August" and an early "Happy Labor Day". Be safe – enjoy a great time with friends and family. Look forward to seeing you on 7 September.

Barbara Vajda

TIDBIT:

Solar heating for residential housing was invented by Dr. Maria Telkes in 1947. Dr. Telkes was a Psychiatrist in addition to being a Solar-Power pioneer.

Speakers and Workshops for 2017~2018

Sylvia Williams, Program chairman
619-972-0036, email; sylvview@roadrunner.com

September 7 September 9, 2017~Rita Verroca~"Travel through Quilt History",
Workshop "Monarch Butterfly"; <http://www.ritaverrocaquilts.com/index/>

October 5, 2017~Terry Waldron~" The Art of Doing it all", Speaker only; <http://www.terrywaldron.com/>

TREASURER'S REPORT – AUGUST 2017

Income:

Cup and a Quarter = \$41,
Door prize = \$36,
Birthday drawings = \$57,
membership = \$501,
Opportunity Quilt = \$534.26,
Workshops = \$435,
Quilt Show = \$150.
Total Income = \$1754.26

Expenses:

Hospitality = \$28.98,
Newsletter printing = \$16.16,
Ways and Means = \$15.26,
Workshops and Programs = \$1050,
Quilt Show = \$10, Sales tax \$176,
Post Office Box \$76.
Total Expenses = \$1372.40

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Jane Larson
- 2 Chelley Erickson
- 5 Cindy Steams
- 13 Tina Rainey
- 17 Joyce Ansell
- 17 Betty Hall
- 17 Gigi Sartor

Bring a quilt related item for
the door prize table!



Quilt Show News

Calling all quilts! Calling all quilts! The September guild meeting is the last chance to submit your entry forms (the quilts don't have to be finished by then J).

I'll be at the table at the meeting so you can sign up for the following committees:

Boutique. See Linda Flynn and Lou Cobb.

Admissions. See Mary Morrison

Food Booth. See Jane Larson

Country Store. See Paula Manning

Set-Up/Take-Down. See Carol Carpenter

White Glove. See Ann Harris

There are three shifts each day: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM, 12:00 PM-2:00 PM, 2:00 PM-4:00 PM.

Remember that all quilts entered in the show must have a sleeve for hanging. If the quilt is wider than 80", the sleeve must be in two parts.

Also, when you are getting your quilts ready to deliver to the Quilt Collection committee, if the quilt is longer than 90", you must pin up the bottom of the quilt so it won't drag on the floor.

We will have a quilt display at the Chamber of Commerce for the months of September and October as advertisement for our show. I need a few smaller pieces (less than 36x36). Renee Toomey has already offered one of her wall hangings and I have a couple I plan to display.

Please let me know if you have something you'd be willing to let us use.

Thanks.

Sandy Scott
Quilt Show Director



MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

And a 'Happy End of August' from the Membership Committee!

It was a wonderful August Guild meeting and we are pleased to announce that we have another 2 members who have joined our group! With all the New Member Renewals, we have a total of 83 members...and looking to build on that number monthly.

Please make sure you give our new members a warm welcome at the September meeting. Who are they?

- Nonie Osborne
- Tina Estensen

For their contact information, you will find them both in the new Directory!

When you meet a new 'quilter', invite them to our Guild! Hey...even your husbands can invite someone (thank you, Carl Morrison)!

See you in September - - -

Tina Rainey
Judy Ortega



ECLIPSE INFORMATION FOR SAN DIEGO

The time schedule for Los Angeles is just 2 minutes earlier.

REMINDER: DO NOT LOOK DIRECTLY at the phenomenon unless you wear special glasses.

<https://www.timeanddate.com/eclipse/in/usa/san-diego>

Global Type: [Total Solar Eclipse](#)

San Diego: [Partial Solar Eclipse](#)

Begins: Mon, Aug 21, 2017 at 9:07 am [Countdown](#)

Maximum: Mon, Aug 21, 2017 at 10:23 am

Ends: Mon, Aug 21, 2017 at 11:46 am

Duration: 2 hours, 39 minutes

Magnitude: [0.66](#)

The Fall Semester of San Diego Continuing Education begins September 5 - January 2017

There are many Fashion and Sewing classes throughout San Diego.

Check out the website for all the scheduled classes.

<http://www.sdce.edu/schedule#/fashion>

See page 53 of the current SDCE catalog.

See page 54 for a photo of Quilt Instructor Karen Cunagin !

Fallbrook Quilt Guild Budget for 2017 - 2018

	2017-2018 Budgeted Income	2017-2018 Budgeted Expenses
Birthday Drawing	500.00	
Block of the Month		35.00
Boutique	1,000.00	300.00
Cup and a Quarter	500.00	
Door Prize	500.00	
Hospitality		300.00
Entertainment		200.00
Membership	2,700.00	100.00
Quilts of Love		600.00
Sunshine		30.00
Swap Shoppe	500.00	
Non-member Fees:		
Design/Const.- 2017/2018 Oppt.Quilt		850.00
<i>Newsletter:</i>		
Distribution		150.00
Printing		250.00
Quilt Show 2017	25,000.00	9,000.00
Scholarship & Grants		1,520.00
Ways/Means Oppty. Quilt "Midnight Garden"	4,000.00	400.00
Workshops/Programs:	3,000.00	12,200.00
Space Rental		300.00
Operating Expenses		
Charitable Contributions		100.00
Directory		400.00
Gifts		50.00
Guild Storage		1,700.00
Insurance (SCCQG)		400.00
Legal		500.00
Meeting Room Rent		2,640.00
Memberships/Fees		450.00
Non-Profit Compliance Officer		50.00
PO Box		76.00
President		100.00
Sales Tax		
SCCQG Meetings		200.00
Treasurer		1,300.00
TOTALS	37,700.00	34,201.00

Projected Reserves

3,499.00

Workshops/Pgms 2018/2019

12,200.00

Pay Pal Here Account

100.00

FALLBROOK QUILT GUILD
MINUTES FROM GENERAL MEETING
August 3, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 6:37 pm by Barb Vajda, President. Barb led the Pledge of Allegiance, welcomed our guests, visitors, and members. She also welcomed members of the South Bay Quilters Guild who brought their Opportunity Quilt.

The next Board Meeting is Friday, August 11th at the Quilter's Cottage at 10 am. The budget meeting will be held after a short Board Meeting. Anyone who would like to attend is welcome. Barb reminded everyone the guild will participate in the Fallbrook Chamber of Commerce's "Wine & A Bite" art venue on Friday, August 11th. Barb asked for volunteers who would be willing to bring some handwork to demonstrate the breadth of the quilting experience from 5-8 pm that day. Set up would be around 4 pm. at the C&R Properties Building across from Bean and Coffee on Main Street.

Newsletter Deadline: The deadline for items to go in the guild newsletter is August 15th. Any items should be sent to our new newsletter editor, Diane Trappen at QuiltDLT@aol.com.

Treasurer's Report: Betsy Shirkey reported our income was \$2,644.00, expenses \$5,061.06, leaving a balance of \$21,904.62.

Vote on Changes to Bylaws: Betsy Shirkey made a motion to accept the proposed changes to the Door Prize table, Birthday Drawings, and Block of the Month as published in the August newsletter and Renee Toomey seconded the motion. A vote was taken and the motion passed.

Membership Report: Tina Rainey reported we have 50 attendees, 45 members and 5 guests. Total membership as of now is 88, including exempt members. New members, Tina Estensen and Nonie Osborne were welcomed.

Hospitality: Kris Hamblin thanked everyone for bringing the refreshments tonight and passed around a sign-up sheet for the September and October meetings. Kris also mentioned guild member, Irene Althaus, took a fall and broke her shoulder and wrist.

Gypsy Wife Sewalong: Diane Miller from the Quilter's Cottage announce the start of the Instagram Gypsy Wife Sewalong happening at the Cottage as well as a show in Glendora on September 22nd and 23rd.

Quilt Show Update: Betsy Shirkey says she has 33 quilts for the auction so far. We had 102 at the last show.

Quilts of Love: Floyce Royer reported 31 quilts have been delivered to Camp Pendleton and the guild has received a very nice letter from Camp Pendleton thanking us for them.

2017-2018 Opportunity Quilt: Packets of tickets are available for pickup. Reminder, each member is expected to buy at least one packet of tickets, more if you like.

Programs and Workshops: Collette Ford distributed a member survey to find out what subjects are of interest to us so she can plan programs and workshops for the 2018-2019 year.

Speaker: Sylvia Williams introduced Karen Cunagin who presented "The Modern Quilt Movement. Karen delighted us with a comprehensive history of the movement as well as many examples of her take on it.

Drawings: The drawings were held after Karen Cunagin's presentation.

Show and Tell: Many members brought in their projects to show to the group.
The meeting was adjourned at 8:46 pm.

Respectfully submitted by:

Renee Toomey
Secretary

FALLBROOK QUILT GUILD EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES

August 11, 2017 at the Quilter's Cottage

The meeting was called to order at 10:07 am by Barb Vajda, President.

Participants: Barb Vajda, Sandy Scott, Sylvia Williams, Marie Sundsboe, Jan Conklin, Collette Ford, Betsy Shirkey, Tina Rainey, Dixie Johns, Sharon Baker, Mary Morrison, and Renee Toomey

Special Business: Mary Morrison advised her husband had located a hangar space at the Fallbrook Air Field the guild can use for free to organize the items for the Country Store prior to the quilt show. Jan Conklin made a motion to accept the offer and Collette Ford seconded. A vote was taken and it passed. Barb V. signed the Hold Harmless Agreement necessary. The guild thanks Mary and her husband for this.

Old Business: Barb Vajda confirmed we have agreed to participate in Wine & a Bite on August 11 to show our Opportunity Quilt. Betsy Shirkey, Sylvia Williams, and Linda Wright will be joining her at the C&R Properties building.

New Business:

Treasurer's Report: Betsy Shirkey reported income of \$1,585.00, Expenses of \$1271.14, and a bank balance of \$22,218.48. Betsy also suggested the guild purchase a laptop computer, software, and anti-virus software for the guild treasurer to use since it's difficult to transfer the information from one person's home computer to another. This was tabled until the budget is discussed.

Betsy reminded everyone she will be on vacation from August 21st through September 14th. Barb V. will have the checkbook in case anyone needs to be reimbursed for expenses.

Membership Update: Tina Rainey reported attendance at the August 3rd meeting was 50, with 45 members and 5 guests.

Present Programs/Workshops: Sylvia ran into an issue she didn't know how to handle at last Saturday's workshop when a member who had not signed up for the workshop wanted to sit in but not make the project. She was advised members can do this but they must pay for the workshop.

Collette Ford said she had received good responses from her questionnaire but felt the meeting was too sparsely attended so she plans on putting out an email asking for input.

Opportunity Quilt: Dixie Johns mentioned she had tickets at the Board Meeting if anyone wanted to buy them. She also had one of the boxes with material, the book and instructions for the 2018-2019 Opportunity Quilt in case anyone would like to get started on blocks. Dixie also said Linda Wright has volunteered to put the quilt together.

Quilt Show 2017: Sandy Scott says she has signed the contracts necessary but we may need to provide more tables as the church has fewer available. Once she knows how many she needs, she will contact Abbey Rents to include them in her equipment order.

Newsletter: The deadline for July Newsletter submissions is August 15th and they should be sent to Diane Trappen, our new newsletter editor. Her email address is QuiltDLT@aol.com.

Friendship Groups: Sharon Baker asked questions about how to handle her job of contacting the existing friendship groups and getting new members involved somehow. She received advice from many of the board members who have done the job before.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:45 am.

Respectfully submitted
Renee Toomey, Secretary
August 11, 2017

Reminders

Next meeting is **September 7, 2017 at 6:30 pm** at the Fallbrook Community Center.

Don't forget;

Name tag

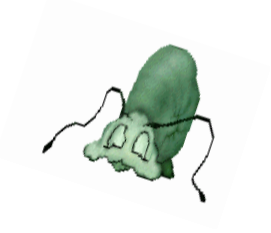
Show and Tell Quilts

Quilts of Love

Birthday Girls door prizes

Swap Shop Items—**Please bring items to October meeting or contact**

Paula Manning at manning_Paula@yahoo.com to make arrangements for drop off or pick up prior to that date.



The Newsletter deadline is the 15th of each month.

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