

# SGQG Business Meeting Notes

May 10, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 10:05 am by President Sue Green, with board members Rochelle Bess, Vice president, Barb Miller, Treasurer, and Debby Sweeten, Secretary, in attendance.

**Welcome** Ladies and Gentlemen and **Pledge of Allegiance**

**Reminders** – Parking, Name Tags and cell phones on silent.

**Visiting Opportunity Quilts** – Country Crossroads Quilters from Modesto – Sue Siefkin brought the opportunity quilts for their January 2017 quilt show. There are 2 different quilts. She is selling tickets.

**Introduction of New Members and Visitors:**

Chris Zeterberg introduced himself. He has several community quilts but is not sure who they belong to. Please see him if they are yours or if you want to finish them yourself.

Sandy Connell was introduced as a visitor.

**Announcements and Communications:**

Sue discussed the donation of a sewing/quilting book and companion patterns from Carol Shugert. If anyone would like them, see Sue. Kathy Scott mentioned that the Amador County Historical Society has the companion books to this book.

Sue discussed a request for help to sew “Bird Basket Nests”. She has a hard copy of an email, with a picture, that goes over how to make the baskets. The request came from the Feed Barn.

The Food Bank jar is going around. You can make a donation if you want.

Sue had information about a large fabric donation. We can incorporate that donation with our community quilt fabric.

Janet Zipse let everyone know that Mary Moran was in the hospital.

**Minutes** – the minutes from the April meeting were approved as posted in the May newsletter.

**Treasurer’s Report:** Balance of \$17,057.24 as of the end of April.

## VP Reports – Rochelle

Rochelle announced that we have teachers lined up for classes through June of 2017.

Rochelle attended the Pine Tree quilt show and found some good ideas we can look at for our quilt show. She liked the way that they managed their raffle prize tickets. She also mentioned that their quilts show brochure cover was done in color.

Mother Lode Quilt Guild (MLQG) is offering a class June 25 by Debbie Maddy of Calico Carriage Quilt Designs. The class is \$40 and sign-ups are due by May 15<sup>th</sup>. Call Carla O'Dell of the MLQG to sign up.

Upcoming workshops:

Sue Siefkin: Tomorrow - **May 11<sup>th</sup>**.

Schatzi Brimer: Her workshop is still scheduled for **June 15**. She will be demonstrating non-traditional projects. Sandy Wagner showed a few examples of Schatzi's projects. One project uses dryer sheets (the pink flower quilt).

Marjan Kluepfel: **July 13**

Anelie Belden: **August 10**. There will be a supply list at the next meeting, June 14<sup>th</sup>.

Michelle Peerson: She is a new instructor that Sue and Pat liked at the NCQC Meet the Teachers meeting. She will be doing a class on **September 14<sup>th</sup>**. She will only be doing a workshop on that Wednesday.

Kristin Echols: A supply list is available on the workshop sign-up table. She is scheduled for **October 12<sup>th</sup>**.

Scarlett Rose: She is another new instructor that Sue and Pat liked at the Meet the Teachers meeting. Check out her website - <http://www.scarlettrose.com/>. She will be here on **November 9<sup>th</sup>**.

We have a speaker for our **December 13<sup>th</sup>** luncheon – Tracy Brookshier. Here is her website: <http://traceybrookshier.com/>.

## Committee Reports

Quilt Show Chairs 2017 Louise Myers, Erika Clark & Debby Sweeten.

List of committees for the quilt show sign-up list is with **Erika and Louise**. Please see them at break to sign up for a committee. They went over the list of committees that still need volunteers.

Sue asked the members how many plan to put a quilt in the quilt show – about 20 members raised their hands. Sue told the group that we need to have about 120 quilts for our show.

The group that designed and sewed the Opportunity Quilt for 2016 has the ticket packets available for everyone. Please come and pick up your tickets at the break. The quilt has been entered into the Amador County Fair.

Joan Smith discussed the Amador County Fair quilt entries. The deadline to submit the application for your quilts is **July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016**. The theme for the fair is “Saluting the Heroes Among Us”. Joan will be bringing the entry forms to the guild meetings.

Penny Dominici is the committee chair for the white glove duties at the Amador County Fair. She has a sign-up sheet on the workshop table. She would like to see some new faces helping with the white glove duties.

Mary Foster discussed chemo caps. She thanked Carol Bradas for handling the chemo cap table last month.

### **Old Business:**

### **Facilities:**

Sue has been trying to contact the pastor at Mt. Zion church to set up a contract with them for our new meeting location. She will keep trying to get ahold of him. We will meet here for the June meeting.

We need to give Pastor Patty 30-days’s notice for leaving our current meeting location.

**Show and Tell and Mini Quilt Show** –Mary Ann Engelbrekton: Basket quilts and community quilts are the theme for this month. The theme for June is Crazy Quilts.

**Round Robin quilts** – Sue had everyone stand up and show their quilt blocks for this month. Everyone then put their blocks in a bag and put them on the stage. Then everyone picked another bag/block to work on for next month.

**Raffle:** Hilde went over the raffle items for today.

**Break:** please get your opportunity quilt ticket packets, sign up for quilt show committees, check out the sign-ups for workshops and buy your raffle tickets.

**Raffle drawing**

Winner of the free workshop: Erika Clark - congratulations!

Meeting adjourned at 11:20am.

Introduction of speaker by Rochelle: Sue Siefkin

Clean up/Set up for class tomorrow.

Submitted by Debby Sweeten, Secretary.