

NAPA VALLEY QUILTERS LOOSE THREADS

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Hello everyone and welcome to my first Loose Thread post. My Name is Rose Luce if we haven't met , I hope to get to know you all this year. My first official act as President writing the forward to the newsletter. Not one of strong suits... A little about me I started with this guild in 1988, I had been surrounded by my grandmothers quilts for years and wanted to learn more. I had made some patchwork ones , nothing fancy just squares for my kids then 5 and 2 . But I was thrilled that I could do it!!! The Guild was quite smaller then ,but they took me under there wing and WALLA here I am today. I quickly was helping in any way, first being block of the month and then prizes etc. I have always participated in one way or another. Fast forward due to rasing kids and that full time work thing ,I had to leave until rejoining in 2010. Since then I have had the honor to meet so many of you and create friendships. We have so many untapped talents in our guild I hope to find and learn from them.

Happy February all
Rose



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Marsha Ewig

Joan Lord

Michelle Moore

Trudy Molina

Theresa Herrington

Napa Valley Quilt Guild
Minutes General Meeting
Senior Center
January 11, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 10:05am by President, Katie Bower.

The officers for 2020 were installed by Krista Lopez and sworn in. Rose Luce, President, Kelly Van Camp, Vice-president, Theresa Herrington, Secretary, and Maggie Walker, Treasurer.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and the January birthdays were announced and Happy Birthday was sung.

New Business:

Volunteers to audit 2019 finances were Marcia Ewig and Tami Lollis.

Volunteer for coordinating the Opportunity Quilt travel/fundraising were Jamie McClenahan and Sandy Hewitt.

Last year's budget and proposed 2020 budget were discussed. Income from 2019 was \$22,650 and expenditures were \$15,010. \$14,085 was voted on and passed.

Old Business:

Future of Library – postponing book sale until spring and may use books for prizes and holiday potluck, etc.

Kitchen items storage – Still waiting for information on locker space assignment for kitchen items. Carolyn Spence will need assistance. Sandy Hewitt volunteers to take supplies until locker is assigned.

Secretary: Sandra Hewitt reported the December minutes were posted with the newsletter, on line. Following a motion by Linda Wagner and second by Shirley Hansen the minutes were approved by the members as posted.

Treasurer's report: Maggie Walker was not in attendance.

Vice President (Programs) report: Theresa Herrington for Kelly Van Camp reported that programs have been scheduled for 2020 and seeking two people or more interested in taking over the VP/Programs positions for next year to start shadowing and training ASAP.

Membership report: Krista Lopez reported 79 signed in for meeting with 2 new members and 2 visitors. New member Joan Lord introduces herself as a returning member. Lisa Murphy also introduces herself.

Newsletter: Cheryl Bundy requested that any item for inclusion in the newsletter be sent to her by the 20th.

Block of the Month: Elizabeth Helmer. Volunteer needed to take this position next year.

Drawings: Mary Jo Kent announced 4 winners.

Opportunity Quilt: Made and donated by Kelly Larson. Each member is asked to pick up a packet of tickets to sell and turn in as many sales as possible.

Quilts to Share: There will be a Q2S workday on Sunday January 12, 2019.

Librarian: There will be no library in the future.

Hospitality: Pattie Gossett will be taking over for Carolyn Spence.

Announcements:

- **Members are asked to bring food for food bank to the meeting and place in the wagon by entry.**
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- Tickets for Road to California available. Flyer gives details.
- Work dates at Library to help animals impacted by the Australian fires on January 12, 13, 14, and 15.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:50am for Show and Tell and the January Speaker Arlene Leticia Arnold.

Theresa Herrington, Secretary

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Sonoma Quilt Show is coming up on March 21-22. Details on how to enter are coming out soon but we are now looking for several “white glove” ladies to help with the show. The shifts are 2 hours on either Saturday or Sunday (or both) and you get free admission to the show! Please contact Gery at Broadway Quilts if you are interested.

FEBRUARY MEETING

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 8, 2020

Speaker: **COLLEEN ERDES**

Colleen is from **IN STICHES** in Dixon specializing in classes and long arm quilting. Colleen will be talking about threads and needles—and apparently there is LOTS to talk about. Colleen is a fun and enthusiastic teacher and we think you will enjoy her. It’s possible she is bringing goodies and there will be shopping opportunities.

***Due to circumstances beyond our control, unfortunately, we will have to **cancel LINDA WAGNER’S ruler bag class** on Sunday, February 9th. We will provide a refund to those members who paid for the class. The patterns have been ordered so if you would like to purchase a pattern, they are available. We will have more information at the meeting.

SCHEDULE FOR 2020

JAN. Arlene Leticia Arnold regarding historical quilts
FEB. Colleen Erdes from In Stiches talking about thread and needles
FEB workshop Linda Wagner ruler bag
MAR. Scarlett Rose Celtic Quilts Around the World
APRIL. Lisa McKissick Around the Cutting Table
MAY. Julia McLeod and Sue Fox Obsession as a Design Motif
JUNE. Lynn Kolage fabric dyeing-Next day fabric dyeing workshop
JULY. Potluck
AUG. Trudy Cleveland how to photograph your quilts
SEPT. Jennifer Sampou and workshop next day
OCT. Colleen Granger
NOV. Quilts to Share
DEC. Potluck

Kelly Van Camp, Vice President

Quilts 2 Share

February 29, 2020

10:00 to 3:30

Napa Valley Mobil Home Park

1040 Orchard Ave.

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Come Help Us Tie Quilts

Sew

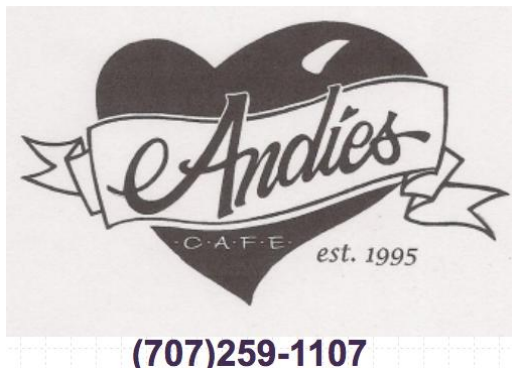
Make Pillowcases

Quilt Kits

Lunch Provided

Bring Your Smile and Helping Hands *****

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