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Sundance Kids Escondido South Paula Huntington Joanne Eichler

Thank you to the Sundance Kids neighborhood group for creating our 2019 Opportunity Quilt!

President's Message

By Ron Carlton

My gosh, what a busy couple of weeks. We had a great Quilt Show and then Santa Ana winds and a wildfire just a mile from my house, and now the weather is turning to freezing at night. The season has arrived. Of course, this means you better hurry to finish those holiday quilts you promised yourself you would give this year.

We really do have to give a big thanks to all those volunteers that made such a success of the Quilt Show. Our blue shirts were everywhere! My nonquilting friends who attended praised the show on how nice it felt to be there. Quilts make people feel good.

I look forward to seeing all of you at our next meeting. Be sure to bring something for Show and Tell (even if you haven't got the binding attached).

Finally, I would like to thank Alice for filling in for me at last month's meeting in my absence. She has a knack of being able to handle problems at the last minute. She has, as you know, done an amazing job keeping our meetings interesting, even when half of our speakers have canceled at the last minute.

Our next Board Meeting will be on Thursday, November 14th, at 6:30 pm. at the Citrus Gardens Senior Park <u>Annex Building</u>, 1730 Toyon Glen, Escondido. <u>Members are always welcome and</u> <u>Committee Chairs are encouraged to attend.</u>

Our Next Guild Meeting Monday, November 18, 2019

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church 1087 Country Club Lane Escondido, CA 92026

Doors Open: 5:45 pm Meeting Starts: 6:30 pm

November Meeting Program

By Alice Johnson

Our presenter for this month is Linda Sullivan, who comes to us from Palm Springs! She and her partner own a design company named Colourwerks. Linda has designed over 100 quilt patterns and admits that she hasn't yet met a "colour "she doesn't love! She has had over 16 years experience as a professional quilt-maker and is passionate about the art of quilt-making. Do plan to attend this meeting, as we are in for a treat!

Oh, and don't forget your fabric donations for the gals at the Good Cheer Quilts table. We ARE THANKFUL for their faithful dedication to having kits ready for us every single month! If we all did just one quilt a year, that would be wonderful. I know some of you go way above and beyond that!

Hospitality News

Don't forget to bring your own water, coffee, tea or snack to the meeting, since it will not be provided by the Guild at this time. Our Hospitality position is still available.

Block of the Month

By Jill Conger

Congratulations to new member Karen Maher. She won our September BOTM! Our November block will be something Christmasy or winter themed. Since we have a potluck in December, we won't have a BOTM drawing for that month. Blocks will be returned in January. That will give you extra time to join in the fun and join in Block of the Month!

Fat Quarters Contest

By Janis Newlin

It's time to get ready for the holidays! You can start by bringing in red, green and Christmas print fat quarters for the November FQ contest!

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We had 28 fat quarters turned in last month and two lucky winners got 14 each! We hope to have another great turnout. See you at the November meeting!

Happy November Birthday!



Jan Walker (11/6) Deanna Console (11/11) Sandy Hunter (11/13) Marie Tuck (11/15) Karen Maher (11/17) Mel Alpert (11/20) Ann Parker (11/22) Donna Poster (11/27) Gail McDaniels (11/30)

Be sure to stop by the White Elephant Table to select \$5.00 worth of items for your birthday gift!

Good Cheer Quilts

by Claire Jungersen

Thank you to Barbara Jacobson, Sandy Hunter, and Sharon Bitting for their quilts and pillowcases. A big thank you goes out to all members who donated fabric and batting, and to The White Elephant Committee for their donation, and also for all the toiletries. The social worker was very grateful and excited so we will continue to collect your donations of toiletries. Everything will be put to good use. You may even see your fabric come back in a kit.

White Elephant Table

By Karolyn Hart

The Quilt Show was really fun...we are thankful to all who volunteered and shopped! We sold \$610 worth the of patterns, books, magazines and fabric. Now we have room for more donations! In the October meeting, we made \$130.



Quilt Show News

by Suzan Fornof

The Quilt Show was a great success thanks to our Guild members! The quilts were lovely! We are tallying up all the accounts and will release our final numbers as soon as possible. If you have a quilt that did not sell, it will be returned to you. Please see a Quilt Show committee member to reclaim your quilt. Mini quilts that were donated for auction will be turned over to be raffled off at Guild meetings. If you have suggestions for Quilt Show improvements, please see one of the Quilt Show committee members. A huge thanks to all of you, especially the people who gave their time at the show. We could not do this without you so we again thank you !

Security Blankets

by Maureen McClellan

October was a good month for Security Blankets. We received eleven finished blankets and yardage for eleven more (thanks to Joann Fabrics \$2.99 per yard sale). On October 23, I delivered twenty-four blankets to Palomar Forensics, and as always, they expressed their gratitude. Thank you so much for your continued participation in this worthwhile cause.

Opportunity Quilt

By Maureen McClellan

Thank you to all who helped with Opportunity Quilt ticket sales at our Quilt Show. We made \$129. That brings our total for outside sales to \$1439 so far.

We have four venues to which we can take the quilt this month. The biggest one is "The Butler Did It" at the Barn in Walnut Grove Park, San Marcos. The hours are Friday, 3:00 to 6:00 and Saturday, 9:00 to 3:00. To the members who signed up so quickly to do the ticket sales at this Craft Show, thank you, thank you!

We would like to remind those of you who have not yet turned in your ticket stubs and money, please do so at our November Guild meeting. We depend on every member's participation, to be able to give as much as possible to our charities. More importantly, we want everyone to have the "opportunity" to win this fabulous quilt.

Membership

By Susan Peters

November 2019 Membership Article

Of the 60 members who responded to the questionnaire on our membership form, we have some surprising answers and some expected answers..... see below. Thank you all for participating.

Number of years quilting ... # of Quilters

0-5 years(1) 6-10 years(4) 11-15 years(11) 16-20 years(4) 21-25 years(8) 26-20 years(8)	31-35 years(6) 36-40 years(2) 41-45 years(12) 46-50 years(3) Over 50 years(2)
26-30 years(8)	
16-20 years(4)	46-50 years(3)

Question with Yes/No/No Answer

Do you enjoy doing appliqué? Yes (31), No (15), N/Â (14) Do you enjoy machine appliqué? Yes (30), No (7), N/A (23) Do you enjoy hand appliqué? Yes (25), No (10), N/A (25) Do you enjoy piecing quilt blocks? Yes (49), No (4), $\hat{N}/A(7)$ Do you enjoy piecing quilt blocks by machine? Yes (50), No (0), N/A (10) Do you enjoy piecing quilt blocks by hand? Ýes (6), No (13), N/A (41) Do you enjoy paper piecing? Yes (23), No (16), N/A (21) Do you enjoy foundation piecing? Yes (28), No (17), N/A (15) Do you like bright colors? Yes (46), No (1), N/A (12)Do you like monochromatic quilts? Yes (23), No (11), N/A (23) Do vou like traditional blocks? Yes (47), No (0), N/A (13) Do you like to design your own blocks? Yes (22), No (12), N/A (26) Do you like to do hand embroidery? Yes (27), No (11), N/A (22) Do you like using pre cut fabrics? Yes (30), No (12), N/A (18) Do you like/use quilt kits? Yes (24), No (14), N/A (22)

Our Guild is growing – Hooray!! We added three members in October and one at the Quilt Show. I thoroughly enjoyed working at the Quilt Show and spending time with members I just say "hello" to at meetings. Thank you for all your help!

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Sew Hungry Quilters Monthly Lunch Get Together *First Thursday* of Each Month 11/7/19 at 11:30 a.m.

Golden Egg Omelet House 316 West Mission Avenue Escondido

Come meet your fellow quilters! Questions: Paula Huntington, 760-294-6011

NCQA Treasurer's Report	September 2019	Notes	
Checking Account			
Beginning Bank Balance	\$5,020.05		
Total Monthly Deposits	\$1,679.25		
Total Monthly Withdrawals	\$1,635.00		
Ending Bank Balance	\$5,064.30	Balanced to Bank	
Savings Account			
Beginning Balance	\$7,109.24		
Interest	\$0.18	Monthly Interest Accrued	
Ending Balance	\$7,109.42	Balanced to Bank	
Income			
		Sewing Machines Plus, Grand Country Quilts, &	
Advertising	\$270.00	Paradise Sewing	
		September Basket & Golden Egg Omelet	
General Fund	\$218.03	House	
Membership	\$730.00		
Mini Quilts	\$9.00		
Newsletter	\$21.00	Watkins, Whitcomb & Vosberg	
Opportunity Quilt 2019	\$220.00		
White Elephant	\$155.00		
Total Income	\$1,679.25	Balanced to Bank	
Expenses			
Quilt Show 2019	\$1,150.00	Elk's Lodge #1644	
Programs	\$125.00	Gloria Dei Lutheran Church #1645	
Programs	\$360.00	Trudy Cleveland #1646	
General Fund	\$179.75	ž.	
Total Expenses	\$1,814.75		
Summary			
Check Register Balance	\$4,884.55		
Outstanding Check	\$179.75		
Checking Account Balance	\$5,064.30	Balanced to Bank	







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