



Ocean Wave Quilters

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November 2017

Message from the President - Dee

It's surprising how many political quilts are exhibited at quilt shows. At *Quilt Fest* in Santa Clara last month an entire section was devoted to this particular artistic expression. And the comments were from true admiration for "taking a stand with needle and thread", to total disagreement. Oh well, we all quilt for different reasons. So how refreshing it was to read about "HERstory: A Celebration of Strong Women" in the November issue of *Quilting Arts Magazine*. These quilts commemorating groundbreaking courageous women are truly amazing. These quilts honor scientists, world leaders, educators, astronauts, authors, etc. If you get a chance pick up the magazine and enjoy the quilts. like to thank all those who attended our October retreat and helped make it such a pleasant experience. You all worked very hard and we had a wonderful time sewing, laughing, eating, and just enjoying good company.

Education Committee Report - Carole P, Chair

This Sunday we will have a School House Meeting with classes by:

Cindy Jo presenting Binding

Evelyn presenting Convergence Quilting

Ginny Cooper presenting Christmas Make it and Take it

Nodja presenting Flying Geese Quilting

Upcoming Shows:

Chico - Annie's Star Quilt Guild -Biennial Quilt Show - November 4 & 5, 2017 - 110 West East Avenue Chico, CA \$7 admission

Sacramento - River City Quilters Guild - Annual Quilt Show November 17-19, 2017 - 2425 Sierra Blvd Sacramento, CA \$10 admission

Stockton - Tuleburg Quilters - Biennial Quilt Show - November 11 & 12 - Elk's Lodge, 8900 Thornton Road. Stockton, CA \$7 admission

Service Committee Report - Ginny, Chair

Things are moving slowly for the service committee, but never fear we are just revving up for the holidays and our support of the fire victims.

We have a large committee and there are some terrific quilters leading specific subgroups.

- Dee Goodrich is our Co-Chair
- Sharon Lau heads up our Chaplin Quilts
- Judy Whitlock collects and distributed the Warm Welcome Quilts
- Pam Salyards works with our Texture Quilts, with support and help from Sandi Smith
- Mary Foster is our Pet Bed person
- Grace Van Doren makes and gives out Pillow cases
- Verna Oliver knits Baby Hats

This past month Mary gave out 20 pet beds and Judy took over 5 Baby Quilts. Last month Pam donated 2 Texture Quilts.

Grace is asking if any of you have or can make pillow cases there are a number of charitable organizations that would welcome them as holiday gifts.

Maybe some of those nicer (favorite fabrics) would make a nice pillow case for a gift. Thanks.

**PLEASE WEAR YOUR NAME TAG
TO THE MEETING ON SUNDAY.**

Retreat Pictures - Mary F

The October Retreat was so much fun - especially the food, of course! I was able to attend for only two days, but those days were glorious at the Lions' Hall. Please check out/download the pictures on the OWQ website at www.oceanwavequilters.com/pictures2017.html.



Sew 'n Sew News - Paula

Sew n Sew is receiving about 20 bolts of farm themed fabric. There are tractors, cows, pigs, ducks, chickens and chicks and sheep. So if you are looking for fabric for the On the Farm challenge come and see our new fabrics! We have also received more solids and prism batiks.

The Scarecrow table runner class held October 8th was fun. There was a large selection provided to make the scarecrows. Ginny finished hers at the retreat. See picture on the right.



Quilt Show Meetings - Judy W

The next Quilt Show committee meeting is Wednesday, November 8th, at 10am at the Presbyterian Church. The committee won't meet in December, so let's make this one count and make plans for the new year. Hope to see you all there.

Quilt Awards - Dee

Below is my DaVinci quilt that received "Best Hand Workmanship" in the Modern category at *Quilt Fest*.

At the Falling Leaves Quilt Show in Lakeport, Connie Mitchell received "Honorable Mention" for her Bird quilt. Unfortunately she was not able to send us a picture.



Ocean Wave Quilters 2017 October Treasurer's Report	
Submitted by Sharon L, Treasurer	
Reviewed/Approved at November 7, 2017 Board Meeting	
Starting Balance 10/1/17 \$12,186.83	
EXPENSES	
Lion's Club for Hall Rental (\$500) and Security Deposit (\$500)	1000.00
Russian Gulch Deposit	35.00
Paper Supplies	18.00
Southern California Council of Quilt Guilds for Dues and Liability Insurance	287.00
TOTAL EXPENSE	1340.00
INCOME	
Dues	50.00
Brown bag challenge packets	10.00
Reimbursement from Quilt Show for postage expense and small opportunity quilt fabric	83.02
Donations	815.00
TOTAL INCOME	958.02
Ending balance 10/31/2017 \$11,804.85	

