



Ocean Wave Quilters

May 2023 Newsletter



President's Message

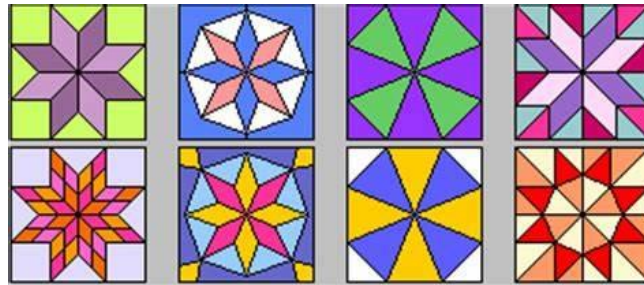
It's May! It's May! Outdoor quilting begins today! Well, maybe not. We have had a few beautiful days this week but today is starting out rather gloomy. But there is something about spring that makes me want to work with floral fabrics. I think about copying what my garden is doing right now. The rhododendrons are blooming and quite a show since we had so much rain this winter.

Thank you to all of you that worked on the Appreciation Luncheon. Susan B. and Dee G. thank you for your set up of the dining room at the Senior Center. I know you had a team of helpers. Thank you to them as well. And Paula P. arranged the food for the luncheon. There was quite a bit of leftover food. Some people signed up for the luncheon and then did not attend. The extra food was taken to Linda Wagner's Ohio Star class on Monday. Then, the remaining food was donated to Hospitality House.

And, thank you to Martin for arranging for Linda Wagner's presentation at the luncheon and class on Monday. It has been a minute or two since we have had a speaker. Linda's quilts were lovely with a variety of techniques including traditional piecing and both machine and hand applique.

Our next BIG rush is the Fort Bragg Quilt Walk. Sherry W. and the committee are seeking sponsorships for the Quilt Show while asking businesses if they want to participate in the 2023 Quilt Walk. And don't forget the Quilt Show, June 24th and June 25th. Sharon R. is still seeking volunteers.

Happy May Quilting!
Linda Moore, President



Officers and Committee Chairs 2023-2024 - Linda M

Can you believe it? Another quilting year is almost over. It is time to elect new officers and committee chairs. Paula P is keeping the master list at Sew n Sew since she sees so many of you in the store. Please submit your name to her no later than May 20th. If you have already given Paula P your name and desired position, please confirm with her that you are on the list. In the event we have more than one person seeking an office, a secret ballot will be held at the June General Meeting.

Senior Center Requirements – Linda M.

The Redwood Coast Senior Center requires that users of their facility be vaccinated against Covid. Pfizer and Moderna people will need to have had 3 shots, the original two plus a booster. Johnson and Johnson people will need to have had 2 shots, the original and one booster.

Masks are required if you enter the dining room. They are not required in the meeting room but are recommended.

Quilt Show Volunteers – Sharon R.

We need volunteers -- a couple of specific sections we need are -- people to be present during the two days of the show that are willing to help visitors by answering questions they might have about the comings and goings of the show or to give information about the makings of the quilts or just be there with a smile welcoming them and also share the "white gloves" to protect the quilts. These volunteers are called "Docents". We have quite a few openings for "Docents". Also need people with pick ups to bring supplies to Dana Gray from where they are stored on Sat and then return them to the storage area Sunday afternoon, especially Sunday from 4-6. If you can help please let me know, Sharon Rowan @ sawrowan@gmail.com or text 707-357-4511. Hey -- Thanks a bunch for your help and support.

Service – Grace V.

April Service Report

Dress-a-Girl Dresses	
Warm Welcome Quilts	12
Chaplain Quilts	
Other Community Quilts	
Texture Quilts	
Infusion Center	5
Chemo Port Pillows 18 Port Pillows that weren't counted last month (or were they?)13 last month 5 seat belt ports from Marcia this month	18
Pillowcases 40 on hand makes 50 already! Keep until December when we give them out	10
Pet Beds	10

I hope we can keep up the good work!
Thanks, Grace



Thank you note from Second Chance for the "Dog Pillows" - Sharon L.

We received a lovely card from Second Chance, transcribed here:

"Dear Quilters of Fort Bragg,

Thank you for all the dog pillows you made and gave to Second Chance, helping dogs of lower income pet owners on the coast. We have given so many pillows as dog beds to dogs needing a soft bed to lie on. They were so grateful to receive such a gift from you.

I bought a large table to put all the pillows I have from you so the dog owners can select a special one for their special dog. You have helped so many dogs have a happy night's sleep, some never had it so good. They said, "Thank you"!

I especially wanted to thank each and everyone for all the work you put into the effort to help needy dogs.

Love, Jeanne Gocker, Co-founder of Second Chance"

Special Events - Dee G./Susan B.

The final event for this year, our Appreciation Luncheon was well attended with 30 people. Lunch from David's Deli was excellent, as were the desserts that some people brought. Linda Wagner's presentation and the quilts she brought to show us were very impressive. Kudos to everyone who helped out!

Quilt Walk - Sherry W.

May 3rd the FBQS Committee will organize the Quilt Walk quilts for delivery to the businesses the week of May 15th. Thank you everyone.....woohoo!



May Birthdays

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| 1 | Shirlee P |
| 2 | Paula P |
| 4 | Charlene Y |
| 17 | Sharon L |
| 21 | Becky B |
| 21 | Barbara M |
| 23 | Ginny C |

Ocean Wave Quilters 2023 April Treasurer's Report

Starting balance 03/28/2023

\$12,307.48

EXPENSES

Survey Monkey - on-line survey tool	\$99.00
Cleaning Supplies - Swiffer	\$18.50
Fabric and Supplies for Community Quilt	\$304.50
Batting for Community Quilt	\$325.56
Flowers for Luncheon	\$27.27
Poster for Luncheon – community projects	\$7.62
Sandwiches for Luncheon	\$452.89
Linda Wagner – Trunk Show, Class Mileage	\$1,462.00
<i>TOTAL EXPENSE</i>	\$2,697.34

INCOME

Wagner Class	\$30.00
Dues – 2023-2024	\$25.00
Challenge Packets	\$20.00
<i>TOTAL INCOME</i>	\$75.00

Ending balance 04/25/2023

\$9,685.14

Submitted by Sharon L. Treasurer

Approved at the 4/25/2023 Board Meeting

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May

- 3 Quilt Show Committee Meeting
- 4 Education/Special Events Committee Meeting
- 14 General Meeting
- 28 Sew Service Sunday
- 30 Board Meeting and Newsletter articles Due – should contain proposed budget and slate of officers and a statement that a vote will be taken at the June general meeting



Hand Sewing Group via Zoom every Thursday 1-4
Hand Quilting Group every Tuesday 1-4 at Senior Center

July

- 5 Quilt Show Committee Meeting
- 9 General Meeting
- 23 Sew Service Sunday
- 25 Board Meeting and Newsletter articles Due



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June

Quilt Show 24 & 25

- 2 Newsletter Distribution Deadline
- 7 Quilt Show Committee Meeting
- 4 Education/Special Events Committee Meeting
- 11 General Meeting
- 20-21 Quilts due at Sew n Sew
- 22 Quilt Show – Hang Quilts
- 23 Quilt Show – Judging
- 24-25 Quilt Show
- 27 Board Meeting and Newsletter articles Due
- 30 Newsletter Distribution Deadline



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