



Ocean Wave Quilters

May 2024 Newsletter



President's Message ~ Paula P

Hello to everyone!

The year is going by quickly. July first we will have a new Board of Officers and Committee Chairs. We have a few spots open to get you more involved in guild events.

One opening is Quilt Show Chairman. There is so much help for you to learn this position and from a great team. If you like to organize and check on things getting done, there is already a timeline to guide you. Call Paula at 707-964-4152 for more information.

The second position open is Newsletter Chair and once again we have a lot of past examples to guide you.

The third position open is Representative for Quilt Guilds of the North Quarter. This is not a very time intensive job. Please consider one of these positions!

I am working on a block of the Month for the May meeting. I really like it and hope you will also.

See everyone at the May meeting on May 12, 2024.



OCEAN WAVE QUILTERS APRIL 2024 TREASURER'S REPORT

3-26-24 BEGINNING BALANCE **\$5,073.75**

EXPENSES

Service-Grace V -3 throws for Food Bank	\$18.00
Education- Jeri Kennedy - April Luncheon Trunk Show	\$88.43

TOTAL EXPENSES **\$106.43**

INCOME

Donation - Tracy S (SL quilting)	\$50.00
Transfer from Quilt Show	\$3,000.00

TOTAL INCOME **\$3,050.00**

4-30-24 CLOSING BALANCE **\$8,017.32**

Submitted by Sharon R, Treasurer OWQ

Quilt Guilds of the North Quarter (QGNQ)

Would someone like to attend? Daisy W has resigned her position.
Thank you, Daisy, for your commitment to this organization.

The remaining 2024 QGNQ meetings are:

- **July 27:** Mountain Quilt Quilters in MacArthur
- **October 26:** Ocean Wave Quilters in Fort Bragg

Special Events – Steffany B

The Appreciation Luncheon was held on April 28th. The luncheon was catered by Los Gallitos! Jeri Kennedy, presented her collection of 1930's Mountain Mist treasure quilts. Jeri was very informative and funny as well. Her applique work is stunning. If you did not attend, you really missed a good one!



Service – Grace V.

April Service Report

Dress-a-Girl Dresses	
Warm Welcome Quilts	4
Chaplain Quilts	
Food Bank - throws	6
Texture Quilts – FB Library	6
Pillowcases	
Pet Beds	6
Port Pillows	6
Parents and Friends	5

Thanks to all for making such wonderful things for our community.
Please keep up the good work as it is very appreciated.

Block of the Month ~ Carole P

May 2024	Paula P
June 2024	

Communications ~ Susan B

The FBQS entry form is up under the FBQS page on our website. Although you will need to fill out a separate entry for each quilt, you can pay for all your entries at once with PayPal/credit/debit when you complete your last quilt entry form--or just send us a check. If you need additional help please contact me.



Tip of the Month ~ Bobbie K

Bobbie K had Shirlee P share how she avoids binding on small quilts and projects. Shirley puts the backing right sides together with the quilt top. Then, she stitches around all four sides. Instead of leaving an opening to turn the quilt right sides out in this seam, she leaves a seam open on the quilt top, generally near the middle of the quilt. She uses this opening to turn the quilt right sides out. Stitching in the ditch will attach the quilt top to the backing and fill in the "hole".



Quilt Show ~ Sherry W "Around the Block"

Remember that The Quilt Show entry deadline is June 1st. Our show is very popular! The vendor booths are full and there is a waiting list, we will have the same food vendor as last year (FB High School Class of 2026....they were very popular last year), the scissor vendor will be there, special exhibit Upcycled Quilts, vintage quilts displayed on the stage, a Community Quilt to raffle, wonderful raffle baskets (very popular), a featured artist display that our visitors enjoy every year and much more.....Oh and beautiful, unique, amazing, quilt artists that display their talent for all of our guests!

Opportunity Quilt Tickets are on sale or you could pick up a few to sell to your friends and family 😊 Tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10.

If anyone is interested in helping with selling Opportunity Quilt raffle tickets around town on a weekend, please contact me. ~ Sherry W

Quilt Walk ~ Sherry W

We are doing good on the count thanks to everyone who has lent us a quilt and those that have contacted me with a commitment. They will be delivered to the businesses the week of May 12th.

Quilt Show Raffle Baskets 2024 ~ Elizabeth F

Thank you everyone who has donated for the quilt show basket raffle. We have enough items for "Cozy Nights", but could use some items for the "Grandma's House" - like kid games, coloring books, crayons, markers, etc. I got a gift certificate from Cowlick's! so ice cream is taken care of.

Thanks! ~ Elizabeth



Fourth of July Parade ~ Evelyn H

I'm looking for several fun-loving people to march in this summer's Fourth of July parade. We have an idea for a float and a way of displaying a variety of giant blocks! Interested? Contact Evelyn Harris for details!

707-962-0706

or evelynharris@pacbell.net



May 1	Shirlee P	May 21	Steffany B
May 2	Paula P	May 21	Barbara M
May 4	Charlene Y	May 23	Ginny C
May 17	Sharon L	May 25	Christine H
May 21	Becky B		

Sharon Lau's brother sent this to her.



And a special note from a friend ...Marcia Weeks

What a treat to see many of you at the retreat. I have been on leave for caregiving reasons and missed you all so much. Sharon G. forced me (ha) to get out of the house and you all were so welcoming. Thank you for being the kind of club that is caring about each other.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May 2024

Wed	1	Quilt Show Committee Meeting
Fri	3	Newsletter Distribution Deadline
Fri	10	Last day to turn in Quilt Walk Quilts at Sew n Sew
Sun	12	General Meeting
Sun	26	Sew Service Sunday
Tues	28	Board Meeting and Newsletter Articles Due
Fri	31	Newsletter Distribution Deadline



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

June 2024

Sat	1	Quilt Show Payment and Entry Deadline
Wed	5	Quilt Show Committee Meeting
Sun	9	General Meeting
Fri-	14-	Quilts due at Sew n Sew
Sat	15	
Sun	23	Sew Service Sunday
Mon	24	Quilt Show - Judging
Tue	25	Board Meeting and Newsletter Articles Due

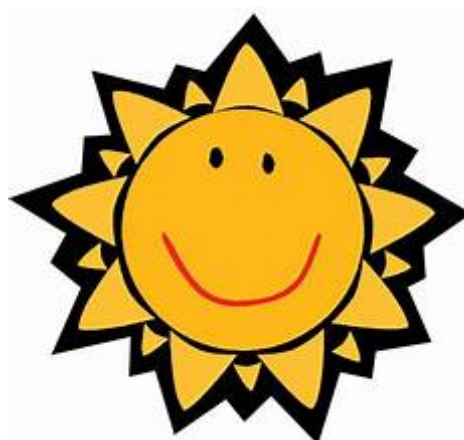


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Help Wanted!!!

- Newsletter Chair
- FB Quilt Show Chair 2024-2025
- Representative to Quilt Guilds of the North Quarter
- Food Table coordinator

Interested? Contact Paula P





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