



IEMQG General Meeting Minutes November 7, 2020

Zoom Meeting 2:00, socialize at 1:30

Gayle Bennett, President, called the meeting to order at 2:04 p.m. Twenty-six participants logged on to join the meeting.

Announcements: Laura Greene

- Members Corner on the website will be password protected. Members will receive an email with the password.
- Membership renewal is now open. We would like the forms and money sent by Jan 1, 2021. (We have until March at the latest to accept memberships.)
 - Download a form from the website, print and mail to Candy Scott by snail mail -- OR -- use a PDF read/writer (Adobe Reader or Mac Preview) to fill out the form online.
 - Use pay pal button to pay online -- OR -- send a check to Candy through snail mail
 - Find Candy Scott's address in the Members Corner section of the website.
 - A giant thank you to Elizabeth for getting this all set up! Elizabeth has certainly brought us into the 21st century!
 - People located outside the Inland Empire are welcome to join. Currently meetings are online, and some upcoming programs are virtual. When in-person meetings resume we may still Zoom the meetings for virtual attendance.

Program – Member University Laura Greene

- Sarah Sass shared a YouTube video which is also available on YouTube/Facebook as Sassy Quilting
 - She demonstrated her collage technique to construct a Laura Heine Teeny Tiny Rooster
- Kelley Bachli (wolfgirlquilts.com) shared quilt marking methods
 - tools, stencils, lightbox, painter's tape, and dot to dot
 - Dot to dot technique is from Angela Walters, check her website for more ideas
- Candy Scott demonstrated rope basket construction
 - Use 3/16 or 5/16 rope, denim needle, available from The Mountain Thread Company
 - A PDF of directions was e-mailed to members earlier today
- Patti Reyes demonstrated two types of curved piecing
 - Quarter circles using templates
 - Free form curves

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- Annie Houston demonstrated Paper Piecing techniques
 - She uses Amy Garro's book, Paper Pieced Modern, which has tips, diagrams, and patterns
 - She also uses a light box and freezer paper on the right side of the fabric.

Postponed due to time constraints

- What is Modern? (Will continue next meeting)
- Show and Share (Will be posted on the website)

Upcoming Events

Meet and Eat - A social bring your own lunch gathering at a park

Wednesday, November 11, 2020

Meet at 11 am

Shamel Park, Riverside at Arlington exit

Bring lunch, lawn chair, mask, show and share items, money for boutique or rope, charity quilts

Information will be posted on the website

Drop in ZOOM Sit and Sew meetings - Work in your own space, drop in for a few minutes or the entire time, sew, chat, ask questions, enjoy camaraderie will be the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month. Laura will send a ZOOM link reminder. This month:

November 9, 2020, 7 – 9 pm

November 23, 2020, 7 – 9 pm

Upcoming General Meetings

December – Christmas Party

There will be music, games, drawing, recipe exchange, sewing space tour, and more.

January – Fresh Quilting Video 107 from the MQG

February – Sandra Johnson will give a Modern Quilt presentation

March – Quilt Challenge reveal, Challenge theme is Social Justice

April – “Mistake Purchases, It seemed like a good idea at the time”

May – Member Trunk Show; contact Laura if you would like to share your “trunk”

June – David Owen Hastings, presenter

Raffle

Debbie Gardner is the lucky raffle winner.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will take place on Zoom, December 5, 2020, at 2 pm, socializing 1:30 pm.

The meeting adjourned about 4:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Lynn Hanna, Secretary