

IEMQG General Meeting Minutes

September 3, 2022- HYbrid meeting at Arlanza Library

Meeting called to order by Candy at 2:07p.m.

Announcements:

Welcome: New member Katie and a surprise in-person appearance from member Carlene who came down from N. California to enjoy our heat wave.

Global Quilt Connection: A vote was taken to determine if there was enough interest in the All Star Virtual Sampler Platter coming up on September 17 and 18 to warrant purchasing access to the classes. The general consensus was that there was no interest this month so the guild will not purchase.

Holiday Party: A poll was taken to determine if members would be willing to change the date for the party to December 10, the second Saturday in Dec., in order to avoid a conflict with CVQG. Everyone was okay with this change so the holiday party will take place on Dec 10 instead of the 3rd. Location to be determined.

Quilt submission Deadlines: Road to CA submissions due Monday, October 3 on line or by mail. QuiltCon due Monday, October 31 online. Several people are submitting entries. If members hesitate to enter the juried show, there are usually non-juried opportunities or special events.

QuiltCon: Registration is still ongoing. Remember to register before the end of November in order to get the free 4 day admission pass and awards ceremony on Wed., Feb 22 at 7:00. Its worth registering even if you're not sure if you're going.

MQG Sessions: October 13-16. The cost is \$95. The sessions are virtual and will be available for 14 days. You must be a member of MQG to register. Check the list of presenters to see if you're interested.

ZOOM Drop in Sew: 2nd and 4th Mondays. Sept. 12 and 26 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. There will be an email link with the ZOOM code. The log in information is also on the members corner page on the guild website.

QuiltCon community challenge quilt sewing days: Wednesday, Sept 21 from 10:00 - 2:00 at Lake Mathews Community Center and Saturday, October 15 same time, same place.

Nominating Committee: Jennifer Boling, Michelle Nichjols, and Candy Scott are the committee. Candy gave a list of board positions. Anyone interested in volunteering can contact a committee member by phone, text, or email. Slate of

prospective officers will be presented at the meeting October 1. Voting will take place at the meeting November 5.

Retreat-Gayle: Monday through Thursday, November 7-10 at Vina deLestonnac in Temecula. 17 people so far. We need 20 in order to cover costs. The facility can take 22 so we need 3-5 more people to sign up. Registration forms are available on member's corner. Cost is \$410 for double occupancy. Final payment is due at the October 1 meeting. Pay VIA PayPal or by check.

Future programs in 2023-Laura:

February: Carolina Oneto, June: Veruschka Zarate, October: Carrie Bloomston. Other as yet unscheduled member led programs.

Program # 1 by Patti Reyes: 5 easy ways to make beautiful scrap quilts.

Patti presented a slide show with 5 tips for using color, contrast, and specific fabric designers to pull together lovely scrap quilts. Each slide showed one of her spectacular quilts to illustrate the techniques along with a thorough explanation of the fabrics she uses and how certain colors play together to create the effect she wants.

Program #2 by Christine Sharp: Christmas stockings

Christine shared and demonstrated how to make non-traditional Christmas stockings. These adorable stockings are NOT boots, but more like gift bags. She started making them for grand children so they are unique to each. Not only are they great for Christmas, but would make excellent gift bags for any holiday or event. There was a request for a demo class, so look for info down the road for a chance to make these fun and creative bags.

Show and Share: Some in person, some VIA slide show from our members attending on ZOOM.

Carlene- Paint Box. Pattern by Linda Sullivan. 2nd place ribbon winner at N. Calif. fair.

Urban challenge miniature Houses on a hill 3rd place winner at the fair

Carl- Corner of the Sky machine applique done in a Sheila Frampton Cooper class and designed on I-pad. Submitted to QuiltCon

Debi- scrappy charity quilt made with donated strips and Tula Pink Fickle Nickle pattern

Laura- 12X12 Stripe Out! challenge "World without Frogs"

Lynn- 12X12 Stripe Out! challenge." Justice according to Clarence Thomas"

Pat- Scrappy "City Girl" pattern by Dora Carey

Donna- Top created in a class with Carolina Oneto using large, bright set in circles

Gayle- Gray and Camo cross pattern by Dora Carey

Patti- Trip around the World charity quilt in purple, yellow, and green

12X12 Stripe Out! challenge and 12X12 Happy place challenge

In person quilts from scrappy tips presentation: Scrappy Trip around
the World,

Wanderer's Wife, Plaidish scrappy and Snake Trail

*** Lynn's Tree Cookie art quilt will be in the SAQA show, "Threads of Inspiration" in San Diego this month**

Block of the Month-Evie: Block number 9 was shown. Pattern on Member's Corner

Name Tag Drawing: Winner-Barbara Dawson

Raffle Basket: winner- Carlene Drake

Meeting adjourned at 4:22

Respectfully submitted,

Debi Gardner

Co-secretary