



Sew Much News

SEPTEMBER PROGRAM and PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to a new and exciting year of the Petaluma Quilt Guild. This is the beginning of our 25th year! I am looking forward to being your president along with Marilyn F. Lots of great things will be happening. First and foremost our quilt show on October 6th. Many great speakers are also lined up for this year.

In September we will be celebrating by having birthday cake to start off our year. I have a small fun project for everyone to do. Please bring a 6" by 8 1/4" piece of happy fabric, needle and thread, and scissors. You will be making a folded origami shirt. I will bring directions. I have made a wall hanging with some and they are really cute.

Two weeks ago my family and I spent three glorious weeks in the British Isles and had a fabulous time. We would love to go back and be able to spend more time, especially in Ireland and Scotland. A major highlight was seeing the dress rehearsal for the military Tattoo in Edinburgh. We got the last 4 tickets and were in the first row. The best part was that it was half price. It certainly was a reality check to come back and get to work.

We look forward to seeing you on September 4th.

Sue and Marilyn



General Meeting September 4, 2018,

7pm

Petaluma Community
Center,
320 N. McDowell
Blvd., Petaluma

Board Meetings

Monday, Aug. 20, &
Tuesday, Sept. 25,
TBD, Petaluma.
Members are welcome.

Don't Forget!

Fat Quarter and Strip
Frenzy: **Purple** fabrics
Block of the Month
Friendship Blocks
Military Blocks
COTS Quilts
Library Books
\$ for Monthly Mini
Show and Tell
Nametag
Goodies for the Quilt
Show Boutique
Dues - \$40

MINUTES OF THE JULY 30 , 2018 BOARD MEETING

Board Members Present – Garnet W., Ruth M., Gloria K. and Kathy B.

Board Members Absent – Sue D.

Others Present –Ellie O. and Marilyn F.

Call to Order – Garnet called the meeting to order at 6:31 PM at Oakhill North Club House.

Approval of Minutes – M/s/c Ruth/Kathy/All to approve minutes of the June 29, 2018 Board Meeting.

Treasurer’s Report, Budget and Audit - Ruth gave the Treasurer’s Report and is planning to prepare a draft budget for Board review.

Membership Report – No report.

Programs Report/Workshops – No report.

Business

August Board Meeting – Garnet will invite new Board members to the August Board meeting to transfer duties.

Quilt Show 2018 - August general meeting will be a workshop on the popular snap bags, to be sold at the boutique.

COTS – Ellie reported that six quilts with pillowcases are to be delivered this week.

Next Board Meeting –The next Board Meeting will be held on Monday, August 20, 2018 at Oakhill North Clubhouse at 53 Acorn Circle at 6:30 PM. Members are welcome.

Meeting Adjourned – 6:47 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy B., PQG Secretary



Minutes of the July 10, 2018 PQG General Meeting

Call to Order - President Garnet W. called the meeting to order at 7:00PM.

Approval of Minutes – Sally A. noted that it is Sally S. who will chair the Hospitality Committee and requested the minutes of the July 10, 2018 general meeting that were printed in the newsletter, be corrected to reflect that.

M/s/c Amanda C. /Pati M. /All to approve the minutes with the correction noted above.

Next Board Meeting – One Time Date Change. The next Board Meeting will be held on Monday, August 20, 2018 at Oakhill North Club House at 53 Acorn Circle at 6:30 PM. Members are welcome.

Treasurer's Report – Ruth M. gave the Treasurer's Report.

Library – Kitty T. announced that a good selection of machine

quilting books can be found in the PQG library.

Welcome and Introduction New Members & Guests – Garnet W. reminded us that membership renewal dues of \$40 will be collected at the September meeting for fiscal year 2018/2019.

Business

Swearing In of New Officers – Garnet W. first thanked Committee Chairs and others for their service to PQG, followed by outgoing Board members. New Board members, with the exception of Sue D. absent due to travel, were then sworn in. New Board members, who will begin with the September meetings, are: Sue D., President, with the assistance of Marilyn F.; Laura L., Vice President Membership; Becky L., Vice President Programs; Ruth M., Treasurer and Kitty T., Secretary.

A huge thank you to outgoing President Garnet W. for her leadership this past year!

Quilt Show – Reports were as follows:

- Please deliver fabric and other donations to Marilyn K. Call first to ensure that someone will be available to receive your items.
- Please deliver handmade craft items to Sally A.
- Natalie F. showed examples of pretty packaging for refreshment items. Please contact her to help with assembly; a signup sheet will be available in September too.
- Treasurer Ruth M. will be holding a 'Square' meeting for volunteers who work as cashiers to ensure quick and easy



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processing of payments from purchasers.

- Posters advertising the quilt show are now available for members to distribute.
- Susan H. announced that a signup sheet for orders of Jo's painting, which comes in three different sizes, is available at the registration table. Sales will also be made in September and at the quilt show to benefit PQG.
- Amanda C. is making bundles of cutouts for sale at the boutique. If other members wish to do likewise or help, please contact Amanda.

Committee Reports

Block of the Month – Sally A. announced that tomatoes will be the theme of the block. Instructions are available. Sounds like fun!

Fat Quarter/Strip Frenzy – Winner, Donna R., chose purple fabrics for the September meeting.

Friendship Appliqué – Barbara C. brought an album of PQG photos and invited members to provide names for historical purposes.

Friendship Pieced – Shannon W. S. reported the availability of four block packets. Additionally, there are completed blocks for Susan H. as well as herself ready to take home.

Military – Jayne M. reviewed new blocks and encouraged members to try them.

Monthly Mini – Brenda B. reported the need for a replacement for herself for this committee and that signups are needed for future minis. This month's mini was contributed by Tanya C. Thank you!

(No photo available, sorry!)

Opportunity Quilt 2018 – Elizabeth W. visited Marin Needle Arts last evening and

thanked them for their generous friendship! Elizabeth has made a new table banner to be used when displaying quilts at other guilds and events and asked for help with the addition of appliqués to complete it.

Quilts for COTS – Ellie O. reported that the committee's recent work session was visited and photographed for an upcoming COTS newsletter. New packets are available for pickup at the table.



Retreat - Debby L. would like to hear from anyone planning to attend the retreat, September 21, 22 and 23, but who has yet to register. She also has information about attendance for a single day if that works for you. Please contact Debby as soon as possible.

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Program – A workshop was held for members to work on boutique items for the quilt show.

Prize Drawings –

Attendance, Jean P.; *Name Tag*, Tanya C.; *Block of the Month*, Francesca H. and *Fat Quarter/Strip Frenzy*, Donna R.

Other – Garnet W. listed open committee positions and asked for volunteers for: Block of the Month, Cast Off, Fat Quarter Frenzy, Library and Monthly Mini. Please consider filling a need.

Show & Tell – Danielle C. showed a lovely quilt of navy blue with orange highlights and Susan H. showed a quilt made of blocks she won, which will be donated to COTS.

Meeting Adjourned -
8:23PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathy B., PQG Secretary

Quilt Show Preparation

Amanda has offered to let us use her Accucut machine to cut out fusible backed fabric pieces to sell at the Quilt Show. We have selected several patterns that we think will sell such as flowers, birds, fall leaves.

We are looking for Fabric that are at least 5 x 7 inches Each packet will have a variety of different fabrics. We need the following type of fabrics to be cut: 30's reproductions, Polka Dots, Fall colors, Flower material (small prints), Solids, Retro Flowers (60's bold fabric) and Bright colors.

If you have NEW fusible web, we could use this to put on the back.

Please give your donations to Amanda at the meeting.

QUILT SHOW BOUTIQUE

Reminder: Goodies are still needed for the Quilt Show Boutique. Please bring donations to the meetings and place them in the white, plastic bin at the end of the front table.

Please continue to work on your beautiful quilts for display at our Quilt Show!



So far, Amanda has NOT RECEIVED ANY quilt show entry forms & she's worried!!

We know you all have LOTS of quilts and are planning on entering them in our show, but you don't have to wait until our September meeting or the September 14th deadline to turn in the forms. There's a great deal of planning that has to be done to put on a show, so the earlier you get your forms to Amanda, the better.

It's easy:

1. Select the quilts you want to enter in the show
2. Print the Quilt Show Entry Form(s) from our website; fill out one form for each entry.

Link to the **Quilt Show Entry Form**: <http://www.petalumaquiltguild.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/QuiltEntryForm2018.pdf>

3. Calculate how much you owe - the Entry Fee is:
 - \$5 if you enter 1-5 quilts/items,
 - \$10 if you enter 6-10 quilts/items, etc.
4. Make your check payable to PQG. The Entry Fee must be submitted with the Entry Form(s).
5. Mail your completed form(s) and payment check to the address below, or turn it in at the September PQG meeting. All entries must be submitted by September 14th.

*Petaluma Quilt Show
1275 San Jose Way
Petaluma, CA 94954*

Send in those forms and make Amanda happy!!!

Thank you!!!

Don't forget to SEW a sleeve on each quilt you wish to display!!!



Mark Your Calendars!

PQG Quilt Show

October 6, 2018
 Petaluma Community Center,
 320 N. McDowell Blvd., Petaluma, CA 94954

Ladies of the Lake Quilt Guild

Falling Leaves Quilt Show
 October 6 & 7, 2018
 10 am - 5 pm
 Lake County Fairgrounds
 401 Martin Street, Lakeport, CA 95453
 \$10 admission

Pacific International Quilt Show

New Quilts of Northern California
 Santa Clara Convention Center
 October 11-14, 2018
 Exhibit entries limited to residents of NoCA
 Enter new quilts not widely shown b/4; no kits
 Entry form at www.quiltfest.com or write to
 Mancuso Show Mgmt, PO Box 667,
 New Hope, PA 18938

Pioneer Quilters Quilt Show & Sale

Roseville Sports Center, 1545 Pleasant Grove
 Blvd., Roseville, CA 95747
 November 10 & 11
 Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4; Admission \$7
 Quilts, vendors, boutique, raffle baskets, quilts
 for sale, door prizes, refreshments and lunch
 available.

River City Quilters' Guild Quilt Show

Sacramento, CA
 Window of Imagination
 November 16, 17 & 18, 2018
www.rivercityquilters.org/quilt-show.html
 Email: quiltshow@rivercityquilters.org

DUES ARE DUE!!!

Reminder: September is the start of our new fiscal year and that means dues are due! Please make out your \$40 checks ahead of time to help the lines go faster. Check-in may take a bit longer because you will be asked to confirm your contact information, so you may wish to arrive a bit earlier than usual. If you are paying in cash, please put it in an envelope with your name on it to help with bookkeeping. Thanks!

WALKER CREEK SEPTEMBER RETREAT CANCELED

Our Retreat has been canceled due to lack of participants for overnight stay and full day passes. Next retreat will be February 2019.

MONTHLY MINI'S NEEDED

Monthly Mini's are needed for upcoming meetings. Please consider signing up to make one. This is a great way to help defray the costs of our meeting room. Thank you for your anticipated participation!!!



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Newsletter deadline is the 15th of the month.

Treat Yourself to Something Special from the PQG Shopping Site:



www.cafepress.com/petalumaquiltguildshop

September Birthdays



Amanda C. - 9/2

Libby P. - 9/6

Sue R. - 9/7

Ruth M. - 9/19

Debbie L. 9/20

Committee Chairs

Block of the Month:
- OPEN

Castoff:
- OPEN

Fat Quarter Frenzy:
- OPEN

Friendship Applique:
Amanda C.,

Friendship Pieced:
Shannon W.S.,

Hospitality:
Sally S

Library:
- OPEN

Military Quilts:
-Jayne M

Monthly Mini:
- OPEN

Community Outreach
-Helga B.

Help Wanted!
Several committee
chair positions are
open. Please consider
volunteering.
Thank You!

Committee Chairs

MotherHen:
Garnet W

Opportunity Quilts:
2018 - Irish Chain:
Elizabeth W
Debbie D. (Member Tickets)

2019 - Chanticleer:
Sue D. (Blocks)

Newsletter:
Jean P.

Newsletter Mailing:
Laura L.

Quilts for Cots:
Ellie O.

Retreats:
Debby L.

Show & Tell: Open

Sunshine:
- OPEN

Webmaster:
Shannon W.S.,

Thank You,
Affiliates!

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