

Porterville Quilters Newsletter

President's Message



Hello Quilters,

As I write this we are in June! I can't believe how fast the year has gone, and it has been a phenomenal year of club meetings. I'm also writing this with four adorable kittens at my feet. How fun is that?

I wanted to thank everyone so much for the amazing Spring Clean program! As you will see from the Treasurer's Report, we have the most generous ladies in our membership, bringing in \$531. The excitement and participation was wonderful and the

variety and quantity of items you all brought in was impressive. Thank you again.

We have so much to look forward to for our next half of the year. For this month we have our Little Quilts program, including a drawing for two adorable quilts! It is such a wonderful charity program and is great that we support it with our time and effort to make the little quilts. After the meeting is our workshop where there will be stations set up to make different phases of putting the quilts together. We will be doing "three yard bundles" where multiple quilts are made cutting three yards in a certain way. Come see and participate in cutting, ironing, sewing etc. Bring rotary cutters and a cutting mat if you can, but actually you don't need to bring anything—so don't let that stop you from staying after the meeting to participate.

Next month we are having our Local Heroes program and after the meeting a workshop to make quilts. More details on what to bring and so forth will be in the next newsletter.

Both workshops are free of charge, including the lunch, and will be so much fun!

August will be extra special with a trip out to Carmen's sewing studio! We will meet at the church for a brief meeting and then go out to Carmen's house. More information will be coming regarding the details of this fun field trip.

Again, thank all of you for all our extraordinary meetings and your participation!

Don't forget your show and tells.

Keep on Quilting,

Ashley

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Reminders for Next Meeting

- Wear your nametag.
- Block of the Month if you made one.
- Change for jars and BOM.



June Birthdays

Jody Mead

Anne Haas

Sue Rowell

Meeting Minutes

Porterville Quilters General Meeting May 19, 2022

Call to Order and flag salute led by Ashley Cooper at 10:05

Welcome/Sunshine – 42 members present and no visitors

Cards will be sent to Sheri Cates and Laurie Jackson.

Minutes – The minutes were published in the May newsletter. There were no corrections or additions. Phyllis Taylor made a motion to accept the minutes as published and Priscilla Summers seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Correspondence – none

Linda Hill of Visalia donated \$100 to Cradle Quilts.

Treasurer's Report – The report was published in the newsletter and on the back of the agenda. There were no questions. Priscilla Summers made a motion to accept the report as published and Doris Pyland seconded the motion. The

motion carried.

VP report: Our Spring Clean bids are open and there will be additional time to bid during our break and after the Show and Tell at which time bidding will be closed.

June program will be Little Quilts with lunch and a workshop afterward.

July will be our Local Heroes with a program followed by lunch and workshop afterward. Bring you sewing machines.

August will be a Sewing Room tour at Carmen Friesen's home. Details about this program will be announced as we draw closer to the program.

BREAK

Block of the Month

Noleen gave an overview of the block which consists of white on white background (provided) and fall fabrics. She recommended the use



of 5 coordinating fall colors.

April block was won by Ethel Quiram (EQ), one of our new members. What fun that someone put her name on a ticket. We enjoyed her reaction and look forward to the results.



Cradle Quilts

Lynette Stover has kits for tops and book bags.

Little Quilts

Jody thanked all who help with little quilts

Karen Ervin gave details about the June workshop. . Bring a sewing machine or help to press and cut our 3 yard bundle tops.

Local Hero's will have the July program and workshop.

Meeting Minutes, continued

Mystery Quilt – No instructions for this month. The next step will be available at our June meeting.

Opportunity Quilt

Karen Andris reported that the day and a half at April's Rusty Roots brought in \$302.

We made \$422 at the Best of the Valley show.

Harvest Bounty – Carmen Friesen encouraged members to keep working on items for the Harvest Bounty at our September meeting.

Jar gifts were lovely potholders made by Carmen. We drew "jewels" from a bag. Red jewels won a potholder!

Old Business – none

New Business

Jenny McKinsey reported on the Porterville High School Awards assembly. Our club gave a \$500 scholarship to Maycee Hyder.

Show and Tell

Our members continue to show their amazing creations.

Spring Clean was a success with over \$500 earned from our generous members. A final tally will be in next month's newsletter.

For your information: We have five new members! Their information is available. Look for an email from Priscilla.

Jenny McKinsey
Recording Secretary



Show and Tell



Show and Tell, continued



Porterville Quilters Club

The purpose of the Porterville Quilters Club is to create, stimulate, maintain, and record an interest in all matters pertaining to the making, collecting and preserving of quilts and to establish and promote educational and philanthropic endeavors through quilts.

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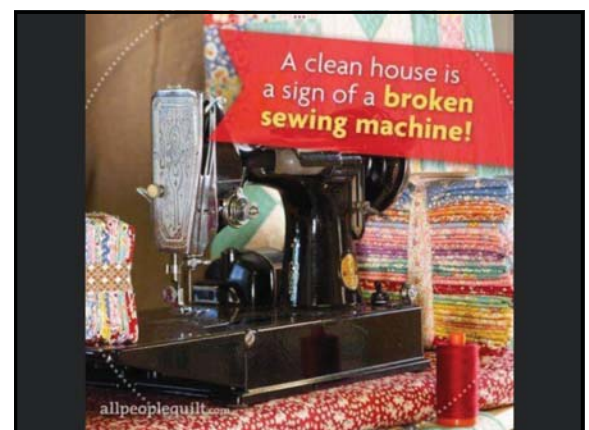
Meetings and Workshops

June 16 - All about Little Quilts! Terry and Jody will tell us about this wonderful program and who it benefits. You will also have an opportunity to win a Little Quilt.

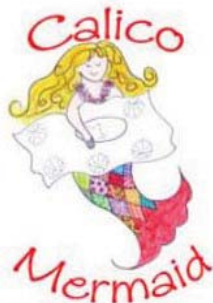
June 16 - WORKSHOP following the meeting. Let's make Little Quilts! Terry will guide us to make quilt tops using three yard bundles. Bring your sewing machine and tools for this. There are plenty of tasks to do if you don't want to bring your sewing machine (ironing, cutting, measuring, etc.). Lunch included.

July 21 - Local Heroes. Sheri Cates, our Local Heroes Committee Chair, will present this program, and talk about these wonderful quilts. After the meeting, we will assemble the blocks we have made this spring.

July 21 - WORKSHOP following the meeting. Sheri will guide us to make and/or finish quilts that will be presented to local veterans under our Local Heroes committee. Lunch included.



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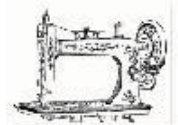
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