

October 2022

Porterville Quilters Newsletter

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President's Message



Hello Quilters!

Happy October!

Woo-hoo! Last month's Harvest Bounty was so much fun, and I hope you all enjoyed seeing all the beautiful handmade items as much as I. As icing on the cake, the final numbers are in and...WOW! Peek at the Treasurer's report and see! A huge thank you to everyone who participated! September sure went out on a high note!

This month our special program guest is Priscilla Girard and she will be bringing a presentation titled "What a Difference a Color Makes". I am especially looking forward to this program and hope to gain inspiration on how to use fabric colors for different effects! Little quilts will also have a drawing.

Please note: the Club will also need to address a recommendation presented at last month's general meeting for a membership dues change. Please see the meeting minutes and separate posting in this newsletter for reference.

The month of November will be less than two weeks after our October general meeting, and it will be time to elect new Officers for the 2023 year! The new board will be installed in December at our Christmas luncheon! If you'd like to lend a hand to our Club, there are many opportunities to help! Please think about volunteering to serve on any of our committees as well.

Mystery Quilts and V/P Challenge will be revealed in November too! How exciting!

Who's ready?

See you all very soon!

Ashley Cooper

Nominations for Club Officers

- o Corresponding Secretary – Diana McKay
- o Treasurer – Phyllis Taylor and Jenny McKinsey have both volunteered. Members will vote at the November general meeting.
- o Recording Secretary – Georgia Ogas
- o Vice President – Janet Alexander
- o President – Sue Riley



Trick-or-treating at the Bobbins'.

Reminders for

Next Meeting

- Nametag
- BOM if you made one.
- Change for jars and BOM, Little Quilt raffle
- Show and Tell



October Birthdays

Becky Eaton

Cleta Adams

Lynette Stover

Kathleen George

Elizabeth Kaufman

Meeting Minutes

September 15, 2022

President Ashley Cooper called the meeting to order at 10:02 am followed by the flag salute.

There were 47 members and 3 guests present. Jan McCusker has COVID.

September birthdays were acknowledged.

Minutes: The August minutes were published in the newsletter. There were no additions or corrections. Sue Sampath motioned that they be accepted as published and Shirley Hickman seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Correspondence: Diana McKay read a thank you note from June Mowles for the Local Heroes quilt presentation.

Treasurer's report: Priscilla Summers moved that the corrected reports be accepted as corrected. Laurie found that the formula for one column was incorrect and she has corrected that. The motion carried.

VP/Program

October program:

Priscilla Girard will give a program on "What a Difference a Color Makes" and include information about using Minky.

Little Quilts will have a drawing.

November meeting will include:

Election of officers

VP Challenge

Mystery Quilt reveal

Cradle Quilt drawing

Local Heroes presentation to Ray Cauwet

December meeting will include:

Luncheon (organized by Janet Alexander and Georgia Ogas)

Installation of 2023 officers

Reveal of 2023 Opportunity Quilt

New officers will go to Bank of the Sierra to sign onto the checking account (Recording Secretary needs to prepare a letter signifying the electing and installation of the 2023 officers)

Little Quilts: Terry Gomez asked for another ironing board. Sue Sampath volunteered to pay for a new ironing board.

Cradle Quilts: Lynette Stover brought kits to be made up and returned by the November meeting.

Opportunity Quilt: Many of the membership have not paid for their opportunity tickets. Please pay.

Christmas Luncheon

The lunch will be catered.

The cost will be approximately \$20 before the jar money is added. Guests will be approximately \$20.

Terry Gomez is in charge of sign-ups for hosting and decorating a table (8).

The gift exchange will have a \$10 limit.

Block of the Month

Jenny McKinsey demonstrated and provided precut fabric for the block of the month.



August's block was won by Dana Ferguson.



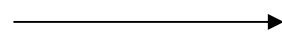
Old Business:

Sheri Cates has been appointed chair of the nominating committee for 2023. Expect a call!

Sheri presented our new wireless microphone. Sue Sampath paid for it to honor her new granddaughter, Miriam. Sheri noted that the microphone cost \$90!

Carmen Friesen thanked everyone for the many items donated for our Harvest Bounty.

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Meeting Minutes, continued

New Business:

Terry Gomez proposed a change to our By-Laws. The change would be concerning our dues and opportunity quilt member tickets. Her proposal is to reduce dues from \$30 to \$20 and add the \$20 cost of opportunity quilts to be paid at the time dues are due.

The proposal will be published in the October newsletter [see below]. Discussion on the proposal will happen at our October meeting.

Voting for the change will then be at November meeting.

Jar money was collected.

Show and Tell had many UFO's completed and other items presented. Always the best part of the meeting other than food and fellowship.

Harvest Bounty money was collected but no total was available at the end of the meeting.

We adjourned!

The next board meeting will be October 4, 2022 at the Pizza Factory at 11 am. Call Ashley if you need to be on the addenda.

The next general meeting will be October 20, 2022 at 10 a.m. at the First Congregational Church.

Jenny McKinsey,
Recording Secretary



Proposed Club Membership Dues

Our existing club dues are \$30/year due in January. Currently members are issued 20 tickets in February. Members pay for ticket stubs submitted for the raffle (\$30 dues + up to \$20 tickets = \$50).

As mentioned in the meeting minutes above, a proposal was presented to reduce the membership dues and include the Opportunity Quilt ticket payment (\$20 dues + \$20 tickets = \$40).

The proposal essentially changes the membership dues to \$40/year due in January and will include receiving 20 Opportunity Quilt Tickets in February. Members then can sell the tickets and turn in the stubs and keep the money; turn in the stubs for the raffle for themselves; or do nothing with them with no further payment necessary to the club.

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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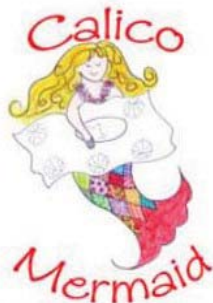
Meetings and Workshops

October 20 - Color. October brings is guest artist Priscilla Gerard who will show us what a difference color makes using the same pattern but getting many different looks and effects. It will be fun. We will also have a Little Quilt raffle.

November - Reveals!! Nov is extremely busy with elections, mystery quilt reveal, honoring a local hero, VP challenge winner, and a opportunity for cradle quilt drawing. Be thinking about a committee you might like to chair.

December - Luncheon. We have our luncheon, UFO winner, installation of 2023 officers and winner of the 2022 opportunity quilt plus the reveal of the 2023 opportunity quilt. We will have a gift exchange - more information to come on this. What a great year we shared.

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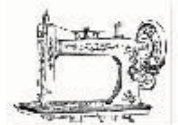
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