



Ocean Wave Quilters

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July 2016 Newsletter

Message from the President - Sharon L

What a Quilt Show it was!!

What particularly struck me was the diversity of quilts - so many different techniques, so many different ideas, so many different colors. It was thrilling to walk through the show. And thanks to Mary, we'll have photos posted on the web site shortly. I personally plan to relive the show many times over the coming months.

A HUGE thank you to all who participated - by sharing your beautiful creations, by sharing your organizing skills, by sharing your time, and your physical and mental effort. Our volunteers were amazing - so many of you volunteered and were so willing to do whatever was needed. Of the many positive comments about the show, the ones that made me most proud were that our volunteers were so friendly, so helpful, and everyone worked so well together.

As we start our 2016-2017 year, I hope that you will continue to share with the Board your ideas for activities you would like to see, for improvements we could make. The strength of the Ocean Wave Quilters is you!

June 13th Meeting Notes, Summary - Sharon L

1. The change in bylaws stating the election announcement will be in the May newsletter was approved.
2. All receipts to be given to people who donate items to our club will be handled by the Treasurer so we have records for tax purposes. The Treasurer will need to know the donor's information (name, address).
3. Unanimous acceptance of 2016-2017 officers: Sharon L. as President, Dee as Vice-President, Jeanne K. as Secretary, Mary

4. as Club Historian, Lonna as Communications. Paula P. remains Treasurer.
5. Committee sign-ups occurred (but we are still accepting volunteers). A list will be distributed at the July meeting.
6. The Saturday, July 30, Quilt Guilds of the North Quarter (QGNQ) meeting will set up at 10 a.m. at the Presbyterian church. If you plan to attend, RSVP to Sharon L. by 7/15. Please make and bring a wonky block (you can make one even if you don't plan to attend)!

Education Committee report - Carole P, chair

Don't forget our workshop on Transparency by Christine Barnes on Monday, September 19th. See the June Newsletter for details. Sign up by July 22nd - \$20 for members. If we haven't filled our 15 seats, we will open it up to non-members (\$50).

Service Committee report - Sandi S, chair

Sharon L took in 4 quilts to the hospital chaplains last month; she also took 6 quilts for the Sheriff's chaplains - they were going to give 2 to each of the three chaplains that cover the North Coast from the Point Arena area to the Westport area.

Quilt Show - Judy W, chair

Thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make this year's Fort Bragg Quilt Show a huge success. The quilts were amazing, but what I also loved was the many comments about the friendly and collegial atmosphere. Everyone working hard really seemed to be enjoying themselves and I think our guests felt it. Thank you so much.

It's time to Pay your Club Dues for 2016/2017- Dee G

Membership renewal is \$25 per year, due July, 2016. Please bring your check or cash to the meeting, or mail to OWQ, PO Box 2687, Fort Bragg CA 95437. New membership Cards will be given out at our July meeting. Connie will bring her laminating machine to the meeting so we can do the membership cards.

Paul Bunyan Craft Fair - Dee G

Ocean Wave Quilters will have a booth in this Craft Fair and your participation is greatly appreciated. The Fair is held at the CV Starr Center North field on Saturday, September 3rd from 10am to 5pm and Sunday, September 4th from 10am to 4pm. A signup sheet will be passed at Sunday's meeting to man the booth in 2 hour shifts. We plan on selling small quilts and donated fabric primarily, but we also have a few items left over from last year's Fair. We will announce when items will be collected next month.

Small Art Quilts on Display - Dee G

Several Ocean Wave Quilters have beautiful small quilts on display and for sale at this exhibit organized by FLOCKworks. They are at the Tim Carmody Gallery, located at 324 North Franklin Street, Fort Bragg. The gallery will be open every Friday, Saturday and Sunday during July from 1 to 4pm.

June 2016 Treasurer's Report For 6/1/16 - 6/30/16

Starting Balance 6/1/16:	\$5,167.52
June Total Expenses:	\$100.00
100.00 - President's Petty Cash	
June Total Income:	\$406.00
325.00 - Dues	
35.00 - Classes	
46 - Raffle at Meeting	
Ending Balance 6/30/16:	\$5,463.52

OWQ Agenda - Sunday, July 10, 2016 1:30pm at the Senior Center

Business:

- Sunshine - Visitors, New Members
- Membership and Chairs of Committees - Sharon L.
- 2016-2017 Calendar
- Quilt Guilds of the North Quarter - Sharon L.

Committee Business:

- Special Events - Lonna
Paul Bunyan Craft Fair - September 3-4
- Education - Carole P
Christine Barnes - Transparency Workshop 9/19
- Quilt Show wrap-up report - Judy W, Paula P

Blockettes: Blockette for July

Name Tag Raffle

Raffle

Show and Tell and Announcements

Quilt Show Report - Sharon L

"VIP Judges": Mayor Dave Turner selected Kathy McCormick's Sashiko Binge. Bob Edwards, CEO of Mendocino Coast District Hospital selected Gail Nsentip's Triple Rose. Rebecca Walker, Principal of Fort Bragg High School and Interim Superintendent of the Fort Bragg Unified School District selected Dee Goodrich's No Way Out. Karen Horner, County Library Director for Mendocino County, selected Carol Azevedo's Animal Joy, Chris Calder, Editor of The Fort Bragg Advocate-News and The Mendocino Beacon selected Shirlee Paoli's "Life Song", and Helen Haun, noted quilter and nonagenarian selected The Comptche Quilter's Floral Fantasy.

Gail Nsentip's Triple Rose won the Viewer's Choice blue ribbon. The Comptche Quilters won the Best Group Quilt blue ribbon, with The Ocean Wave Quilters taking second and third place ribbons.

First place ribbons were awarded to Carole Azevedo, Angela Bierman, Dee

Goodrich, Sharon Lau, Kathy McCormick, Gail Nsentip, Tina Perry, Pam Salyards, and Linda Walzer. Second place ribbons were awarded to Angela Bierman, Kathy Gaughen, Dee Goodrich, Daffy Hervilla, Nancy Lamphear, Sharon Lau, Kathy McCormick, and Shirlee Paoli. Third place ribbons were awarded to Miriam Charles, Kate Erickson, Dee Goodrich, Jeanne Kinney, Nancy Lamphear, Sharon Lau, Karen Lebacqz, Babs Levine, and Linda Walzer.

Blue ribbons were also awarded for Best Hand Quilting to Gail Nsentip, for Best Use of Embellishment to The Comptche Quilters, for Best Non-Professional Machine Quilting to Carol Azevedo, and for Best Use of Color to Shirlee Paoli.

Winner of the Sew 'n Sew Viewer's Choice was Paula Perelstein. Ribbon winners for the Challenge quilt judging were Shirlee Paoli (first), Sharon Lau (second) and Dee Goodrich third).

The Opportunity Quilts being raffled by the Soroptimist International of Noyo Sunrise were won by Anne Turner of Fort Bragg (Winding Roads), Stan Miklose of Fort Bragg (On the Road) and Linda Steslicki of Southern California (Back Roads).



Strolling Around The Block—st 1st Place First Quilt – Adult
Tina Perry



Triple Rose - Best Hand Quilting Gail Nsentip



Animal Joy - Best Non-Professional Machine Quilting Carol Azevedo



Under the Rainbow - Best Use of Color Shirlee Paoli



Floral Fantasy – Best Use of Embellishment Comptche Quilters

You will be able to view all the winning quilts on our website soon.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- July**
 5 Board Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 10 General Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 24 Sew Sunday anytime from 10am to 4pm
- August**
 2 Board Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 14 General Meeting/Picnic at Lonna's 1:30pm
 28 Sew Sunday anytime from 10am to 4pm
- September**
 3-4 Craft Fair at CV Starr
 6 Board Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 11 General Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 19 Transparency Class by Christine Barnes
 25 Sew Sunday anytime from 10am to 4pm

July Birthdays



- 7 Mary F
 18 Stella
 24 Tina
 25 Jeanne K
 26 Judy W

OWQ Board

Officers:

- President: Sharon L
 Vice-President: Dee G
 Secretary: Jeanne K
 Treasurer: Paula P
 Communication: Lonna O
 Club Historian - Mary F

Committee Chairs:

- Service - Sandi S Education - Carole P Hospitality - Dee G Special Events - Lonna O
 Quilt Show - Paula P



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Checklist for the Meeting - all are optional



- :: Show and Tell Projects
- :: \$25 for Dues
- :: Potluck Item

Item	Need	Don't need
Texture quilts	X	
Warm Welcome quilts		X
Chaplain quilts	X	
Goody bags	X	
Knitted baby caps	X	
Chemo caps		X
Dog Bed material	X	