Mother Lode Quilters' Guild



Newsletter

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Meetings are held the 4th Monday of each month and there is no meeting in December. Meetings begin at 6:30 pm at the Creekside United Methodist Church in Sutter Creek.

Remember to wear your name badge, bring Comfort Quilts, Show and Tell, and Block of the Month. When it's your turn, bring snacks.

See you October 28, 2019

From our MLQG President-Trudy Bauman

Happy & Everyone! As you may have guessed, our October MLQG meeting will be Halloween themed. So, wear your finest Halloween themed finery. Have a witch's hat? Wear it! Do you have tacky pumpkin earrings? Wear them! Black and white striped stockings? Put them on and wear them with witchy pride!

No Halloween item is too extreme for our guild.

On a more important note, we have the names of volunteers willing to take on some of the open positions for the MLQG board. I will tackle a second year as President, if you will have me. Carlene Drake is running for the Vice President position and Becky Podesta will step in as Treasurer......again. The position as Secretary is the only one with no name attached to it. Terrie Van Scyoc has done an amazing job for the past two years and someone needs to step up and take her place. The Secretary's duties in a nutshell are:

Take Board Meeting minutes and distribute them to the Board and guild members.

Is responsible for MLQG correspondence.

Is authorized to co-sign MLQG checks.

That's it! There is a guild member out there who would enjoy this job and be really good at it. If you are interested in any of the other Board positions, let me know. Voting will take place at the October meeting with installation in November. This is your guild and it is only as good as the members who participate.

Mar found a karaoke microphone to be used at our meetings. It's not perfect but is very colorful and means that I don't have to yell.

See you at the October meeting!

From our MLQG Vice President-Anelie Belden

For the October meeting we will be having a lesson on Wool Applique. There will be a few styles to choose from. Each person coming to the meeting and is a member will receive a kit to work on a small Candle Mat. This will take about 1 hour for instruction.

If you would like to participate in this lesson please bring, scissors to cut wool with interfacing and scissors for embroidery floss. Small pressing pad and iron would also be helpful. In the kit you will have all supplies needed and 1 Embroidery needle.

Treasurer's Report Linda DeRosia

September 2019 Bank Balance:

9,828.84 Aug. 31, 2019 Checkbook Balance

+ **815.50** Plus: Sept. 2019 Deposits

- **297.26** Less: Sept. 2019 Checks

10,347.08 Sept. 30, 2019 Checkbook Balance



Upcoming Quilt Shows

Pacific International Quilt Festival October 17-20, 2019 Thursday-Saturday 10am-6pm Sunday-10am -4pm Santa Clara Convention Center 5001 Great America Parkway Santa Clara, CA www.quiltfest.com

Pioneer Quilters Guild November 9- 10am - 5pm November 10 - 10am - 4pm Roseville Sports Center 1545 Pleasant Grove Blvd. Roseville, CA www.pioneerquiltersguild.org











Hospitality Janis Beach Mary Beth Porter

Bunny Smith Becky Podesta Mary Beth Porter Barb Haymond Clara Scholl Trudy Bauman



Sue Ann Flores	10/8
Beth Arnold	10/14
Olive Lissner	10/14
Susan Sharp	10/24

Country Store-Heather Beers

Happy October everyone! I, for one, am looking forward to cool nights and the lovely colors of fall.

First, "Thank You" to everyone who helped and supported our participation in the Sutter Creek Heritage Days! I am thrilled at how well things went and how kind and generous everyone was when allowing us to participate.

I feel we need some more 100% cotton washcloths for our next show. I have some yarn that I am willing to donate if someone wants to do the knitting.

I am really excited that we have been offered a class by Anelie and Terrie on how to make those cute denim aprons. We sold all three we had at Heritage Days and I believe they have huge potential at future sales.

I have been speaking with Dawn and I am concerned that we haven't received the fabric donations we have in the past. Please keep your eyes open for someone that isn't interested in sewing and might want to donate their fabric to us. In addition, you might want to go through your own stash and check for fabric you really don't love any more. (I know that may be a long shot but you never know. (\(\overline{\operation}\))

Our application for the Jackson Rancheria's Holiday Bazaar on Sunday, December 1, has been submitted. We won't know for sure until November 1, if we have been accepted. I still have spots available for helpers on that day,

Please consider what kind of items you would like to purchase at a guild's country store. Use that as your guide when you are getting creative. The upcountry guild did a really nice job organizing their fabric. I also saw some cute folding ideas that Dawn and Linda know how to do. I plan to have a number of work days as soon as the new year starts.

Block of the Month Dawn Schaaf – Linda DeRosia

Please remember to return your finished blocks. A winner will be drawn at the October meeting.

Membership Becky Podesta – Rita Maddock

There were 30 members and 2 guests, for a total of 32 people at our September meeting.



Denim Apron Workshop Information

Choosing Jeans for the Recycled Jeans Apron project Helpful hints;

When choosing jeans look for a size 12 or larger in ladies' jeans. Larger is fine as it will cover more as an apron.

Stretch denim works as well as all cotton. It will give you a lighter weight apron.

Men's jeans work fine also, just look at the rear end and make sure there is enough width for the apron size you want.

All colors work well, I have used black, white, red, tan, grey and blue.

Do not use low cut, low waist jeans, these do not have enough fabric to make a very long apron.

Decorative back pockets are fun to work with, or you can embellish on your own.

Thrift stores area a great source for inexpensive jeans. Or your own closet. (I was surprised how many pairs I had that had not been worn in years!) I am proud to say these jeans are now being enjoyed as adorable, handy aprons.

Pease email me if you have any questions.

Terrie - terrievs@yahoo.com



Mother Lode Quilters' Guild General Membership Meeting September 23rd, 2019

Officers Present - President Trudy Bauman, Vice President Anelie Belden, Treasurer Linda DeRosia and Secretary Terrie Van Scyoc.

Meeting was called to order at 6:32pm.

Previous Minutes – Membership read and approved the July minutes. A motion was led to approve as printed by Mary Mahoney and seconded by Bunny Smith.

Members and Guests- We had 30 members present and 2 guests.

Opportunity Quilt Guest - The Tuleburg Quilt Guild brought a quilt to be raffled this December.

No Speaker – Anelie had four members showcase their artistic talents and give a small presentation. Our participants were; Mar Douglas, Carlene Drake, Linda DeRosia and Trudy Bauman.

Vice President – Anelie announced that she and Terrie will teach a class on the Jeans Aprons and assorted denim projects. The date will be Friday October 25th, held here at the Church from 10:00am till 2pm.

October Meeting – Wear a Witch hat and bring a Halloween snack. Anelie will be teaching a fall candle mat project, kit included.

Treasurer – Linda Reported a beginning bank balance of \$9828.84 and a tentative ending balance of \$10460.92

Presidents Message- Trudy reminded us that our Vice President and Secretary positions still need to be filled. Becky Podesta has volunteered to run for Treasurer for 2020.

Mar Douglas has found an inexpensive speaker system (actually a Karaoke machine) and we used it for the meeting.

Binders for committees will need to be located or made up by the end of the year. Members can also look up the description of their committee function in the MLQG Bylaws. Then the committee chair can add valuable personal notes to help the next Chairperson manage that position and committee.

Secretary- No Guild correspondence received this month.

Quilt Show – Anelie took a vote of members that do want to have a Quilt Show next year and most members raised their hands. She stressed the need for everyone to help and encouraged members to seek out a position they may want to take on and shadow the committee person during this next show to learn. Bunny Smith's Quilt Show committee position will be open and Ulla Van Gerrevink has volunteered to take over. Donna Swanner offered to help Mary Bush with Vendors and take it over for the 2022 show. Quilt Show committee will be meeting and reporting to the guild at the October meeting.

Break at 7:35pm

Comfort Quilts – Donna reported collecting almost 10 quilts last month and will probably make a delivery in November.

Lorrie Albin reported finding the Show and Tell and Sunshine binders.

Newsletter - Suzy needs the committee newsletter submissions to her by October 6th.

Opportunity Quilt – Mar Douglas reported that the Quilt is scheduled to visit Placerville on October 23rd, Murphys on November 4th and Pleasanton on November 9th.

Country Store – Heather reported that the Heritage Days celebration in Sutter Creek on September 22^{nd} went very well. She asked that we continue to make items as she wants to stock the tables for the Christmas Bazaar at the casino in December.

Block Party- Bags are still available for the new block

Meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm.

Respectfully Submitted by;

Terrie Van Scyoc

September Meeting Photos























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