



Ocean Wave Quilters

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February 2018

Message from the President - Dee

Show your Quilts: Where does our inspiration come from? I turn to nature, books, magazines, quilt shops, but mainly it comes from other quilts. That's why I love Quilt Shows, to see all these variations on style, colors, composition and artistry. When you exhibit your quilts you are inspiring others and you're showing your creativity. You are also becoming more confident as a quilter. I encourage all of you to show your quilts in as many shows as you can. The following shows are right around the corner:

March 17 - Healdsburg Senior Living Community
A one day show we attend every year. We are invited to exhibit around 35 quilts. Information will be forthcoming for entry forms and attendance.

May 5, 6th - Ukiah Grapevine Quilters Annual Quilts in Bloom Show. We have entry forms, or visit their website at:

<http://ukiahgrapevinequilters.webs.com/quilt-show>

June 24, 25th - our Fort Bragg Show
And throughout the year we have many shows that would love to exhibit your quilts. The Falling Leaves Show in Lakeport in October, and Pacific International Quilt Festival in Santa Clara, also in October. If you wish to know more about entering these shows or any other shows, I will be glad to help you. Get your quilts out there!

**PLEASE WEAR YOUR NAME TAG
TO THE MEETING ON SUNDAY.**

Service Committee Report - Ginny,

Chair OWQ Donations:

12 Warm Welcome Quilts and 10 Kitty Kat Beds

A CALL for YOUR CASTOFFS

As you may recall, the "Free Table" was a bit bare last month. Soooo, if you're ready to clean out your stash, the free table could use some fresh new additions at our February meeting. Thanks, in advance.

Education Committee Report - Carole,

Chair Up Coming OWQ Classes:

Sign up for the Monday 4/9/19 Class with Marjan Kluepfel. This class will run from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. Sign up will start at the February OWQ meeting, see Nancy Kozak to sign up. Remember you are not signed up until you pay your \$20.00 class fee. There is space for only 15 individuals so sign up quickly. Marjan will be teaching her "Seascapes" class. Create your own original seascape wall quilt. Learn about design principles. This workshop is suitable for new and experienced quilters. We will create a collage using fusible web, free motion machine embroidery, thread painting, foiling and embellishing with beads, yarn and bobbin drawing.

Up Coming Quilt Shows:

- Healdsburg Senior Living Annual Quilt & Doll Show. March 17 - Bring your quilts to one of the members of the Education Committee to be shown in this show. Remember, you must put your name and important information about the quilt on any quilt you would like shown. More information to be provided.

- San Jacinto Quilt Show - 2/9 and 10, 901 W. Esplanade Avenue San Jacinto, CA. 10:00am - 4:00pm. It is probably too late to show your quilts in this show but this is a fun and interesting show to attend for ideas.
- East Bay Heritage Quilters, Quilt Show in March - Contact Gwen McMillan for information - 510-525-3409
- Quilter's Sew-ciety of Redding - Quilt Show in April - www.quilterssewciety.org for entry forms.
- Valley Quilt Guild of Yuba City - Quilt Show March 10-11 at Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds - www.valleyquiltguild.com for entry forms.
- Desert Quilters of Nevada - March Quilt Show at the Henderson Convention Center - www.dqnv.org for entry form.

Up Coming Craft & Sewing Festivals:

- Quilt, Craft & Sewing Festival - information at www.quiltercraftsew.com - Sonoma County 4/19-21, 2018

OWQ Photo Directory - Mary

IF you would like to be included in the OWQ Photo Directory, please see me at the February meeting. I will have updated directories to hand out, too.

Correction to Article in the Advocate-News - Sharon

An article ran in this week's newspaper about the quilt that the Ocean Wave Quilters donated for the library building fund. We had purchased the quilt from Stella Regalia. Dan Hess, head librarian, had submitted a corrected version, but, unfortunately, the newspaper ran the first, incorrect version. The corrected version read as follows: "The quilt was donated by the Ocean Wave Quilters. It was made by Stella Regalia, one of the group's splendid designers, and it was hand quilted by the Ocean Wave Quilters' hand-quilting group."

Sew 'n Sew News - Paula



Sew n Sew Newsletter

We have so many fun classes scheduled for your fun and education!
Come in to see samples and sign up today.

Convergence Quilt Class



Making a Convergence quilt is easy and fun. In this class you will make a full convergence quilt top. You will also get ideas for borders to complete your quilt. Evelyn has been sewing since childhood and has been quilting for over 15 years. Evelyn offers clear instructions and constructive help during her classes. Class will be Saturday, February 10, 2018 from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm. The cost of class is \$35.00

9 Patch Pizzazz Class

This is a wonderful pattern to showcase your large print fabrics. In class, taught by Pam, you will learn the techniques and be able to complete a top. Once you learn this method of quilt construction you will want to make more!

Class date: Saturday February 24, 2018, Cost for class \$35.00



Ocean Wave Quilters	
2018 January Treasurer's Report	
Submitted by Sharon L, Treasurer	
Reviewed/Approved at February Board Meeting	
Starting Balance 1/1/2018 \$12,080.39	
EXPENSES	
Quilt Guilds of the North	15.00
Quarter Dues	
Fabric - Lin Taylor's quilt	32.59
Batting	280.00
TOTAL EXPENSE	327.59
INCOME	
Dues	25.00
TOTAL INCOME	147.00
Ending balance 1/31/2018 \$11,777.80	

Brown Bag Challenge - Cindi



There are still brown bags filled with mysterious fabric available for \$5. Don't miss out in this challenging event which is so much fun; you can win \$\$ prize money for your entry! The items you create - anything goes - will be on display at our Annual Tea, judged by those attending. Due date for the projects is on Saturday, March 31st.

OWQ March Retreat - Cindi

Once again, we'll have our retreat right in the convenient middle of Fort Bragg at the Lion's Hall on Redwood Ave from Wednesday, March 21st until Saturday, March 24th. Bring your UFOs or new projects to work on. We might also have a couple of different club projects for you to help with.



A sign-up sheet will be at the February and the March meetings to let us know what food you'd like to bring to share, and when you can help set-up or clean-up.

Annual OWQ Tea



Get ready to sign up to host a table and choose a treat to bring! Hosting, this year, will consist of supplying a tablecloth, teacups, serving set, and forks and spoons (Lonna has these things to borrow). You will also be responsible for keeping hot water at your table for your guests. We are asking that you no longer supply party favors. There have been complaints of this many times in the past.

We will need members to help set up on Saturday, April 7th, Sunday, April 8th at 12:15, just before the tea, and clean up after the tea, at 3:00.

Our speaker will be Marjan Kluepfel. She will also be teaching a workshop on Monday, April 9th. Sign-up sheets will be at the next 2 meetings.



Healdsburg Quilt Show - Save the Date - Dee

We will be participating in the 7th Annual Healdsburg Quilt Show on Saturday, March 17. Save the date and join us for a great time. It will be held at the Senior Living Community, 725 Grove Street, Healdsburg. Special guest is usually Julie Silber. I encourage everyone to consider showing a quilt - we can exhibit about 35 - especially new members and new quilters.

OWQ's donated a quilt to the Fort Bragg Library for its raffle to raise funds for a library expansion project. The quilt was made by Stella Regalia, pictured here in the center. On the left is Dan Hess, Fort Bragg Branch Librarian and OWQ President Dee Goodrich.



Ocean Wave Quilters' 2018 Opportunity Quilt
"On The Farm"

DATES TO REMEMBER

February 6 Board Meeting at Senior Center 1:40pm
 11 General Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 25 Sew Sunday anytime from 10am to 4pm

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 11 General Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 21-24 Retreat at Lion's Hall 9am to varies

April 3 Board Meeting at Senior Center 1:40pm
 8 Annual Tea at the Senior Center
 9 Marjan Kluepfel class, Sew 'n Sew 9:30am
 22 Sew Sunday anytime from 10am to 4pm

February Birthdays



2/6 Susan H
 2/8 Sandi
 2/8 Yola
 2/11 Jane
 2/18 Dee
 2/20 Lynne
 2/22 Nancy K
 2/24 Evelyn
 2/27 Kalynn

OWQ Board

Officers:

President: Dee G
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Committee Chairs:

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Checklist for the Meeting

- :: Show and Tell Projects
- :: Name Tag
- :: Potluck Item
- :: Blockette

	Need	Don't need
Wheel Chair Texture quilts 24x36" with Velcro ties	X	
Warm Welcome quilts	X	
Chaplain quilts		X
Knitted baby caps	X	
Pillow Cases	X	
Goody bags	X	
Cat Pads 12" square	X	
Pet Beds	X	