



Ocean Wave Quilters

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September 2018



Message from the President - Cindi Jo

Is Autumn here yet? I can't tell with all of this fog in our way. We're looking forward to our first Sew/Service Sunday this month. Of course you're still welcome to bring your own projects to work on, or you can help the club by making items to donate to our various projects. Many of us will appreciate the time set aside to work together on things we might not otherwise make time to do. Hope to see you for the meeting this Sunday, and Sew/Service Sunday too!

Club Historian - Mary F



I will hand out updated copies of our club's photo directory at Sunday's meeting. We welcome our newest member, Kathy McCormick! And remember - to be included in our club's photo directory, simply see me and smile for a postage stamp-sized pic. This directory is totally on a voluntary basis and is not mandatory and is not posted on the OWQ website.

In addition to our photo directory, The Board has thought of another way to get to know our club members - a short biography of each member. I'll have forms on Sunday for anyone who would like to participate. Biography questions will include: How did you hear about the OWQ club?; When did you join?; When did you start quilting?; Who taught you to quilt/sew/self taught?; What brought you to Mendocino County (born here, retired)?; What did you do before joining the club (family, work, school, travel)? Again, this new project is simply to promote camaraderie, is totally voluntary and would not be published online. Our goal would be to have these interesting biographies in a binder at club general meetings for members to peruse.

And perhaps have a quilter featured each month in the monthly newsletter, with their permission, of course. Bio forms will also be available online soon. See you Sunday!

Quilts for Fire Victims - Sharon L

We are collecting quilts to distribute to fire victims. These quilts can be any size. Bring any quilts you would like to donate to Sunday's meeting.

If you have quilt tops you would like to donate, I would be happy to quilt them, but I ask that you piece the backing. I need a minimum margin of 3" top and bottom and 1 1/2" on each side. If you need fabric for backings, come "shop" in my stash! I've got lots of backing fabric! The club will provide the batting and a label that says "This quilt was made especially for you by the Ocean Wave Quilters...."

Our plan is to take quilts to both Kerrie's Quilting in Lakeport (Kerrie has distributed quilts to fire victims for the past 4 years) and to the Grapevine Quilters of Mendocino County in Ukiah (to whom we donated quilts last year). Both groups have procedures to make sure the quilts go to families that have suffered losses from the fires.

We'll also be making quilts on Sew/Service Sunday on September 23rd. Depending on how many quilts come in prior to that, we may go ahead and send quilts over to Lakeport and Ukiah - the quilts we make on the 23rd will then be held in our closets until needed either for Warm Welcome or Chaplains - or for more fire victims (because, sadly, we know fire season isn't over).

Thank you all for your caring!

Service Committee - Grace, Chair

- 12 quilts and many knitted and crocheted baby hats to the hospital from Judy
- 10 chaplain quilts to the hospital from Sharon L
- 11 pet beds to the Cat Project from Mary

Sew Sunday Dates and activities:

- Sept. 23 Fire Victim Quilts
(Oct. 28 Retreat)
- Nov. 25 Pillow Cases and Pet Beds
- Jan. 27 Texture/Touch Quilts
(Feb. 24 School House- Tina Perry)
- (Mar. 24 Retreat)
- (Apr. 28 Tea)
- May 26 Baby or Chaplain Quilts

Time: 10am until 4pm or any time in between at the Senior Center.

Bring your own sack lunch. Come and join us!
Have Fun and help out our community.

2018-19 Special Events - Paula, Co-Chair

The retreat is coming up October 24th to 27th; it will be held at the Lions Hall on Redwood ST.

Brown Bag sales will also be available at the September meeting. We still have lots of Brown Bag challenge packets to choose from; they are \$5 each. Choose from our not so delightful samples stapled on each bag, and surprise yourself by adding something from your stash that sparks your project and create something special to show off at the tea, and maybe even win a prize. Look forward to seeing you at the meeting. From Christie

Upcoming Guild Shows - Tina P, Education Committee Chair

- Sonora Quilt Show **Sep 14 & 15**
- Harvest Quilt and Fiber Show, Morgan Hill
Sep 22 & 23
- Pacific Flyaway Quilters, Colusa County
Fairgrounds **Oct 6 2018**
- Falling Leaves Quilt Show, Lake County
Fairgrounds **Oct 6 & 7 2018**
- PIQF, Santa Clara **Oct 11 thru Oct 14, 2018**
- McCloud Heritage Quilt Show, McCloud High
School **Oct 13, 2018**

- Ridge Quilters *Lordy, Lordy, we're 40*, Paradise
Oct 20 & 21, 2018
- Beauty on the River, Oroville Piecemakers
Oct 27 & 28

Class Offered at the Gualala Art Center

Surface Design Play Day & Color Pop Quilt with
Instructor Lynn Koolish
Wed, Sept 19th 10am -4pm and Thur, Sept 20th
9:30am-4pm

Quilt Show 2019 - Sherry

Our monthly meetings to prepare for the Quilt Show will begin on Wednesday, Sept. 5 at 10 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church on So. Sanderson St. Thereafter, they will continue on the first Wednesday of each month. Everyone is welcome.

We have made the selections for the Opportunity Quilts for 2019 and 2020.

The 2019 large quilt will be a String quilt and the small quilt will be from a pattern, *Saturday in the Park*.

The 2020 large quilt will be a *Tumbling Nine Patch* and the small quilt will be an Elizabeth Hartman Fox pattern.

The theme for the 2019 Quilt Show is *Magic Dreams* and the theme for 2020 Quilt Show is *2020 Visions*.

Quilt Show at the Willits Center for the Arts - Sharon L

Made in Mendocino 2018 - 20 Quilters will have a public opening reception on Saturday evening, September 1st, from 7-8pm. The show is open Wednesdays through Sundays from 11am to 5pm. The Willits Center for the Arts is on East Commercial Street just off of Main Street by the Noyo Theater.

I'm excited that 3 of my pieces were accepted into the show. When I dropped them off, I got a sneak peek at some of the other entries. OMG! This is going to be an amazing show.

***** Personal *****

From Sandi S: Oak Firewood for Sale: I have dry oak firewood for sale again this year; it was cut in February. You would need to pick it up in your own truck, so I am only asking \$300 for a cord. (Oak firewood usually costs \$400 a cord.) Please contact me before we begin to stack and store what I am keeping for myself.



Sew -n- Sew Etc Newsletter
707-964-4152

FABRIC SALE - Extended

Sew n Sew still has some bolts on sale ! We need to make room because we have so many new fabrics arriving this Fall

Join some of Sew n Sew classes:

Barbara Rowe-Pryde will be teaching the technique for creating a fabric holiday or birthday card. In this class you will complete a 8 x 10 gift card.



Saturday, Sept. 22, 9:30am - 3:30pm

Class fee: \$25

Come learn to create a card that will be a keepsake!



Great color play in this quilt. In this class, Paula will teach you how to become a curve piecing champion. I will be constructing this quilt soon, so come in and see it in person!

Mon-Tues, Oct. 1-2, 9:30am - 4:30pm

Class fee \$35.00 for both days

Come in on Wednesdays to complete the quilt top.

Many New Fabrics! Expanded Notions Wall!



Scissors, rotary cutters, blades and irons

Needles!



Marking Tools & Mending Tapes!



Sew n Sew now has a list going, several people have requested a class on the Market Tote hanging at the entrance.

If you would like to take this class please call so there will be enough students for class.

This class would be great for beginners

Another purse class is coming soon. Cute, stylish, would make a great gift.



To see more visit us on Facebook

Sew -n- Sew Etc. has a new Facebook page, a great place to see new fabric arrivals and classes. Please post pictures of your wonderful creations, too!
www.Facebook.com/SewNSewEtc

Come Sew with us every Wednesday, 3-7pm!

Ocean Wave Quilters	
2018 August Treasurer's Report	
Submitted by Sharon L, Treasurer	
Approved at the 9/4/2018 Board Meeting	
Starting Balance 8/1/2018 \$9,546.47	
EXPENSES	
Classroom rental - Lisa McKissick class	\$100.00
Class fee refund	\$20.00
Lion's Hall - \$400 rest of rental fee; \$500 security deposit (returnable) - for October retreat	\$900.00
Website domain registration	\$18.00
Batting	\$247.63
Tablecloths - QGNQ meeting	\$8.71
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$1,294.34
INCOME	
Dues	\$150.00
Donations	\$110.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$260.00
Ending balance 8/31/2018 \$8,512.13	

DATES TO REMEMBER

September 4 Board Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 9 General Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 23 Sew Sunday anytime from 10am to 4pm
 October 2 Board Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 14 General Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 24-27 Fall Retreat at Lions Hall from 9am to 5pm
 30 Board Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 November 11 General Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
 25 Sew Sunday anytime from 10am to 4pm

September Birthdays



7 Pam S
 19 Betty Rae F
 25 Charlotte S
 27 Lonna O
 29 Karen R

OWQ Board 2018-2019

Officers:

President: Cindi Jo W
 Vice-President: Carole P
 Secretary: Sherry W
 Treasurer: Sharon L
 Communication: Lonna O
 Club Historian: Mary F

Committee Chairs:

Service: Grace V & Dee G **Special Events:** Paula P **Education:** Tina P **Hospitality:** Christie D
Quilt Show Chair: Sherry W



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Checklist for the Meeting (optional)



:: Show & Tell Projects :: Blockette - Butterfly
:: Potluck Item :: Any Items below

Item	Need	Don't need
Wheel Chair Texture quilts		X
Warm Welcome quilts	X	
Chaplain quilts	X	
Newborn baby caps	X	
Pillow Cases	X	
Cat Pads 12" square	X	
Pet Beds		X