



Ocean Wave Quilters

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October 2018



Message from the President - Cindi Jo

Many people claim Autumn as their favorite season. The colors, cooler weather, and warm comfort foods are inviting and cozy. It's the calm before the storm of the sometimes stressful holiday season and the time to decorate with treasured holiday tchotchkes and colorful quilts. It's also a good time to attend a quilt show for inspiration (Lakeport or Santa Clara) and to get some sewing done at the retreat for gifts and just for fun.

We had a great Sew/Service Sunday in September. More than 10 members showed up to sew tops and help sort through a LOAD of fat quarters donated to the club by Susan McKinney of Little River Inn. We have paired those fabrics with simple patterns for you to take and make, then to be given to fire victims or other members of our donation projects. Maybe you need something to work on at the retreat? :) Whatever your favorite time of year may be, Fall probably holds a warm place in every quilter's heart. Buckle down, cozy up, and settle in for a wonderful and productive season. Enjoy!

Club Historian - Mary F

The pictures from the August Picnic at Cindi Jo's have been posted on the website. Check them out.

Please bring your completed biography to the 10/14 meeting. The biography form is posted on the OWQ website and I will also bring blank forms to the meeting. I'll have a binder with completed bios that I have already received. They are fun to read and a great way to learn more about our fellow club members. This project is not obligatory. See you Sunday!



Service Committee - Grace, Chair

- Judy took 0 quilts to the hospital in September because we gave many quilts to the Fire victims. She does need more quilts for Warm Welcome.
- Sharon L reports 47 quilts donated for fire victims in Ukiah and Lakeport areas. No chaplain quilts this month.
- Mary took 5 beds to The Cat Project and 5 beds to The Ark Thrift Shop.

I'm pleased to let you all know that I mailed off another 25 cute little dresses for our Dress A Girl Around the World project. Please bring any finished or even partially finished dresses to the meeting Sunday. Hopefully we will work on the dresses during the retreat. Let us know your thoughts and suggestions for the project at the meeting. See you there, Ginny.

Sew/Service Sunday Dates and activities:

- (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 Street. I will have the sign up sheet for the

Please Wear Your Name Tag to the Meeting On Sunday

Retreat at the next meeting. If you have not volunteered for kitchen duty, please fill in a day. If you have not participated in a retreat please give it a try, even if it is for one day. You can get friendly help with a project or choose to help with a club project!

As always, we will do a potluck lunch each day. Our Taco salad will be for Friday lunch.

The "OWQ Sewing Retreat Packing List" (suggestions for things that you might want to bring to the retreat) that Connie Mitchell originally developed has been updated and is available on the website at oceanwavequilters.com. Click on the *Classes & Retreats* selection in the menu bar on the left.

At our December meeting we will be having a holiday party. As in previous years, you can participate in a secret gift exchange. This is on a voluntary basis. If you would like to participate please email me at Paula@sew-n-sew.com and let me know that you want your name in the draw. The drawing of names will be at OWQ November meeting so there will be some time before December.

Hospitality Committee - Christie, Chair

We have a big raffle basket all wrapped and filled with special goodies for you to bid on at the meeting. Raffle tickets are \$1 each, six for \$5, or your height for \$20.

Also, I will bring the brown bags in case any of you wish to buy one and join the fun of making something out of mystery fabric. Remember the challenge is to add a spark from your stash and create something original. See you at the meeting. Brown Bags are \$5.

Upcoming Guild Shows - Tina P, Education Committee Chair

Pacific Flyaway Quilters, Colusa County
Fairgrounds **Oct 6**

Falling Leaves Quilt Show, Lake County
Fairgrounds **Oct 6 & 7**

PIQF, Santa Clara **Oct 11 thru Oct 14**

McCloud Heritage Quilt Show, McCloud High
School **Oct 13**

41st annual Mountain Heirloom Quilt Fair,
Independence Hall Quilters, Arnold **Oct 19**
Ridge Quilters *Lordy, Lordy, we're 40*, Paradise
Oct 20 & 21

Beauty on the River, Oroville Piecemakers
Oct 27 & 28

River City Quilters Quilt Show, Masonic Hall,
Sacramento **Nov 16th thru Nov 18th**

Also Check out the Mendocino Art Center
Website -- they have 4 different fiber classes
offered in October. See mendocinoartcenter.org

There is also Mendocino Craft Week during
October 5th thru 14th, with a variety of
exhibits and classes; see mendocinocraftweek.com.

And there is a lot going on First Friday this
week; see the listings on
www.mendocinocraftweek.com/fort-braggevents.html

Committees - Cindi Jo

Thanks to all committee members for doing what you do! Things seem to be coming together for activities, education, the quilt show, raffles, service quilts, and whatever else I can't think of. The board members just want to make sure you have what you need, and that your questions are being answered. Has your committee met? Is your chairperson asking for/getting help/input from you? Have you changed your mind and decided not to serve on a committee? Have you let the chairperson know? Please contact your chairperson, or any one of the board if you have any concerns.

Quilt Show 2019, Magic Dreams - Sherry, Chair

Our monthly meetings to prepare for the Quilt Show will continue on the first Wednesday of each month. Everyone is welcome.

The Opportunity Quilts for 2019 and 2020 are:
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.

***** Personals *****

From Paula B: I have been given fabric from a friend who passed. There are some large pieces and a large amount of smaller pieces. I would like to give away to anyone who wants it. They may go through it at my house to take only what they want.

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2018 September Treasurer's Report

Submitted by Sharon L, Treasurer

Approved at the 10/2/2018 Board Meeting

Starting Balance 9/1/2018 \$8,512.13

EXPENSES

Prizes and food for picnic	\$14.14
Deposit correction	\$0.50
Photocopying - blockette of the month	\$3.27
Ann Juell for use of her house	\$50.00
SCCQG - dues and liability insurance	\$267.50
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$335.41

INCOME

Dues	\$81.00
Brown bag sales	\$25.00
Donations	\$275.00
FBQS Repayment of Loan \$200.00	\$200.00
FBQS 50% of Net Profits	\$3,000.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$3,581.00

Ending balance 9/30/2018 \$11,757.72

OWQ General Meeting Agenda

10/14/2018, Redwood Coast Senior Center

- Guests
- Sunshine
- Finance - Sharon L.
- Service - Grace - # of donated quilts for the month
 - Fire Quilts - Sharon L.
 - Fat Quarter Kits - Cindi
- Special Events October Retreat - Paula P
 - Retreat Sign-up Sheet
 - Gift Exchange for Holiday Party
 - Ginny - Dress A Girl Day at Retreat
- Quilt Show - Sherry
 - Opportunity Quilts, etc.
- Hospitality/Name Tag Raffle - Christie - Brown Bag Challenge
- Club Historian - Mary - Member Bio Forms, Website Information
- Education - Tina
 - Upcoming Shows
 - Schoolhouse & Studio Tour sign-ups
- Blockette Raffle/Presentation
- BREAK
- Quarterly Raffle - Christie
- Show and Tell/Announcements

Pacific Textile Arts Fiber Fair and Textile Bazaar

October 6, 2018

10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Website: <http://pacifictextilearts.org>

First Friday, October 5, 5 to 8 pm

Preview Show/Sale in the Pacific Textile Arts Gallery

450 Alger Street, Fort Bragg

(end of Laurel Street, turn left, first house)



Sew -n- Sew Etc
707-964-4152

Sew n Sew has 32 new Grunge colors on their way. We also just received a shipment of Cat-itude fabric-the colors are

Amazing!



DATES TO REMEMBER

- October 2 Board Meeting at Credit Union 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 Credit Union 1:30pm
- November 11 General Meeting at Senior Center 1:30pm
- 25 Sew Sunday anytime from 10am to 4pm
- 27 Board Meeting at Credit Union 1:30pm
- December 9 Holiday Party at Senior Center 1:30pm

October Birthdays



- 23 Jean H
- 23 Sherry
- 30 Cindi Jo
- 31 Norma



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 **Hospitality:** Christie
- Quilt Show Chair:** Sherry



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Checklist for the Meeting (optional)



- :: Show & Tell Projects :: Blockette
- :: 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