

Ocean Wave Quilters

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April 2019 Newsletter

President's Message – Cindi Jo

Last month's general meeting had a great and informative program by Lisa McKissick and we had another fun-filled retreat at the Lion's Hall. So many busy machines, hot irons, pretty colors and delicious food! Becky got lots of help and a great start on the 2020 opportunity quilt. Our next event is the Spring Tea, with an exciting class the following day with Lisa Thorpe. Hope to see you all there!

April Birthdays

2	Paula B
24	Terri
24	Daisy
27	Roseanne



Service – Grace

Mary - I handed over ten pet beds to Second Chance.

Sharon L – No Chaplain quilts distributed.

Sunshine – Marcia

Marcia's Mom, Marge, is in the hospital with a fractured hip. Marge has knitted over 100 baby caps for the hospital nursery for OWQ. A card was sent to her by the OWQ.

2020 Opportunity Quilt – Becky

I want to thank everyone who donated fabric for the opportunity quilt 2020. We got a huge selection. I also want to thank all the lovely ladies who helped strip, piece, press and trim to make all the blocks. They are all in rows and soon to be in columns. Everyone found their 1/4 inch and there was very little unsewing. It was a really great group effort.

Gratefully yours, Becky

Quarterly Raffle Basket – Christie

I am collecting fabric for next year's brown bag challenge, any donations will be much appreciated, also I need to fill a raffle basket in June, so once again I'm looking for items, fabric, anything for that basket.

Quilt Walk Quilts - Sharon L

We would love to have you lend us quilts for this year's Quilt Walk! We are going to ask that you fill out a form for each quilt you are willing to lend so we can plan where quilts will hang. We need about 50 quilts for Merchants (most can take a 20" x 20" quilt; some can take larger). You can make a quilt, contribute a quilt (or quilt block) that you already have or submit a quilt that reflects the show theme of "Magic Dreams". The "Magic Dreams" quilts will be judged on best reflecting the theme and a prize will be awarded! The Library will need 3 large quilts, 60" X 60" with sleeve (the sleeve should be sewn on, but safety pins no farther apart than 2" on both sides of the sleeve will be accepted.) They can also hang 10-12 small quilts. The Hospital will need 9-10 large quilts, with sleeve. All quilts must have your name and the name of the quilt sewn or written onto a fabric label sewn to the quilt back (or written directly on the quilt back). No paper/pins, please. All quilts are due at Sew 'n Sew by May 25 and will be returned in early July. If you have questions, let me know!

Quilt Show – Sherry

Our 2019 Quilt Show is fast approaching at the end of June...yahoo! Do you have a great idea to give for a demonstration on a quilt block, layout, short cut trick or? The Volunteer sign-up sheet will be at the April meeting for all the activities for the Quilt Show. As a reminder, please bring the finished FOX quilt block that Daisy passed out at our February meeting.

FBQS Raffle Baskets 2019 – Bobbie Knapp

The baskets are looking pretty good right now. The themes will be; Spa, Quilt Kit, Sewing Gadgets, Chocolates, Meow, Grandma's, Rainbow Resources, Local Merchants, and Tea. I want to have a couple of male targeted baskets as well. I'm thinking of a "Sports Basket and a "Guy's Night Out Basket". If you have anything that could go into these two baskets, that would be most welcome. I'll be approaching merchants as well. You can bring items to the April, May, or June meetings.

OWQ General Meeting Agenda 4/14/2019

1:30 - Redwood Coast Senior Center

- Guests
- Sunshine
- Finance – Sharon L
- Service – Grace
- Quilt Show – Sherry
- Opp Quilts – Becky and Daisy
- Hospitality/Name Tag
- Club Historian – Mary
- Special Events – Paula P
- Karen @ CRC wants to borrow quilts
- Education – Tina
- Blockette Raffle - Tina/Presentation
- Break
- Show and Tell

Board Members and Committee Chairs -

Please take some time over the next 2 months to read your job descriptions and email suggestions for changes and updates to me by the May meeting. You can find the job descriptions on our website: Go to oceanwavequilters.com, then click on "forms", then "Duties of OWQ Board Members", or "Committees 2018-2019". Also, please suggest how many members you think your committee needs. Thanks! – Cindi

Education – Tina

We are gearing up for our annual tea in April and the class on the next day April 29th still has some spots available. Think about taking advantage of having these remarkable teachers coming to our town to teach us fun and new techniques. Honestly, it is a bargain if you consider how much it costs to travel and take classes elsewhere. Once you see her trunk show at the tea, you will wish you had signed up for this class (so, please do so ahead of time and save yourself a spot and some money). The cost is now \$90 and open to non-members.

*Reminder- Don't forget to bring your blockette and possibly make an extra for our service quilt project. April's Blockette will be presented by Kathy G. Please consider making extra Blockettes for our service project, a different colorway will be chosen by the presenter. We will be constructing these blocks into quilts on May 26th at our monthly Sew Service Sunday. More info to follow next month. Here is the list of presenters for Blockettes for the rest of the year: May-Nancy K, June-Dee, July-Sharon G, August- Marcia, September-Tina, October-Carole, and November-Paula P. We do not have December filled as of yet. Contact me if you would like to present the December Blockette; tinap@mcn.org.

Historian Report – Mary

The pictures from the March Retreat are now posted on the OWQ website for you to see. Also, we have a new additional webpage created called "About Us." There is a short history write up about the OWQ guild and a link to a slide show showing the opportunity quilts for each year dating back to 1993. You may find it interesting.

On the "Forms and Documents" webpage, you can still fill out the Membership Biography form online.

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2019 March Treasurer's Report

Starting balance 3/1/2019 **\$11,288.49**

EXPENSES

Postage - samples back to Lisa Thorpe	\$4.39
Batting	\$251.09
Web site renewal	\$111.00
Lisa McKissick lecture and expenses	\$596.16
Raffle basket prizes	\$15.00
Printer ink for newsletter, etc.	\$106.79
Mola sashing, backing, batting	\$101.00
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$1,185.43

INCOME

Brown bag challenge packets	\$10.00
Quilt Show challenge packets	\$20.00
Raffle basket ticket sales	\$208.00
Lisa Thorpe class	\$150.00
Donation	\$50.00
Donation for 2 baby quilts	\$100.00
Donation for Mola quilt	\$1,000.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$1,538.00

Ending balance 3/31/2019 **\$11,641.06**

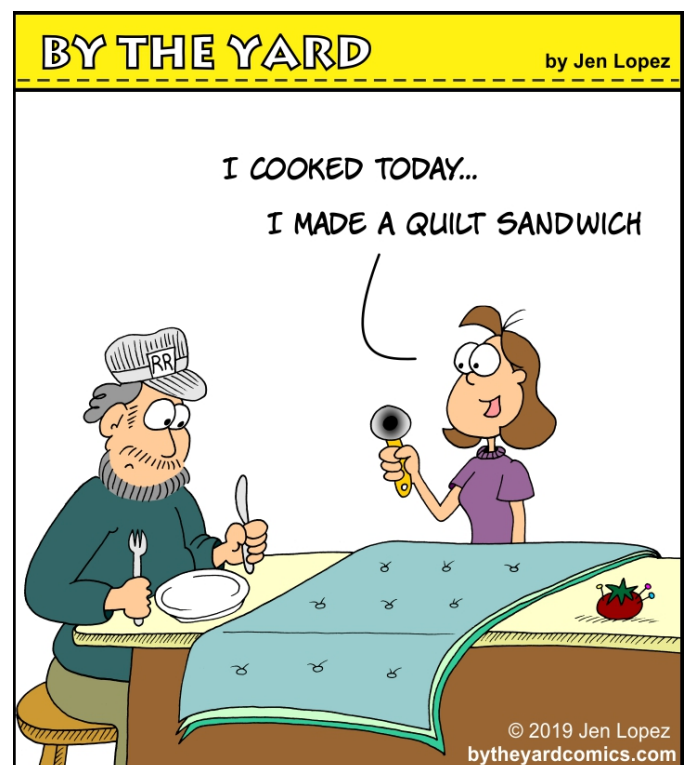
Submitted by Sharon L, Treasurer Approved
at 4/2/19 Board Meeting

Special Events – Paula P

We need a two more hostesses to set up tables at the tea. There will be a sign-up sheet at the April meeting for food. If you know what you would like to bring, tea sandwiches, bite size dessert, fruit, bite size vegetables or other bite size food please email me.

Upcoming quilt shows – Tina

-Foothill Quilters April 6 & 7; foothillquilters.org
-Sun Country Quilters April 6 & 7; suncountryquilters.com
-Monterey Peninsula Quilters April 5, 6, & 7; www.mpqg.org
-Pat Durbin Morris Graves Museum of Art April 20 thru May 26 Eureka; patdurbin.com
-Spring in the Straights May 18 & 19; www.cssquilter.org
-Grapevine Quilters of Ukiah May 4 & 5; ukiahgrapevinequilters.web.com
-Flying Needles Quilt Guild May 18 & 19 Yolo county Fairgrounds; flyingneedlesyolo.org
-Benicia Spring in the Straits Quilt Show May 18 & 19; www.cssquilter.org
-Sisters, Oregon Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show July 13 registration begins Feb. 15. www.sistersoutdoorquiltshow.org
-There is a class being offered in Gualala on April 18, Design for Art Quilts with Liz Berg \$70, 707-884-1138
Also there are many fiber classes offered at the Mendocino Art Center, although they are quite pricey; mendocinoartcenter.org



OWQ Board 2018-2019

President: Cindi Jo W

Vice-President: Carole P

Secretary: Sherry W

Treasurer: Sharon L

Communications: Sharon L

Club Historian: Mary F

Committee Chairs:

Service: Grace V & Dee G Special Events: Paula P Education: Tina P

Hospitality: Christie D Newsletter: Cindi Jo W Quilt Show: Sherry W

Checklist for the Meeting

- **Show & Tell**
- **Food to Share**
- **Blockettes**

	Need	Don't need
Texture quilts	X	
Warm Welcome quilts	X	
Chaplain quilts	X	
Newborn baby caps	X	
Pillow Cases	X	
Cat Pads 12" square	X	
Pet Beds 14" square	X	



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