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CAMARILLO QUILTERS ASSOCIATION
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING
Tuesday, Apr. 11, 2017

CALL TO ORDER – The April, 2017, General Membership Meeting of the Camarillo Quilters Association was called to order by President Thelma Atkinson on Tuesday, Apr. 11, 2017, at 9:30am at the Freedom Center of the Camarillo Airport, 515 Eubanks St., Camarillo, CA 93010. Secretary Sandra Heibert-Darata was present.

WELCOME – Thelma Atkinson welcomed those present.

ANNOUNCEMENTS –

GENERAL – Thelma Atkinson announced that financial and other guild news was posted on the bulletin board. Thelma announced April birthdays and welcomed guests. Thelma reminded members to sign in at membership table and that membership dues was renewable this month and May at a cost of \$35.

LIBRARY - Sue McWaters announced that members could return books to her today or bring them to her at next months meeting.

COMFORT GIVERS – Joyce Antrim-Sos announced members were invited to a volunteer appreciation brunch at the Light House for Women, Friday, Apr. 28, 2017, from 10am-12pm, and to let Joyce know if interested in attending. Joyce announced that there would be a Habitat for Humanity dedication on Jun. 10, 2017, for the last four houses in Santa Paula. Twenty quilts to be given away. Joyce requested volunteers to attend the ceremony/party and hold the quilts. The information will be included in the newsletter. Joyce announced there were 5 to 6 quilts requiring binding.

MISCELLANEOUS - Dalya Decker reminded members that the Cutters meet the 2nd Thursday of the month, from 1-4pm at Leisure Village sewing room in support of selling items at the quilt show boutique. Margaret Booker reported she has several dog beds for volunteers to take to dog shelters.

WORKSHOPS – Diana Herron presented that the Bonnie Hunter workshop is Jun. 12, 2017, at a cost of \$85 for members and \$120 for non-members. Diana further reported that Tina Curran machine appliqué workshop is May 9, 2017, at a cost of \$45 for members and \$70 for non-members.

NEWSLETTER – Lynne Woods announced that members can submit pictures taken during today's meeting/tea to her to put on the website.

APRIL 2017 TEA - Jonal Beck announced that some of the sandwiches made for the Tea were for those that have allergies. Jerry Ann Olgy announced the give away/raffle basket and that there was one free ticket for each member and additional tickets could be purchased for \$1.00 each.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH – Saralee Antrim-Saizan reported 12 blocks of the month were received for April and Nancy Boyce was the winner of the blocks. Saralee reminded members to pick up a block of the month for next month.

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CENTRAL COAST SHOP HOP – Thelma Atkinson announced that this is the last day to purchase a Central Coast Shop Hop passage at a cost of \$365.00. The fare includes the bus trip, visiting nine stores between Ventura and Atascadero, lodging at the Cambria Pines Lodge (double occupancy), and meals. Seven members have signed up to date and 22 are needed. Car pools will be formed if we don't make the busload of 22 people.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS – Gerry Olsen introduced the 2017-2018 Officers, Directors, and Standing Committee Chairs to be voted in and requested nominations from the floor. With no additional nominations made, Gerry made a motion to elect the introduced board members, which was seconded from the floor, and unanimously approved. Gerry has copies available of the list of elected board members and standing rules. The 2017-2018 board members are as follows:

NEW OFFICERS:

President, Thelma Atkinson
Vice President, Sandra Bunker
Secretary, Joyce Turner
Treasurer, Mary Ashby

NEW DIRECTORS:

Membership, Pat Hibner, assisted by Jan Hunter
Workshops, Maria Ring, assisted by Andrea Ramirez
Speaker Contracts, Valorie Zentil, assisted by Laura Divine
Speaker Hospitality, Laura Divine
Ways and Means, Jerry Ann Olgy

NEW STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Communications, Murielle O'Brien
Historian, Phyllis Curlee
Comfort Givers, Sandy Puchlevic
Website, Jennifer Rapacki
Small Groups, Jonal Beck
Library, Sue McWaters
Facilities, Joan Olsen assisted by Gerry Olsen
Quilt Show Queen, Pamuela Hodson
Quilt Show Co-Queen, Sandra Hiebert-Darata
Hospitality, Tricia Steinfeld
Travel, Tricia Steinfeld assisted by Eli Throckmorton
Block of the Month, Jackie Tucker
Newsletter, Lynne Woods

TEA TIME – Board member table hostesses served tea, sandwiches, and sweets to their respective tables. Thelma Atkinson announced the hat contest. Two winners were voted on from each of the best hat categories: Flower; quilt inspired; vintage; best tea themed; and most froufrou. Games were played and a surprise barbershop quartet serenaded the members. There was much fun, good food, and tea!

RAFFLE WINNER - Jerry Ann Olgy announced the winner of the basket, Theresa Perry.

SPEAKER – Thelma Atkinson announced that the speaker and educator for the May General Membership meeting is Tina Curran.

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NEXT GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING - Tuesday, May 9, 2017, at the Pleasant Valley Community Center.

ADJOURNMENT - There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned by Thelma Atkinson at 12:03.

Joyce Turner, Secretary in Training

To be considered for approval by the CQA Board of Directors on May 8, 2017.

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