# Lincoln Modern Quilt Guild February 22, 2022 Meeting - IQM & ZOOM MINUTES

30 members attended the meeting: ZOOM attendance -Charrye Olberding, Katie Honeyman, Phyllis Higley, Rosalind Carr, Jane Austin, Kris Jarchow, Judy Crockett, Mary Sedlak, Pat Modrell, Sarah Maseth, Diane Wilson

The meeting was called to order at 5:31 by Elisa Salas.

The meeting room is going to be undergoing a \$40,000 renovation!

First Friday - Anne Burton print making demo, March 4 Sew Day - March 12 National Quilt Day - March 19

Sheila Green gave lots of details about National Quilt Day (look at handout for details), need lots of volunteers! Raffle Quilt will be at National Quilting Day.

Pay your dues! \$40 in person

What do we do with our quilts? Silent auction a possibility; donating outright; designate the charity that each quilt's funds would go to as a starting point and partner with the organizations that will benefit; is there space to hang them at National Quilt Day; no specific charity that has to be given to but a category of charity - habitat for humanity, Matt Talbots, cedars, friendship home, blood bank

Bonnie Kucera has to resign as treasurer. Make sure you have Wi-Fi! PayPal management is part of it as well.

Binding - on the bottom left hand corner is where the join should be

Carolina Oneto workshop on April 30.

Program - Vicky Skoudas of Lincoln Quilt Guild, bindings and facings, wonderful handouts were provided and great examples of all techniques were demonstrated

Bonnie Kucera - Organizational tips

Raffles - fabric and magnetic pin bowl and book - Zita Schneider Fabric scraps - Rhonda Eddy

Wayne, NE quilt shop closing sale

Show & Tell

Vicky Bedell - Improvisation Braille Bee quilt

Nancy Goff - Bee quilt hexagons Queen of the Garden, Moondance

Sheila Green - quilt on swap quilt, modern meets modern IQM challenge Ride the

Waves, wall hanging - h4h donations

June Pederson - quilt kawandi

Rhonda Eddy - low volume quilt, bias bird pillow cover, inherited squares quilt & placemats

Vicky Skoudas - samples from presentation

MaggieRose Copple - Bright quilt

Betty Miller - Gypsy Housewife, Lily?

Elisa Salas - Collage quilt

Tammy Hensley -

#### **Introduction of Officers:**

Co-Presidents - Elisa Salas & Jeni Kuszak Ehlers Vice President - Lora Yardley Secretary - Tammy Hensley Treasurer - Bonnie Kucera Social Media Director - Jennifer McKitrick

**Membership:** Renew for 2022 at \$40 and invite your friends to join. Speakers are available only to members and are the first to be offered attendance and participation in workshops and retreats.

**Quilt Raffle:** TOM Outburst drawing to be held at the March 28th meeting. Proceeds will go to the LMQG for speakers, workshops, pop-up events, etc.

#### **Announcements**

**Volunteer Recognition:** We want to acknowledge all the work that members contribute to our organization. Try to come up with a special drawing or raffle i.e. - raffle

table, retreat, quiltcon outreach quilt, art market, raffle quilt, holiday party, workshops, speaker, habitat for humanity wall hangings, etc.

**Membership Involvement:** Ideas for what you would like to see for speakers - pop-up workshops, local talent, Tara Faughnan - color design, Emily Woodward Taylor - collage quilter, upcycling/repurposing/sustainability

We really want to utilize the talent that we have within our group. Tom Meyer inquired about uses for really small scraps. Members offered possible uses - for pet beds, (city mission). Possible programs suggested included - LMQG Runway Fashion Show, challenge using quilt top/fabric stash/old neckties we have left aside and recycle into something that we like and would use, taking quilt tops that we're not involve with anymore and incorporating them into new projects - slice them up, dyeing, etc.

National Quilt Day: March 19 - celebrate at IQM from 9 am to 4 pm

Sheila shared a lot of what will be included - national and local shops sponsoring, modern meets modern, quilting in a virtual world, trunk shows, alzheimers, make and takes, circus design techniques, felt needle case, handwork demonstrations, 100 volunteers needed - mid to late February volunteers will get called, flyers have been sent to quilt shops, posted on social media, etc., request flyers from Sheila, modern guild raffle quilt will be there and drawing will be shortly after during our March meeting.

**Sew Day:** Sew Day in person at IQM on March 12th from 10:30 am to 3:00 pm with masks and sewcial distancing

**Next Meeting:** February 22, 2022 in person tentatively at IQM with masks and sewcial distancing

**Quiltcon Outreach Quilt 2022:** "Guilded Lines" has been completed and submitted in December 2021. Thank you to everyone that made blocks!! Also thank you to Elisa Salas for the idea and fabric, Elisa Salas and Mary Dittenber for assembling the quilt top, Janeese Olsson at Calico House for donating backing fabric, Mary Dittenber for donating the batting and quilting, and Sarah Maseth for binding the quilt.

Is at Modern Quilt Guild and will be sent back. Listed at \$350.

**2021 Financial Report:** \$8,820.07 bank balance with rent for the year at IQM paid and deposit on retreat venue paid. Highlights from the financial report include 3 national speakers via Zoom - Cindy Grisdela, Irene Roderick, and Amy Friend. Amy Friend workshop, Christmas party at IQM, and 29 paid members for 2022. Income for the year

was \$5,707.00. Expenses for the year were \$5,478.17 resulting in a net gain of \$228.83. Retreat income totaled \$3,220.00 and expenses were \$2,335.03 resulting in a profit of \$1,336.97. The TOM raffle so far is \$424.00.

Work on expanding membership. People loved the TOM quilt at Art Market!

Program: My Modern Journey by Bonnie Kucera

### Show & Tell:

Vicky Bedell - Bee Braille quilt (Diane Wilson, Nancy Goff, Sheila Green, Jean Cotton)
Elisa Salas - Boriqua Sun (quilted vejigante)
Tom Meyer - Stained glass wall hanging
Mary Dittenber - Triangles quilt
Martha Turner - California quail, Ravens in the desert, Roadrunner, No borders,
Chrysalis no borders
Tom Meyer - Road to California photos

## Closing:

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Tammy Hensley