



# Piecemakers Press

"Blessed are the quilters, for they are the Piecemakers"

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## Pet Lovers, Appliquers, Piecers, and Photography Lovers Needed

We need at least 5 more people to pay for the Nancy S. Brown workshop, Pets In The Garden, that is scheduled for Saturday, January 5, 2019 at Holy Redeemer Lutheran Church in Newark from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm. Nancy's lecture and quilts were thoroughly enjoyed at our October meeting. She is wonderfully talented, funny and generous! Several members have enjoyed her classes, which are suitable for any skill level. She doesn't

require everyone to do applique her preferred way. The Pets In The Garden workshop allows us to create a bird with half portraits of a dog and cat, plus have more time to learn how to create animal quilts from our own photos. This



workshop teaches most of the skills that her Pacific Coast and other animal workshops teach. The sample is so cute! Someone you love would love to have you make it for them. Nancy S. Brown quilts have been juried, shown and ribboned in quilt shows around the country. Please sign up for the class at

our meeting or by contacting Amy Gunnarson. See [www.nancybrownquilts.com](http://www.nancybrownquilts.com) for more information. Colleen Granger will be lecturing us on March 5, 2019 on Playing With Pre-Cuts. If you have jelly rolls, packages of charm squares, or plenty of fabric to make strips and charms, get ready to be inspired and start sewing. Colleen will be showing us quilts and patterns galore with

great enthusiasm. She has several books and multiple patterns that will be available for purchase. On Saturday, March 9, 2019, she will be teaching her Sharing Memories workshop, which uses 4 to 20 photos or focus fabrics with a jelly roll, 2 1/2" strips or a scrap

bag. This pattern is perfect for vacation memories, as well as anniversary, memorial, graduation, and wedding gifts. It's a versatile pattern taught by a seasoned professional quilter. Please sign up for the class at our meeting or by contacting Amy Gunnarson. See [www.sewlittletimequilting.com](http://www.sewlittletimequilting.com) for more information.

## Potluck

Our Annual Potluck at the December meeting should be a festive, tasty event! Please bring a favorite dish to share according to your last name:

**A - H Side Dish**

**I - S Main Dish**

**T - Z Desserts**

Bring any needed serving utensils and enjoy the food and friendship.

*Linda Probst, VP2*

Membership dues are now due. See page 8 for the form, and bring it to the December meeting with a check to Piecemakers Quilt Guild or cash.

*Darlene Cano*

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## PIECEMAKERS CALENDAR

Date	Event	Place	Time
Tuesday Dec 4	Guild Meeting-potluck	Holy Redeemer Church Hall	7:00 pm
Saturday Dec 8	Open Sew	Holy Redeemer Church Hall	9:30-3:30
Saturday, Dec 15	LAFS	Holy Redeemer Church Hall	Noon-10 pm
Tuesday Dec 18	Board Meeting	Holy Redeemer Church Hall	7:00-9:00 pm

### We Have a Winner!

The 2018 Opportunity Quilt has been delivered to Gloria Henne (and her cute little puppy!) Gloria saw our quilt at Alden Lane...and fell in love with it. She bought some raffle tickets for it (the only quilt she did this for)...and Voila! She won it! By the way, Gloria was there because she loves gardening...just happened to be Quilting in the Garden Day!

*Aileen Fox*



### VP2 Ramblings

Thank you so much to Elin Thomas, Diane Crawford, Lisette McBride, Jeanne Flanders, Gwen George and Kathie Murtha for their wonderful presentations at the November meeting. What a bunch of talented and generous presenters! Let our new VP2 know what you would like to see next time around.

*Linda Probst, VP2*

#### Block of the Month Winner Marilyn Nickel



## Show & Tell: New Procedures

In the interest of keeping the Show & Tell portion of our meetings at a manageable length, the Board will be trying various changes/ options at our meetings. The first change will occur at the December meeting. We will not require members to sign in as they wait for a turn to share their accomplishments. Secondly, completed projects for sharing will be limited to two items per person. If a member has two items they can be shown simultaneously with help from the audience. And lastly, members who participate throughout the evening will earn tickets

which will be entered in the "Final Event Of The Evening". Example: Members who return newborn quilts for Community Quilts will earn a ticket for the Final Event. Members who share quilts at Show & Tell will earn a ticket for the Final Event. The Final Event is the drawing for the winning ticket and will go home with a gift card to a local establishment. If you have some ideas or suggestions on how we might increase our members enjoyment, please get a note to me or anyone on the Board.

*Carlene Stoffers*

# Prez: Year In Review--Thank You Very Much

**Piecemakers, thanks to all of you, we've had a wonderful year.** Your presence and all your contributions are valued greatly. It would fill me with joy if I could name every contribution from every member this year, but I'm not capable. I don't know how much each one of you has contributed in hours, quilt tops, donations, kind words, organizing, transporting, event/activity set-up and take down, paperwork, writing, phone calls, meetings, decision making, food preparation, fund raising, teaching, designing, calculating, promoting, and all things quilting related. Immense thanks to all our unofficial crucial helpers! Immeasurable thanks to all our guild leaders who volunteer their time and expertise. Let's review our momentous feats.

We begin with Community Quilts and Newborn Quilts for Highland Hospital. Join me in giving thanks for the grand leadership and tireless volunteering of **Wendey Mueller, Florence Beauchemin, Florence Griffin, Jeanne Flanders, Toni Mathues, Susan Mayfield, Dawn Scott, Elin Thomas, and Evelyn Nodal**, with dependable assistance from our additional 105 guild members. This year, we are giving away 120 quilts to local community service agencies, 10 quilts to Camp Fire survivors, 6 quilts as raffle/auction quilts to local non-profits, 126 newborn quilts, and over 300 baby hats. We

thank these leaders for Retreat-Lites, Ardenwood, Work Parties, cutting batting and binding, creating kits, hauling and sorting supplies, tying and teaching tying, maintaining community contacts, teaching quilting design to children, and creating wonderful opportunities for us to contribute.

Our non-profit status depends on these quilt give-aways and on our teaching and preserving the rich art and history of quilting. In addition to Community Quilts teaching people to tie quilts and other quilting techniques, our vice presidents fulfill this responsibility every month. The Vice President 1 team of **Dawn Scott, Cynthia Kearney, Elin Thomas and I, Cindy Sojourner**, contracted superb Guest Speakers and Teachers. Join me in giving thanks to these leaders for programs and workshops that have taught us about art quilt series, quilt challenges, wedge design, antique quilts, borders, design principles, quilting pebbles, fabric selection, and animal quilt design. Our gratitude goes out to our guests Speakers and Teachers: **Vicki Johnson, Mel Beach, Laura Nownes, Julie Silber, Colleen Pelfrey, Lynn Koolish, Alex Anderson, and Nancy Brown.**

Our Vice President 2, **Linda Probst**, has created amazing opportunities for our expert

quilters to teach us. Over 15 members have shared in teaching quilting skills through demos, classes, mini-trunk shows, and games. We've learned about Broderie-Perse applique, mitered corners, curved binding, English paper piecing, fused applique, guild trivia, crazy quilting, art quilting, challenges, blocks, dying fabric, and more. Please extend your gratitude to Linda and each guild member who has taught you something this year. We thank **Pam Thomas**, our wonderful Block of the Month Instructor. Her directions, encouragement and block choices are perfect. Pam inspires members to create blocks to enter into the monthly raffle. Every month, happy winners take home enough blocks to create a quilt. We offer thanks to **Shirley Froidevaux and Linda Marglon**, who organized numerous demos by members for creating an exciting array of Quilt Show Boutique items.

Our teaching and learning to quilt occurs informally in about 36 annual Open-Sew days too. In addition to 5 Retreat-Lites at Homewood Suites, we enjoy the third Saturday LAFS and Camp Stitches at Holy Redeemer Lutheran Church, plus the Spring Spoolers Retreat and Fall Boo Retreat at the St. Francis Retreat Center. A huge thank you goes to **Community Quilts, Gwen George, Patti Davis, Cynthia Kearney and Dawn Scott** for all their time and devotion in creating these popular events.



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You make it possible for over 50 guild members to enjoy quilting their own projects and finishing lots of UFO's during these glorious uninterrupted hours of quilting with friends and mentors. These events can also include wonderful members volunteering to teach demos and much-loved Mystery Quilts. Additional thanks go to our **Camp Stitches volunteers** for this year's donation drive and sale that raised an impressive \$2100.

Our Legacies of Love Quilt Show is also a means for our teaching quilting to the larger community, plus raising money to help with guild expenses for 2 years. Over 500 paid visitors brought in \$5080. Those guests and our **80 wonderful volunteers** learned about the 150 quilts that we created and displayed. A huge thank you goes to **Elin Thomas and Pat Carlson**, our Co-Chairpeople. They were amazing in their organizing. They assembled a stupendous group of committee chairpersons, who together with the 80 earnest volunteers, created a beautiful Quilt Show. We thank all the Committee and Logistics Chairpeople: **Florence Beauchemin, Darlene Cano, Diane Crawford, Jan Evans-Longo, Kathleen Fennelly, Shirley Froidevaux, Amy Gunnarson, Linda Marglon, Toni Mathues, Susan Mayfield, Marilyn Moss, and Wendy Mueller**. We thank everyone who created a quilt

and volunteered.

We thank our four special exhibit guests at our Quilt Show for teaching guests and members about vintage sewing machines, hand stitching, embroidery and modern art quilts. We thank **Toni Mathues and Florence Beauchemin** for bringing great vendors to our Quilt Show, who provided \$2500 in income and lots of quilting items that we loved buying. We thank **Amy Gunnarson** and her team for creating 44 raffle baskets with over 112 significant donations from local businesses, Bees, and individuals. These raffle baskets raised \$3191. We thank **Shirley Froidevaux and Linda Marglon** and their creative helpers for creating the stunning Boutique at our Quilt Show, which featured hundreds of hand crafted items that raised \$2426.15. We thank **Kaiser Permanente** for giving \$1000, and **Newark Rotary** for \$500. We grossed \$14,697.15. Our net income was \$6537.08. Our year-end financial report contains more detailed financial records.

Our guild depends on monthly meetings, member dues, and many wonderful volunteers. We thank **Darlene Cano**, our Membership Chairperson, for greeting everyone as they sign in and for creating our roster of paid members, which stands at 114. We thank her for creating a

fabulous Tea Party with the assistance of **Shirley Froidevaux** and members who are great bakers. We thank **Elaine Vallecillo-Miller**, our Hospitality Chairperson, for organizing the food and making sure there is punch, coffee and tea to be enjoyed during our breaks at guild meetings. Thank you to everyone who has assisted her and all who brought wonderful sweets, healthy snacks and potluck dishes. You help us mingle and greet one another with happy smiles. We thank **Shirley Froidevaux and Linda Marglon**, our Ways and Means Chairpeople for creating 50 beautiful raffle bags filled with donated fabric, books and notions. They also held special sales with surplus donations. They raised \$837.98 and created glee in all the winners.

Our meetings always end with Show-N-Tell. We thank **Carlene Stoffers** for directing this part of the meeting, which is a favorite time for many members. Thank you Carlene for taking names and for purchasing the gift cards for these raffle winners. Thank you to everyone who has shown a quilt or quilted item. We love seeing finished quilts and hearing a little bit about the art you've created. We learn from all of you. Thank you to our Librarian **Beth Cary** for helping people borrow quilting books that teach every aspect of quilting. A thank you

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goes to our Secret Pal coordinator **Diane Crawford**, who enables people to take home fun gifts throughout the year from secret pals and then creates an exciting reveal time.

Huge thanks go to **Pat Carlson**, our Newsletter Editor, who compiles and formats all our articles and news into a beautiful and accurate newsletter every month. Major thanks go to **Marilyn Moss** for keeping our Webpage up to date and looking good, especially in promoting our Quilt Show. All the hours and expertise to keep everyone informed is appreciated. Thank you to all who contributed to the over 120 articles, plus photos as well. We also want to thank our Sunshine person, **Liz Williams**, who sends cards to our members when they are hurting.

We need to thank **Linda Probst** for leading about a dozen members in creating our 2019 Opportunity Quilt. We thank her for all her beautiful stitching around the applique. We thank **Aileen Fox** for marketing our 2018 Opportunity Quilt and filling in for all the empty slots at PIQF and Quilting in the Garden. We thank Aileen and every member who took the quilt to other guilds. We thank everyone who sold and bought tickets. Our 2018 Opportunity Quilt raised \$1931. We also want to thank **Amy Gunnarson** for organizing the

Niles Railroad Raffle Quilt and about 10 members who helped. This quilt is on the Niles Train of Lights and we will receive half the profits.

All these wonderful activities rely upon the Piecemakers Board members. We oversee everything. We make sure the doors are open, bills are paid, times are coordinated, programs exist, information is communicated, and everyone gets their jobs done. Many of our Board members have been thanked above, but not all. One of our most valuable and critical Board members is our Treasurer **Jan Evans-Longo**. She makes sure our budget, debits and credits, and bank account are all in agreement. She does our banking, pays our bills, reimburses members, does the bookkeeping, and balances the budget. She advises us. She puts in a lot of hours behind the scene and deserves our praise. Let us give thanks to all the Board members for keeping the guild going. Give them thanks for trying to hear, balance and respond to all the desires and needs expressed by members. Our monthly Board meetings are always full of interesting discussion and thoughtful decision making that reflects differing opinions of guild members. It's work. It's an honor. Please thank **Linda Probst, Jan Evans-Longo, Pat Carlson, Darlene Cano, Susan Mayfield, Amy Gunnarson, Wendy Mueller, Carlene Stoffers,**

**Elin Thomas, and me, Cindy Sojourner.**

We have had a great year and accomplished all the above with all volunteers, who all have many other life commitments as well. We are an amazing people learning how to create amazing quilts and friendships together for family, friends and neighbors whom we will never meet!

Hope to see All of You at our December Potluck, Quilt-Giveaway, and Election and Installation of Officers on Tuesday, December 4, 2018 meeting, at 7:00 pm.

Happy Holidays to All,  
*Cindy Sojourner*,  
President

## Newsletter Deadline Friday, December 21

Send articles to  
*Wendey Mueller*  
wendeym@comcast.net

## Spring "Spoolers" Retreat

We all had a great time at the "Boo Retreat", thank you all! We had 25 quilters having a wonderful, productive, fun filled retreat including our "Happy Dance" concluding our stay.

Now it is time to get ready for our "2019 Spoolers Retreat". The dates are Sunday, March 10th -13th, (Wednesday). There are no extra days available but we will still have a blast! The cost is Shared \$360.00 and Private \$465.00. The deposit amount is \$100, to save your spot. Some of you have let me know you are interested so we have a list.

Please send your deposit checks to me/or pay me at the meeting.

Patti Davis  
27844 East 16th Street  
Hayward, California 94544

Sincerely in love with quilting,

*Patti Davis, Dawn Scott  
and Cynthia Kearney*

## December Birthdays

Anita "Kit" Thompson  
Dorothy Cheu  
Marcy Haynes  
Judy McVey  
Alicia Robertson  
Elaine Vallecillo-Miller  
Carlene Stoffers  
Patti Joki  
Jerelyn Leinweber

## Board Nominations

The nominating committee is proposing the following slate of officers for 2019. Before we vote at the December meeting, nominations will be accepted from the floor.

President	Cindy Sojourner
VP 1	Amy Gunnarson
VP 2	Luz Banuelos
Treasurer	Pattie Fretty
Secretary	Darlene Cano
Membership	Laura Rohwedder
Parliamentarian	Darlene Cano
Member at large	Carlene Stoffers
Member at large	Wendey Mueller
Member at large	Sue Mayfield
Member at large	Gwen George

## Secret Pal News

Christmas is coming! Make this month special for your Secret Pal with some special holiday gifts. Our (pot luck) Revealing Party will be on Sunday, January 6th at Noon. Like last year, I'll make up a pot of soup and take care of the plates, tableware, napkins and drinks. Please plan to bring a salad or dessert, along with the appropriate serving utensils for your dish. And please don't forget a thank you gift for the one who has been so graciously giving to you this year.

I'm still taking signups for Secret Pals for 2019. Forms will be available at the meeting. If you took one last month, be sure to return it on Tuesday.

*Diane Crawford*

## Sunshine

Do you know someone who needs cheering up? Call me so that I can express our concern, joy and caring.

*Liz Williams,*  
831-595-2060  
docnw@aol.com



## Donations for Paradise

Community Quilts has some large quilts we plan to give to Camp Fire survivors. If you would like to add a quilt or two of your own (new/large for beds), please bring to the December meeting and we'll see they all get to the communities where they will help those starting over.

*Community Quilts*

### Too Many Unfinished Quilt Tops? Try Marcia's Quilting Service!

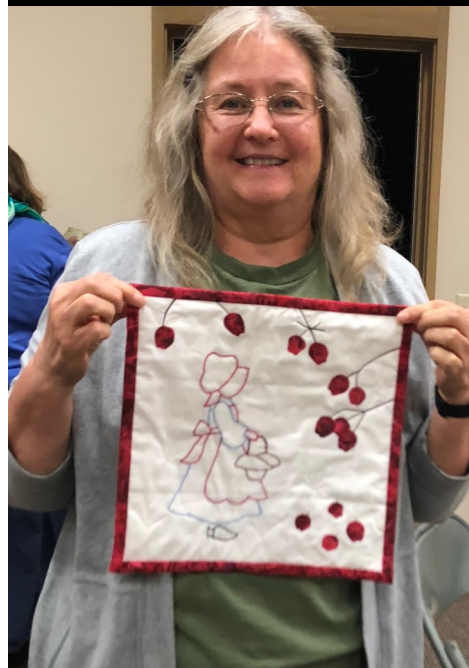
*A basic machine quilting service for the budget minded*

- ◆ Economical -- \$40 minimum
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- ◆ Quality threads
- ◆ Up to 109 inches
- ◆ Satisfaction guaranteed!

### Marcia's Quilting Service

Marcia Burke  
39518 Dorrington Court  
Fremont, CA 94538  
Call **510-709-5909**  
for appointment, drop-off, or free info

## Show and Tell Winner Marilyn Moss



## Ways and Means Winners

Diane Crawford  
Amy Gunnarson  
Barbara Walton  
Chris Montez  
Marilyn Nickel  
Cynthia Kearney

**We raised \$41**

## Local Open Sews

Day	Time	Location	Price	Contact
Monday	9:00 am	Fremont Senior Center 40086 Paseo Padre	free	<a href="https://fremont.gov/351/Senior-Center">https://fremont.gov/351/Senior-Center</a>
Wednesday	10-4	Niles Canyon Mobile Home Park, 711 Old Canyon Rd, Fremont	free	Gwen George



## Please Patronize our Affiliates

<p><b>Color Me Quilts</b>          37495 Niles Blvd          Fremont, CA 94536          510-494-9940          colormequilts.co  <a href="mailto:cmq@colormequilts.co">cmq@colormequilts.co</a></p>	<p><b>Wooden Gate Quilts</b>          125-F Railroad Avenue          Danville, CA 94526          925-837-8458          Cell: 925-963-3104          woodengatequilts.com  <a href="mailto:info@woodengatequilts.com">info@woodengatequilts.com</a></p>	<p><b>Twice Nice Shoppe</b>          Marge Trebotich          41826 Paseo Padre Pkwy          Fremont, CA 94539          510-659-0733  <a href="mailto:tmtreb@sbcglobal.net">tmtreb@sbcglobal.net</a>          Sewing machine accessories,          parts and service Featherweight          sales</p>
<p><b>Marla's Machine Quilting</b>          Marla Monson          4253 Tehama Avenue          Fremont, Ca 94538          Cell: 510-676-7741  <a href="mailto:Kwiltlady@gmail.com">Kwiltlady@gmail.com</a></p>	<p><b>Not Just Quiltz</b>          Nancy Cerna          37831 Niles Blvd          Fremont, CA 94536          510-797-6579          510-552-8721 (Cell)   <a href="mailto:Nancyc@notjustquiltz.com">Nancyc@notjustquiltz.com</a></p>	<p><b>Patti's Quintessential Quilting</b>          Patti Joki          925-484-4629  <a href="mailto:pjoki2@yahoo.com">pjoki2@yahoo.com</a>  <a href="http://www.pattiquilting.com">www.pattiquilting.com</a>          Machine quilting and binding ser-          vices</p>

### Piecemakers Quilt Guild Membership Form

Date:	Birth Month:	For Guild Use Only															
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# Community Quilts Donations for Agency Fundraiser Auctions and Raffles

Marco Perez from Newark Rotary, Florence Griffin, Jeanne Flanders, and Elin Thomasa



Ohlone College Foundation Gala Auction Item



Ohlone College Foundation Golf Tournament Auction Item



San Francisco Region Boy Scouts



San Francisco Region Boy Scouts



SAVE Fundraiser Auction Item



# Piecemakers Board Meeting

November 20, 2018

Attendees: Cindy Sojourner, Jan Longo, Wendy Mueller, Pat Carlson, Darlene Cano, Amy Gunnarson, Carlene Stoffers

Called to order: 7:40 pm

**Newsletter:** Pat had copies made at Staples. Next time she will try submitting the files online. Wendy Mueller has agreed to serve as Newsletter Editor for 2019. The deadline for submitting articles is Friday, November 23.

**President:** Cindy purchased a power cable for the loudspeaker that is used at meetings. Cindy opened the church for LAFS and 5 people attended. Cindy presented board members with gift notebooks to thank them for their service to the guild. We have gotten appreciation for ending guild meetings by 9:00 pm.

**Membership:** Darlene Cano reported that the committee is planning a New Member Tea in January on the same day as LAFS. Darlene is beginning to help Laura Rohwedder prepare to serve as Membership chair.

**Treasurer:** Jan has begun discussing the treasurer's responsibilities with Pattie Fretty, who has agreed to serve as treasurer for 2019. Jan will prepare year-end reports and will support Pattie for the first 2-3 months of 2019. The president, new treasurer and VP 1 will go to the bank to transfer accounts to the new officers. Jan recommends that this take place in early February.

**VP 1:** Amy has already begun taking responsibility for VP 1 duties. Colleen Granger's workshop on making a quilt using photos will take place March 5. Her talk at the March

Guild meeting is titled, "Playing with Precuts." Nancy Brown's workshop, "Pets in the Garden" on appliqué animals is scheduled for January 5. Amy will remind those who have not paid to bring the money to the December 4 guild meeting. Jenny Lyon is scheduled to teach a class on machine quilting on Wednesday, June 5. The cost will be \$65.

**Show and Tell:** In our continuing effort to end meetings by 9:00 pm, we proposed many ideas, and Carlene Stoffers has decided to implement a few changes to Show and Tell procedures: 1. Members who have finished several items during the month are asked to choose a maximum of two items to present at each meeting. 2. We will eliminate the process of signing our names on the Show and Tell list. 3. If a group has all taken a class together or worked on the same kind of project, they should show their quilts all together.

**VP 2:** Linda Probst will write an article for the newsletter to let people know what to bring for the December potluck. The 2019 Opportunity Quilt will be revealed in January at the guild meeting. At that meeting, we will be doing a team activity to brainstorm ideas for challenge quilts.

**Treasurer:** Flash drives were exchanged. The president received Monster 1. The bank balance is \$18,396.99. Jan Longo distributed a Budget Report and a Trial Balance report. Wendy Mueller requested a Profit and Loss statement to be used at the December board meeting

when we discuss the budget for 2019. Cindy asked the board to review the budget before the December meeting to be prepared to discuss the 2019 budget. The storage unit is costing \$285 per month. We need to decide if we want to look for a cheaper one.

**Parliamentarian:** Darlene Cano reported that we still need a Ways and Means chair and someone to market the 2019 opportunity quilt. Vickey Kean and Elaine Vallecito-Miller will chair Hospitality. Volunteers have been identified for all other positions.

**Opportunity Quilt:** The idea of eliminating the Opportunity Quilt as a fundraiser, and possible substituting another activity was discussed.

**Guild Calendar:** Darlene Cano distributed a calendar for 2019. Community Quilts will propose date for Work Parties. The 1st VP will propose workshop dates. Cindy will meet with a church representative in January or February to review the calendar. Community Quilts: Quilts are sorted for donation at the December guild meeting. All of the organizations except Kaiser will be present to accept the quilts. Some larger quilts have been set aside in case there is a need to help victims of California wildfires.

**Niles Railroad Quilt:** The committee members enjoyed riding the train. Raffle tickets purchased by members were the first to go into the container for the drawing.

Adjourned: 9:46 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
*Pat Carlson*



## 2018 Board of Directors

President	Cindy Sojourner	510-461-6507	cindybojourner@gmail.com
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Membership	Darlene Cano	510-793-8786	djcano0389@comcast.net
Parliamentarian	Darlene Cano	510-793-8786	djcano0389@comcast.net
Member @ Large	Sue Mayfield	510-565-5103-C	chuknsu2@yahoo.com
Member @ Large	Amy Gunnarson	301-693-6397	amygunnarsonrn@gmail.com
Member @ Large	Wendey Mueller	510-623-7785-H	wendeym@comcast.net
Member @ Large	Carlene Stoffers	510-386-1592	rcstof@att.net

## 2018 Committee Chairmen

Ardenwood	Toni Mathues	510-785-5836	frankwillis631@comcast.net
Big Sisters	Darlene Cano	510-793-8786	djcano0389@comcast.net
Block of the Month	Pam Thomas	510-887-6757	purplequilts@sbcglobal.net
Camp Stitches	Gwen George	510-461-4662	ggquilter1@gmail.com
Meeting Raffle	Vickey Kean	510-792-4336-H	vkean3@yahoo.com
Community Quilts	Wendey Mueller	510-623-7785-H	wendeym@comcast.net
Newborn Quilts	Evelyn Nodal	510-909-4977-H	enodal0309@gmail.com
Greeter	Pat Carlson		
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	Marcy Haynes	408-261-2305-H	marcyh@aol.com
LAFS	Gwen George	510-461-4662	ggquilter1@gmail.com
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