

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES – MARCH 17, 2026



Barbara Mathews called the meeting to order at 6:04p.m.

WELCOME AND REMINDERS – Barbara Mathews

- Reminded everyone to check in at the kiosk
- Reminded everyone if they brought a finished charity item or food for the Goeske Food Bank, be sure to ask for an extra ticket for the attendance drawing.
- Introduced Janice and Pamela from the Los Angeles African American Quilt Guild.
 - Janice gave a brief overview of their guild, including that they are celebrating their 40th year this year.
- There were no first-time visitors, but Barbara reminded everyone that July will be “Bring a Friend”
- Sign up and pay for Candy Glendening workshop; Saturday, April 25th – 9 to 3 at Victoria Village Clubhouse. Cost \$40
- To buy tickets for Blue Bag drawing, see Pam Waters
- To sign up and pay for Viña Retreat, see Amy Printup
- Opportunity Quilt tickets are available from Janice or Pamela.
- Evie clarified some details of Two Fabric Quilt Challenge
 - Use only 2 fabrics for quilt top (or main fabrics of other projects)
 - Quilt back can be any fabric
 - Binding can be any fabric (it shouldn’t draw attention away from the 2 fabrics in the top)

ANNOUNCEMENTS – Barbara Mathews shared event dates for several other guilds. Details will appear under “Other Guild News” on our website

- Antelope Valley Quilt Guild in Lancaster, May 23-24.
- Orange County Quilt Guild, “Quilts of the Garden”, May 2nd
- Long Beach Modern Quilt Guild, Jelly Roll Race at Los Angeles County Fair in Pomona (May 7-31). Teams of 3 or 4 compete. Individual guilds will keep finished tops to donate to charity. Tentative “race days” are Saturdays, the 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th.

INVITATION TO POTLUCK

PROGRAM

- 3 teams of 6 or 7 participating in a game of Left, Right, Center with fat quarters.

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SHOW AND SHARE

- Barbara Mathews, Patsi Fountaine, Linda Kim, Paula Wilcoxon, Terri Erickson, Shirley Gordon, and Evie Rienstra shared their quilts/projects for all to enjoy.
- Barb Filbin shared a Quilts of Valor quilt top completed by Xiomara Pico.

REMINDERS

- April Potluck – last names beginning with K & L
- 4th Saturday Sew Day – March 28th – Victoria Village
 - In the future, we may only have access to this venue one Saturday a month. Barbara Mathews suggested that it be designated a workshop day; for members to demonstrate a skill or a speaker to hold a workshop for us.
- When asked about a Hoffman tour, Evie indicated there is nothing scheduled at this time.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH – Jeri Read

- Displayed completed blocks
 - Those bringing completed blocks were given a free fat quarter
 - Shared sample of Block 3

ATTENDANCE DRAWING

- Winners – Marjorie Sholes, Lorraine Halverson, and Shirley Gordon

BLUE BAG DRAWING

- Winners – Lucy Holman, Marjorie Sholes, Vickie Mihelich (2), Vangie Gorman (2), Barbara Filbin, and Theresa Ortiz
- Special Door Hanger Kit winner – Katherine Rolletta

ANGIE BAGS

- Rene Phares
- Christine Oliver

Time Meeting Adjourned: 7:37 p.m.

Minutes Submitted by: Barbara Kaiser