



# PINE TREE QUILT GUILD

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## General Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 5, 2021

Online Zoom

**Called to order** at 6:30 pm by Pres. Barbara Ceresa.

**Attendance:** 37 Members

### **Announcements:**

1. Barbara Ceresa wished everyone a warm welcome and Happy New Year and introduced two guests: Ginny Gleason and Diane Wetzel. Ginny shared that she likes having hobbies, but is new to quilting. Her friendships with Jeannie Ferguson and Darlene Saunders brought her to the guild, and she is looking forward to participating in the beginner's classes when gatherings resume. Diane was invited to the meeting by Nancy Holtz and, while new to quilting, she does participate in the Presbyterian Women In Stitches group. Both guests have shown an interest in the guild, and we hope they will become future members.
2. Barbara Ceresa shared that January 2021 resumed full rent payments to the Nevada County Historical Society for the storage and Community Service rooms at the location on GV/NC Highway in Nevada City. She thanked the Historical Society for the generous reductions in rent that were extended to the guild in 2020.
3. Barbara Ceresa announced the cancelation of the 2021 Quilt Show, and reminded members that quilts may be shown at the 2021 County Fair this year and still be accepted into the 2022 Quilt Show.
4. Sophia Day reviewed the work that she and Holly Miner have done to design and launch the new PTQG website that can now be updated in real time by members. She thanked Holly for her design work and thanked the contributions of Jane Dunnington and Sue Haislet, noting that this accomplishment was a team effort that will greatly benefit the membership by providing more up-to-date information available to all while saving the expense of monthly web maintenance fees. President Barbara Ceresa extended a warm thank you to this committee noting the great amount of work that was necessary to make this launch possible.
5. Jean Marie McDonald shared two items of correspondence:
  - a. A thank you from Gold Country Senior Service which received quilts from Community Service.
  - b. A thank you from U.S. Forest Service personnel in Oregon for the gift of masks.
6. Jean Marie McDonald reported that 99 membership renewals for 2021 have been received to date, which is approximately half of the 2020 membership. E-mail reminders will be sent out noting that renewals need to be made by January 15<sup>th</sup> at which time the membership list will be edited. The password-protected 2021

roster will be available on the website and can be printed for member use. A PDF of the list can be requested from Sophia Day.

**SHOW AND TELL:**

Photos from eight members were shown. Best wishes for a Happy New Year, pictures of gifted quilts, wall hangings, tablerunners, and crafty projects were shared. Holly Miner encouraged all members to consider participating in these shows and send photos to her—from projects to pets!

**COMMENTS:**

1. Jane Dunnington thanked Sally Monestier for delivering quilts before Christmas to Ashland, Oregon, where 2800 families lost their homes to wildfires this year. Kathy Biggi and the We Care quilt project provided this gift.
2. Thank you to all for participating in this meeting tonight. The next Zoom general meeting will be Tuesday, February 2, at 6:30. It's Groundhog Day – can you share a quilt that's theme appropriate? The same block over and over?? Good cheer and Happy New Year to all!

**Meeting adjourned** at 7:30 pm by Pres. Barbara Ceresa.

Respectfully Submitted by  
Sheri Doerr

Secretary