



# Knitzy Knitters of the SFV

Minutes of the January 22, 2018, Guild Business and Membership Meetings

Held at the Burbank Police & Fire Department, 200 N. Third St., Burbank, CA 91502

## P E N D I N G   A P P R O V A L

I. **Meeting Call to Order:** President Tammy Takahashi called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m., Monday, January 22, 2018.

### II. Roll Call

#### Members present:

Tammy Takahashi, President	Jacinda Santiago	Rita Smith
Elizabeth Booth, Secretary	Dana (Dee) Wallace	Andrea Smith
Nicole Briggs	Ivy Ramirez	Jeannette Hartman
Anastasia McGee	Sylvia Yochelson	Rachel Pieper Decker
Deb Mobley-Burns	Julie Kornblum	Grant Voorhees

#### Guests:

Diego Juarez Viveros

### III. Approval of minutes:

- A. Approval of the November 2017, business meeting minutes: Elizabeth made the motion, Tammy seconded the motion, and it carried.
- B. Approval of the October 2017, membership meeting minutes: Jeannette made the motion, Sylvia seconded it, and it carried.

### IV. Business Meeting:

- A. Finances Report: Sarah was absent but sent word through Tammy that the account was over by \$150, probably due to a cruise payment.
- B. Newsletter Update: Jeannette has posted the KAL/CAL pattern, is working on the calendar, and welcomes contributions to the newsletter. She also plans to set up a Knitzy Knitters Instagram account. She also asks that when members are at events or doing show and tell, to please stop, hold the work up, but not in front of your face, and smile, as this will provide much better, and more flattering, photos for the newsletter and social media posts.
- C. Member Planet: Nicole would like to make sure everyone has joined on Member Planet because that is where we are handling membership from now on. It makes it much easier to pay your dues online.

## V. Membership Meeting:

### A. Events and Projects

1. Charity Projects: Rachel is hoping to set up meetups on Thursday nights when we are not meeting at Guild Hall to work on Knitted Knockers. All the information about Knitted Knockers is on the Knerdy Knitters website, and she will be sending Meetup invites out soon.
2. Knit- and Crochet-Along: The patterns are on the website and Jacinda brought a KAL sample. Tammy and Anastasia brought CAL samples, and Anastasia recommends using the chart given with the CAL pattern instead of the written instructions. Patterns are free on Ravelry.

The 2018 theme challenge will be literature and books. Make anything in any craft inspired by a favorite book or piece of literature. Must be a member to enter and item, and project must be made in 2018.

3. Guild Hall: Our meetup is set for the first Thursday of February, but we would like to find a new venue due to how noisy and busy Guild Hall has become. Ivy will look into Fuddruckers and Corral Cafe.
4. Cruise Update: The cruise will be June 1-4, leaving at 4:30 p.m. from Long Beach and going to Ensenada. We will return by 8:00 a.m. on Monday. If you plan to go, a \$100 deposit is due immediately with the remainder due on April 1. A bottle of wine is included with each cabin, and there will be a cocktail party for our group.
5. Lace Workshop: The workshop will be January 29 at the Community Service Center building, 150 N. Third St., Burbank. Rita will prop open side door if main doors are not open. \$5 for non-members, free for members. Please bring a copy of the KAL pattern, needles 1 size up than you would usually use for your yarn, and your yarn.
6. Retreat: Deb has been researching options, and we have decided not to go to Ojai due to the natural disasters. It was decided to book Lakeside Manor in Big Bear instead. It is \$402/night with 16 beds, and there are 2 yarn stores in Big Bear.
7. Topdown Sweater Class: Virginia will be teaching this class starting February 22. It is \$25.00 and starts at 7:00 p.m.

### B. Show and Tell:

1. Tammy: Red and gray CAL shawl, which will be made into a bolero.
2. Nicole: Open mesh sleeve for a WIP black sweater.
3. Julie: Finished her 2017 CAL blanket.
4. Rachel: Working on a gray version of the 2018 CAL.
5. Deb: Aqua and purple CAL shawl, Lion Brand Shawl in a Ball crocheted scarf.
6. Anastasia: Finished a fox lovey as a baby gift, working on a green version of the 2018 CAL shawl, and finished the knitted portion of a scarlett and gray scarf.
7. Grant: Working on a gray blanket.
8. Diego: Working on a his own cape design in tapestry crochet.

9. Ivy: Ocean and Sand blanket for her mom.
10. Andrea: Experimenting with yarn she bought at JoAnn's.
11. Rita: Finished 6 charity baby hats, designed a neck warmer using illusion knitting with 3 strands of yarn, including Tshirt material yarn. Working on a cowl in gradated cake yarn in blues.
12. Jacinda: Finished a pink and gray knit baby set, and a crocheted chevron baby blanket in the same colors.
13. Jeannette: Finished a lace and twig stitch scarf. Working on a multi-colored ripple chevron blanket.
14. Dee: Working on a pink march hat and a pink crocheted animal.
15. Elizabeth: Working on test knitting Virginia's striped tunic design.

VI. **Meeting Adjournment.** Tammy adjourned the meeting at 8:58 p.m.

**Next Guild Meeting:**

Monday, February 26, 7-9 p.m. at Police Headquarters, 200 N. 3rd St., Burbank.

Respectfully submitted,  
Elizabeth Booth, Secretary