



Miami County Quilter's Guild

Newsletter

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November Minutes

Opening: President Nancy Hart-Kline called the meetings to order at 10:00 am and 6:35 pm. She read to us from a quote from her National Quilt Museum Book. There were 51 members present in the morning and 27 in the evening. We welcomed several new members. Nancy gave us some corrections for the newsletter. We had income from vendors at our quilt show of \$200.00. This made our show profit \$2,700.00. The 2017 KCRQF boutique total was \$2,369.00 which included \$1,500.00 in t-shirts and cookbooks. These totals did not include our storage units or liability insurance. The minutes were approved. Barb Brown made the morning motion and Jackie McLean seconded. Karen Kiss made the evening motion and Laura Davids seconded.

Member Update: Diane Jennerich had rotator cuff surgery and will be in a sling thru November. Del Jo Broadrick's father passed away last week. Cee Kueser's mom fell and was still in the hospital on meeting day. Cee is now looking into rehab facilities for both of her parents. Mary Siebert is still getting infusions for lymphoma and asked Nancy to tell us all to get regular dermatological checks. Marilyn Barbour-Gray's husband is doing well with his rehab and she is getting the house for ready for his homecoming. Catherine Kane needs continued prayers for her daughter. Please keep Dorothy Challacomb in your thoughts as she deals with cancer again.

1st VP/Membership: Connie Epp reported that she has a list of members who have qualified for free membership. She also reminded the members who will be 80 years old this year that they will receive free membership.

2nd VP/Programs: Diana Cook reminded us that the December meeting is the potluck dinner. It will be on December 6th at 6:00 pm. Everyone is to bring a dish to share. The evening members are in charge of decorations this year.

Treasurer: There is no treasurer's report because the meeting was held before the bank statements were available.

Correspondence: There was no correspondence this month.

Community Service: The children's surgical caps can be brought to the December and January meetings. Twin size quilts for foster children may become an ongoing project. Attached is a form for the Project Warmth.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Thurs. Dec. 6th

Potluck Dinner 6:00pm

Fri. Jan. 4th

Guild Meeting 10am &
6:30pm

Beginning Quilt Classes:
(Held at Community Center)

Jan. 19th – Rail Fence

Jan. 26th – Flying Geese

Feb. 2nd – Half-square

Triangles

Feb. 9th – Drunkards Path

Feb. 23rd – Sashing's and
Borders

December Birthdays

12/03 Pat Lacy

12/04 Linda Rogers

12/04 Pat Thompson

12/08 Connie Spillman

12/12 Wilma Stainbrook

12/16 Erma Bauer

12/21 Michaela Ramsdell

12/26 Lynn Draege

12/26 Carol Glover

Announcements

- Chad announced that there are 9 cultural events at the Community Center before the first of the year. November 16th and 17th is the play, “Yes Virginia, there is a Santa Claus”. Tickets can be purchased in Chad’s office or at the Security Bank.
- Cindy Toburen told us about a “Cash and Carry” Holiday event at the fairgrounds on November 10 from 9-4.
- There is a craft bazaar at Spring Hill on November 3rd.

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Historian: Lonnie Vopat brought the guild scrapbooks for us to look at and help identify people and events. She will also bring them in December.

OLD BUSINESS:

Boutique items: Nancy reminded us to fill out cards when we bring items for the boutique. We are going to try and have a presentation on how to price your items in the near future. She also asked us to bring packing air bubbles to stuff any bags we bring for the boutique. There are patterns available for the boutique items. If there is an address label on the pattern, Nancy wants it back. Go to lazygirlpatterns.com for free patterns.

KCRQF: Jane Drugg reported on the KCRQF. Miniatures are needed for the Wednesday night live auction. They can be any small quilt with no side larger than 24”. Miniature forms are due on April 20th. The class schedule is now posted on the website, kcqrf.com. Early registration for quilt guild members is the first 2 weeks of January. Tickets for the preview night on Wed, June 12th are \$40.00. This includes food, music, and the live auction. Ricky Timms, who is a famous quilter and musician, is giving a concert on Friday night at the White Theater at the Jewish Community Center. Tickets are \$40.00 and there are only 500 seats. Tickets can be purchased on the website. If you are interested in entering a quilt for the showcase challenge, the entry form is due not month (3rd Saturday in December). Judges for the showcase quilts will be the vendors this year.

Beginner Class: We have 25 people signed up for the beginner classes. Mentors are needed. We are going to set up stations to make boutique items for National Quilter’s Day in March. For those that signed up for the class you will be getting a supply list emailed around Thanksgiving. If you don’t receive an email, please email jnrc00@fairpoint.net.

NEW BUSINESS:

Committee Chairmen: Karin McCracken and Cindy Toburen have volunteered for the Block of the Month. Jeanne Ainsworth and Diana Cook volunteered for Hospitality. Regina York and Nancy Hart-Kline volunteered for the scholarship committee. We need 1 more volunteer to help Shasta Reynolds with the budget audit. We need a community service chairperson. We also discussed finding someone to coordinate mentoring for new members. Marilyn Chadler and Jane McLaughlin have volunteered for the morning and Cindy Toburen has volunteered for the evening meeting.

Quilt Show Schedule Ballot: A ballot is attached to the newsletter for upcoming quilt show schedule. Be prepared to vote at the December meeting. If you are unable to attend, please get in touch with Nancy Hart-Kline so everyone can have a say in the decision. Please be aware that the ballot will not determine anything. It would require the formation of a by-laws committee who would then debate the issue and determine if they (the committee) want to propose a bylaw change. We need to follow proper procedure when wanting to make a change.

DOOR PRIZES:

BOM-Chloeann Longgood, Terri Weis and Cindy Toburen.
Door Prize-Sharon Scherman and Ginger Vail.
Name Tag-Laura Pfalzgraff and Christy Bing.
Food Pantry-Ann Werkowitch and Ginger Vail.

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Birthdays were read. Don't forget to get your fat quarter in your birthday month!

Motion for adjournment was made by Kathy Nicholson in the morning and Cheryl Sigel in the evening. 2nds were by Donna Overbay and Kristen Hensley.

Today's program was given by Barb Eickmeier.

Show and Tell followed the program.

Jenny from Little Red Hen had a gentleman contact her from Lakemary. They have a resident who tears up her clothing and they are needing someone to point them in the right direction of who can fix the clothing. There is about 6 or 7 bags. If anyone is able to help, his name is Duane Perkins and his contact is 913-490-8380.

