

Upcoming Events:

Jan 4- Guild mtg

**Program-Trunk show by
Teresa and David Duwe**

**Jan 13 9a-2p ish Beginner class
starts**

Feb 1-Guild mtg

**Program-Bring unfinished
project (UFO) to share and plan
to finish in time for Sept. show**

March 7- Guild mtg

April 4- Guild mtg

**April 20-22 – Spring Quilt
Retreat**

May 2- Guild mtg



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MQQG Dec. 7, 2023 Minutes

Approximately 40 gathered for our annual Holiday Potluck.

Updates: Heather Christie is due with baby boy in March; Michelle Kueser is a grandma, Michelle Pixler's son Cody is finally able to walk again after cancer and surgery; Shelli Ramsdell's partner, Fred, was recently diagnosed with late stage cancer and is battling it; Shasta Reynolds (former member) had surgery to remove several cancerous tumors in her brain and will start further treatment soon.

Minutes from Nov. were approved with a motion from Marilyn Barbour-Grey and second by Jackie McLean.

Treasurer's report: Cee Kueser reported that our rent for Paola Com. Center will stay the same next yr and that the total in the bank (all accts) is \$18, 619.53. The report accepted with motion by Joyce Geiger and 2 nd by Connie Epp.

Program: Jan. program will be Teresa and David Duwe presenting a trunk show. Feb. program is for all members to bring an Unfinished Project (UFO) to share and plan to finish in time for the Sept. show.

Ginger Vail reports giving out 2 disaster quilts recently, in addition to one in Sept.

Joyce Geiger asked for signup for Paola Libraray display (max. 47-48" width) and Jerri Hefling asked for signup for the Extension Center (large quilts fine). Both need hanging sleeves.

Beginner classes start Jan. 13 (9-2ish). Terri Couture reports a full class with a couple on wait list and asked members to come to classes to mentor. Classes will be fore 6 weeks (Sat.).

Birthdays

01/02 Ginger Vail
01/03 Jackie Jarvis
01/03 Torrance Prigel
01/04 Kelly Stewart
01/12 Janna Renner
01/13 Patricia Noel
01/14 Beth Dawson
01/14 Joyce Geiger
01/15 Christine Ertz
01/15 Donnie Johnson
01/16 Susan Scott
01/17 Dianna Cook
01/18 Sue Pierce
01/19 Brenda Mosley
01/20 Mary Buchman
01/22 Ibbby Burgin
01/27 Diane Burnett
01/27 Branda Jenkins
01/27 Teri Skelton
01/28 Geri Harlow

Karen Ulanski reminded of the April 20-22 Spring Quilt Retreat at Tall Oaks, Linwood, KS. Total is \$217.15 and your deposit (\$100) need to be sent to Karen at the MCQG PO box SOON! (deadline Dec. 15)

Meeting was adjourned by motion from Michelle Pixler and 2 nd by Carol Vandenberg.

BOM—Connie Epp

Door Prize—Ginger Vail

Name Tag—Chris Wheaton

Food Pantry—Jackie McLean

Respectfully submitted,

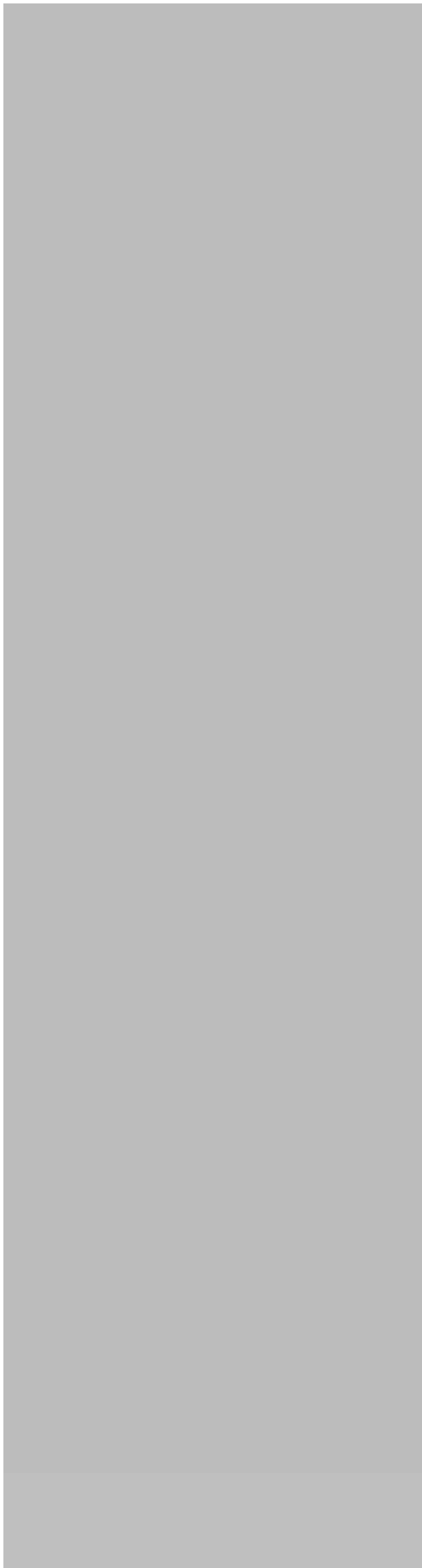
Nancy Hart-Kline, Secretary

Quilts on display at Paola
Library:

Contact Joyce Geiger

Quilts on display at the
Extension Office

Contact: Jerri Hefling



































































November 2023

Minutes: October 5, 2023

The meeting was called to order in the morning by President Regina York and in the evening by Laura Davids, evening president. There were 39 members in the morning with 3 guests. & 20 members in the evening with 2 guests.

Member Updates: Cindy Toburen has one more chemo session. Sondra Lewis is in a nursing home in Wichita and is doing well. Elaine Elliot is home and recovering from her stroke. Donna Overbay has had a stroke. Verna's memorial service will be at the Paola Methodist Church on October 21, at 10:30.

Diane Burnett moved and Cee Kueser seconded that the minutes be approved as written. The motion passed in the morning. & in the evening, Jackie McLean moved and Ginger Vail seconded – motion passed.

A member of the Ottawa Guild sent a message of condolences following the passing of Verna Garrett.

Treasurer's report indicated a net income in October, of \$10131.21 mostly from the KCRQF check. At the Show, boutique made \$1300; the silent auction made \$874; the raffle baskets made \$928. Overall, the Opportunity Quilt made \$2162. In the evening, a motion was made to accept the Treasurer's report by Richelle Parks and seconded by Brenda Craig. The motion carried.

Upcoming Programs: This Saturday, Reeze Hanson, today's speaker, will teach a workshop on the Applecore. At the end of the month, there will be a workshop about turning a sweatshirt into a quilted jacket. December will be our potluck with both the morning and evening groups.

Block of the Month will be taken by Jane Drugg again next year. November's block will be in fall colors.

Branda Jenkins won the drawing in the morning & the evening.

Quilt Show Summary:

Seats are filled for positions at next year's show.

Branda has volunteered to take the lead again next year.

Kathy Halvenka shared the 12 categories for next year's show:

Baby, Wall hanging, Art quilt, Beginner – must be quilting less than 2 years, Miniature – smaller than 24 inches on all sides; Applique; Mixed techniques; Pieced – size small to medium; Pieced – size large to extra-large;

Solo quilt – I did it all by myself;

Other items – pillow, tuffet, tree skirt, jacket, basket, rug, etc.

Found and finished – any quilt top that you found, bought, was given to you AND you finished.

There was audience praise for the show and Branda's leadership.

Slate of new 2024 officers:

Evening president- Jackie McLean

VP Membership AM – Lorna McCrea

VP Membership PM – Laura Davids

VP Programs – Cindy Toburen and Helen Kennon

Secretary PM – Rebecca Potter

Branda Jenkins volunteered to be the greeter for next year.

October birthdays were read.

The Beginning Quilt Class will start on January 13. Fourteen people are signed up. Please consider being a helper so that participants can get all the help they need.

There are some tee shirts already paid for that have not been picked up yet. Donna and Violet can still make shirts and sweatshirts with our label on them.

Name tag – AM Judy Walker: PM Richelle Parks

Door Prize – AM Karen Kiss: PM Patience Parks

Food Pantry – AM & PM Branda Jenkins

In the morning, Joyce Geiger moved and Lana McRae seconded that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried. & in the evening, Cee Kueser moved and Jackie McLean seconded for adjournment.

After show and tell and a short break, Reeze Hanson presented a program “Color for Quilters”.

Respectfully Submitted by

Pam Pearson, Secretary AM

Rebecca Potter, Sub for PM

