

NCW QUILT GUILD GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, June 30, 2010 – Masonic Center

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President, Lori Kutch with Secretary, Donna Rankin being present.

- ✓ We welcomed 4 guests. Representatives of four of the sponsors who signed on for the Preview Party portion of our annual Quilt Show.- See Attachments
- ✓ Sally Hinkle was welcomed as she rejoined our Quilt Guild.
- ✓ “The Blessings Basket” was passed and several shared blessings.
- ✓ June Birthdays were recognized with gifts of fat quarters.

Scholarship Fund: Pattie Stith explained the proposed changes to the criteria for applicants. The object is to provide expanded opportunity to apply. A special Board Meeting will be held July 12, 6:30 pm at the center for people who wish to discuss or provide input. This amendment will be put to a vote at the August meeting.

Minutes: Ann Beckman moved and Val Savina seconded to approve as presented. NOTE: Future Minutes will be posted on the website. This will give members more opportunity to read them. Dates and details of upcoming events are in the Minutes. Only a few copies will be available at the membership table for those who do not have internet access.

Program:

Val introduced Martha Steinborn who gave a video presentation of our library and how to use it. . Martha and her committee, Ann Baye, Caroline Peterson, Linda Riesterer and Sue Buchanan went through all of the books – categorized them and posted them to a site on the internet. We are now able to review what’s in the library and have one of them bring a book to our next meeting. Thank you to these ladies for their time and effort. Visit the website at <http://www.librarything.com/> Name: Ncwquiltguild, password is fatquarter. USE IT OR LOSE IT!

Show and Tell:

Reminders/Announcements:

- ✓ We still need an Election Committee to seek out people for office in 2011. Lori explained what this group does and again requested volunteers for the Budget Committee.
- ✓ If you can make 3” or 4” square awards for the Quilt Show, please turn them in to Donna Rankin. Awards must be bound. We still need a few more awards for the quilt show.
- ✓ The Final clue for the Mystery Quilt for the Kimberly Einmo quilt was emailed today, June 29.

Committee Reports:

Comfort Quilts:

- ✓ Ann received a call from someone wanting to donate a 1957 Kenmore Sewing Machine to someone. Any ideas, call Ann.
- ✓ Raffle Blocks were for Comfort Quilts so there was no drawing. Those who participated were able to choose a fat quarter as thanks.
- ✓ One Quilt was given to Mary Maxey this month.
- ✓ The Round Robin Challenge judging will be at the August Meeting. First place will be first in line at our November potluck!
- ✓ Ann is still accepting children’s’ quilts for the Women’s Resource Center.

Quilt Show: Jill Therriault and Terry Hunter. Jill shared info:

- ✓ The breakfast for local business owners resulted in signups to sponsor our Quilt Show for a total of \$5,300.00. A listing is attached and representatives from 4 of those sponsors are here with us tonight. REMEMBER to support those business' that support our Guild and its efforts!
- ✓ Entries forms for the Quilt Show are available.
- ✓ Car Show – June 26, 27. There was \$131.00 in ticket sales at the show.
- ✓ Pick up your raffle tickets tonight. They are in packets of \$25.00.
- ✓ Preview Party Quilts for the Silent Auction are coming along; they look good and there's a great variety.
- ✓ The Merchant Mall is full! There are 18 participants.
- ✓ Bookmarks are available – if you are traveling to other quilting areas, take some to leave at other shops. THANK YOU to the Attic Window for sponsoring and placing a coupon on the bottom of each bookmark...—25%.
- ✓ Quilt blocks for the Largest Quilt are doing well also. Call if you'd like to help or pick up some blocks here tonight.
- ✓ The Leavenworth Quilt Show, September 10, 11 and 12. There will be an area set aside to sew blocks for the largest quilt at the show – so if you can help, CALL 663-9165.
- ✓ Shop Hop is 9/30, 10/1 and 10/2. We need a few volunteers from the Guild to be on hand at the Attic Window to sell raffle tickets for the Quilt Show. The staff will be very busy with customers from the Shop Hop so help is needed.

Programs:

August Program will be a presentation by Kimberly Einmo. NOTE: Kimberly will also teach two classes at the Attic Window. August 27 and 28. Contact the Attic Window for details or visit the website. There are two different patterns available and she will teach a different one each day.

September Program is the Hoffman Trunk Show. Don't miss it!

October Program is Jannilou Creations. There will be a presentation at the Guild meeting in the evening. There are also two classes being taught on Judy Niemeyer techniques/patterns. Each class is \$40/ or both for \$75.00. We have seen quilt samples at a previous meeting. **NOTE: Wear your nametag to the August meeting. The drawing will be for free classes at this event. ALSO, with the August meeting, if classes are not full – other shop areas will be invited to participate!**

Charm Squares: This month 12/5" squares are orange. August meeting, squares are turquoise.

Special Board Meeting – July 12, 6:30 pm.

Next Guild Meeting, August 25.

The Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully,

Donna Rankin
Secretary