Sagebrush Quilt Guild Feb 10, 2025

Call to order: 7:00 pm

Motion to approve January 27, 2025 minutes as emailed on Feb 6, 2025.

Motioned by: Julie O Seconded by: Elizabeth B

Approved

Membership-Ger-Lou

Number of members present tonight: 50

Executive Meeting Update- Andrea S

In reviewing old documents, Andrea was able to definitely establish the age of the guild. Guild started in 1985/86 with 12 members. November 13, 2026 minutes say they celebrated 20 years, therefore, November 2026 will be our official 40th year.

Fundraising- in order to make grant applications easier in the future we will start tracking volunteer hours and donations. A form will be included with quilt kits so you can record your volunteer hours and then everyone's volunteer hours will be tracked by one person. Vicki M has offered to maintain a guild spreadsheet.

Sam Alberts contacted Andrea S to see if our guild was interested in having her do a presentation on Thursday April 24, 2025. The fee for her presentation is \$350, plus \$200 fee to cover her travel cost. The cost to return the church is \$55. Sam is an expert long-arm quilter from Grand Fork, BC. The total cost would be divided by participants. An email will be sent out asking anyone interested to attending to let Tanya K know.

Nominating Committee- members are required to form a nominating committee or stand for any of the positions becoming vacant. The positions available are President, Secretary, Vice-President, Library(Mona could stay on a helper), Program (Leanne and Susan will stay on as helpers), Membership, Website (Leslie P is looking for someone who is more website proficient, otherwise she is willing to stay on.) Let Andrea S know if you would like to help!

From the Floor- announcements and reminders

• Lynda M- Quilts for Katherine's Place update.

Lynda thanked everyone who supported making quilts for Katherine's place. Over 100+ quilts have been donated and 6 on the go! There will be 39 residents and they are scheduled to move in March 1, 2026. The rooms are small and the quilts really help brighten them up. If you have any hangers, pictures or wall decorations you would like to donate, please let Lynda know.

Judy N- Binding Challenge for Quilts for Survivors (of Residential Schools)

Quilt Canada now needs binding for all the quilts that came in last year and Judy N has volunteered to collect our 2 ½ inch binding strips and join them all together. Paulette E has offered to take them to Quilt Canada in June. These binding strips can scrappy but must be 2 ½ inches wide, and made with a diagonal seam. Please bring your binding strips to the Feb 24th meeting and give to Judy N.

• PEI small item exchange- Andrea

Please hand in your items to Jan W after the group photo. Jan W is keeping track of who handed each item.

CanGo Grannies Tea- Elizabeth B

On April 5, 2025 the CanGo Grannies Formal tea is being held at Southwest Community Church, located on Hugh Allan Drive. Tickets are \$35 and can be purchased from Elizabeth B. Door open at 12:30, tea served at 1:30 pm. There will be music, live and silent auctions, pre-loved jewelry and magic show! Money raised will go to the Stephen Lewis Foundation's.

• Community Projects- Bev B

Tuesday, February 11, 2025 community project sew day at Hills of Peace Lutheran Church, located at 695 Robson Drive, 9:30-1:30 pm. Everyone welcomed. Bring your own sewing machine and supplies. Kits will be provided.

• KSV sew days- Doreen F

February 22, 2025, 9 am- 9 pm our next sew day. More details will follow closer to date(as usual)

April 26, 2025, during our quilt day at KSV, we will be having a 'quilt show and tell' for the residents from 2-3 pm.

• Block Lotto- Tanja W

The winner for the January Block Lotto was Tanya W. Tanya W is the now the organizer for February. For the February Block Lotto Tanya has selected 'Squares upon Squares.' The pattern and color scheme will be sent out shortly. The Lotto will be held on February 24th. You will get one entry for each block you submit. The winner takes all the blocks and get to choose next month's block.

• Dog Beds- Leslie B

446 dog beds were donated to the Humane Society

Program- Leanne S

• Guest speaker and presenter- Michelle Z 'Improv' quilts

Michelle used the free quilt pattern 'Jumbled' by freespiritfabrics.com for her improv quilt. For help on selecting fabric she gave some great advice and also referred to Jen Kingwell's YouTube video.

 Next week's presentation will be from Judy N – Scrappy Quilts 	
Show and Share-	
Thank you to everyone who showed some of their quilts and other quilt projects!	
Meeting Adjourned at 8:50pm	
Donna F	
Secretary	Date of approval

Thank you Michelle Z for your excellent presentation!

DATES TO REMEMBER-Please review regularly as dates are added as whenever new events are scheduled.

- Feb 22 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Feb 24 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm 1136 6th Ave
- Mar 10 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- Mar 11 Community Projects Sew Day, Lutheran Church 9:30-1:30
- Mar 12-16 Spring Guild Retreat @Sorrentro Centre
- Mar 24 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 6 pm 8 pm Guild Member Shopping night at Fabricland.
- Mar 29 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Apr 8 Community Projects Sew Day, Lutheran Church 9:30-1:30
- Apr 14 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- Apr 26 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Apr 28 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- May 12 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- May 13 Community Projects Sew Day, Lutheran Church 9:30-1:30
- May 26 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- May 31 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Jun 9 Sagebrush Quilters Guild AGM Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- Jun 10 Community Projects Sew Day, Lutheran Church 9:30-1:30
- Jun 21 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Jul 26 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Aug 23 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Sep 8 Welcome Back meeting
- Sep 15 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- Sep 27 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Oct 13 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- Oct 25 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- Oct 27 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- Oct 29-Nov 2 Fall Guild Retreat @Sorrento Center
- Nov 10 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- Nov 24 Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave
- Nov 29 KSV Sew Day @Kamloops Seniors Village 9 am to 9 pm member pay
- $\mbox{Dec 8}$ Sagebrush Quilters Guild Meeting. 7 pm to 9 pm. 1136 6th Ave