

Sagebrush Quilters' Guild Meeting Minutes - October 9, 2023

Monday October 9, 2023

Meeting called to order at 7:04 pm

Motion to approve Sept 25th minutes as emailed: Margaret S-S:

Seconded by: Sandy C.



Old Business

- The question was asked, is Melissa Neubauer collecting quilts, fabric, batting, pillowcases, etc. for the Skwlax community as well as the Shuswap and Adams Lake wildfire victims? The answer is yes.
- Sue O has agreed to pass them on for us.
- Maureen T has generously offered to quilt some tops for anyone wanting to donate a smaller quilt to the fire victims, provided batting and backing are included. Owner of the top will also be responsible for the binding.

New Business

Quilt Show:

Marg J reported Merchant Mall is now full.

Guild Business: We had a quorum.

Lynda M handed out the Operating Budget report. One correction to the date should be July 1, 2023- June 30, 2024. Budget will be attached to these minutes, but the budget details will be omitted from the minutes which are posted to the website.

Before presenting the budget, Lynda reported that the guild has sufficient funds in the bank to support the budget.

Motion to approve the Sagebrush Quilters' Guild operating Budget for July 1, 2023- June 30, 2024 was made by Glenna M, seconded by Bev B, all approved.

Membership:

- 26 members in attendance; 1 guest
- By the end of the meeting guild membership totaled 59 members.

Community Quilts:

- 30 quilts were donated to the Hospital's Cancer Clinic this month.
- Oct 11 - Community Quilts Sew Day @ Katja's - 10 am to 4 pm

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Workshop:

Westalee Ruler class on October 21, 2023 is full so Donna F has started a waitlist for a second class. If you are interested in taking this class please email Donna F to get your name on the waitlist.

Library :

Mona H is interested in knowing what books you might like ordered for the Guild Library.

From the Floor:

- Leanne S works at Fabric Land. Her manager Billie asked if the Guild was interested in a shopping night in November. Members decided **Tuesday November 14, 2023 6- 8pm** was best.
- Sandy M is organizing Zoom meetings the 1st and 3rd Monday evening of each month, 7-7:40 pm. She welcomes all members to join in. These meetings are great for socializing and also excellent preparation for the upcoming Wonderfil Thread Education Zoom meeting in January.
- Quilt Canada has announced its lineup of teachers for the June 19-22, 2024 Show to be held in Edmonton.
- Benartex is offering a Virtual Fabric Show online on Oct 17, 2023. Free to register.

Program:

- Leanne S thanked everyone for putting their program ideas on her sign up sheet at the first meeting. Now she needs groups to choose their preferred dates. The sheet is filling up so contact Leanne to book the night of your choice before it is taken.
- She will provide any supplies you might need and will be your support.
- Oct 23rd meeting Tanya K. (new member!) will be demonstrating bookmaking.

Leanne S did a felting demonstration. Felting supplies can be purchased at Fabric Land. A felting kit will be also available for sign out from our library.

Block Lotto:

Anne D is the organizer for October. The block Anne chose is the Box Quilt block, the pattern can be found on www.quilterscache.com. Please bring your completed block(s) to the next meeting for a chance to be entered in the draw.

The 1st meeting of the month the organizer brings samples in of the block, and the 2nd meeting is for everyone to bring in their finished blocks and enter the draw. The winner of the draw goes home with all the finished blocks and is the organizer for the following month.

President's Program:

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Andrea S asked for a show of hands as to how many were making Mug Rugs that will be sent to the Kindred Spirits Guild in PEI, as part of an exchange. If you are making one, please bring your Mug Rug to the next meeting. They can be any size 8X8, 6x8, etc. It would also be nice if you included a personal note. The goal is to send about 20 from here.

Hospitality:

- Thank you to Bev M. For tonight's goodies, even though she could attend herself.
- There are still a few meetings with no one signed up to bring in goodies. If you are interested in doing that, please contact Lynda M.
- Carole C. And Tanja W. Have signed up to bring goodies for the Oct 23rd meeting.

Retreat:

Doreen F announced that there are some last minute openings available for this fall's retreat in Sorrento. November 1-5. Please contact Doreen F if you are interested.

Show and Tell:

Several members showed their impressive works of art.

Monica W volunteered to take photos and they will be posted on our website.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 pm.

Secretary: Donna Fleury

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Oct 11 - Community Quilts (Cancer) Sew Day - @ Katja's - 10 am to 4 pm

Oct 16 - Zoom Social Meeting - @ 7:00 pm

Oct 21 - Workshop (Westalee Rulers) - @ Katja's

Oct 22 - KSV Sew Day @ Kamloops Seniors Village - 9 am to 9 pm

Oct 23 - Constitution & Bylaws Vote - @ guild meeting

Oct 23 - Mug Rugs Due - @ guild meeting

Nov 1 - Guild Sew Day - @ Katja's - 10 am to 4 pm.

Nov 3 - Sew Day (Katherine's Place) - @ Katja's 10 am to 4 pm

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Nov 1-5 - Retreat - @ Sorrento

Nov 8 - Community Quilts (Cancer) Sew Day - @ Katja's - 10 am to 4 pm

Nov 14 - Members Shopping Night at Fabricland - 6- 8pm TUESDAY

Nov 27 - Raffle Quilt Ticket Distribution

Dec 1 - Sew Day (Katherine's Place) - @ Katja's 10 am to 4 pm

Dec 9 - QTYW - @ Japanese Cultural Center - 9 am to 9 pm

Dec 13 - Last meeting of 2023