

Covington Quilters Guild

General Meeting Minutes
July 5th, 2012

Business Items:

The meeting was opened at 7 pm, by **Sandy Bruce** who welcomed everyone and the meeting was started.

Sandy Bruce introduced the existing board and herself as the interim President. **Sandy** also introduced the rest of the Board members as Debi Mashak-VP, Carolyn Carnahan-Treasurer & Cheryl George-Secretary.

Sandy Bruce also thanked **Roxie Rahl** for her work as the President before she had to step down. **Sandy** thanked **Roxie** for her creativity and for taking on the role as President right before Quilt Show.

Erica Plank gave her presentation. Thank you for joining us **Erica**! The presentation was wonderful!!

Joanne Lee moved to approve the minutes and **Jenni Gould** seconded the motion.

The interim budget was presented for the next 6 months. **Kathy Trovesi** motioned to accept the budget, **Rita Haselman** seconded and the rest of the membership voted and approved the budget as a whole. If you have any questions, please speak with **Carolyn Carnahan**.

Carole Miller stood and spoke regarding the approval of the money for the totes. The reason behind why the totes were approved was explained to the membership by **Lori George**. Several members spoke up about their overall feelings regarding the Guild as a whole. Issues such as the bi-laws and overall happiness were brought up. Members would like to see the Guild go back to the way it used to be.

Sharon Yeaman is going to do the yearly financial review. Please contact her if you would like to assist.

Badge Prize Winner: **Kimberly Wood**

Upcoming Guild Meeting events:

Aug: Quilt Show De-Brief

Sept: **Rebecca Anderson** speaking on finishing UFO's. We will be having a competition with the UFO's. **Sandy Bruce** handed out a contract agreement and there will be 3 prizes awarded for the most UFO's completed, the oldest finished UFO and the most UFO's donated to HUGS or Take me Home Quilts.

Misc Items:

The next board meeting is Wed 7/25/12 at the Black Diamond Library from 7:00-9:00.

Victoria Jonas announced that we are selling raffle tickets Saturday, 7-7-12, at the Maple Valley Farmers Market.

The 2013 Raffle Quilt was presented by **Linda Ferguson** to the rest of the Guild to view. The quilt is called I wish I May. The size is a large queen. The following names are members that contributed towards the quilt: **Sandra Fountain, Carol Cowan, Mary Ann Baker, Shirley Cutler, Carole Miller, Pat Goldsborough, Jo Schumacher & Linda Chanik**. The quilt is absolutely beautiful! Also, thank you to Running Stitches for the use of the classroom!

Peggy Sperry from AP&Q has asked to show two of our winning quilts from last year's Quilt Show!

Guild Programs & Other:

Quilt Show:

Debi Mashak announced that we only have 60 quilts entered in the show. Please enter quilts!! See **Joan Calvery** for any questions.

Debi then had each chair introduce themselves and state what they are in charge of and asked for volunteers to sign-up.

Bazaar: **Debi Mashak**

Publicity & Set-up: **Nicole Sedgwick**

Antique Sewing Machine: **Jenni Gould & Joanne Lee**
Tea Room & Advertising: **Lori George**
Hostess & 2013 Raffle Quilt: **Kathy Trovesi**
Demo Table: **Carol Cowan**
Entrance Table: **Joan Calvery**
Soup Kitchen: **Karin Wheeler**
Take Me Home: **Sandy Bruce**
Door Prizes: **Linda Ferguson**

Lori George announced via a random drawing that **Shirley Farnsworth** has been selected to fulfill the Peer Award responsibilities. She must be present at the Quilt Show to pick her favorite quilt.

Sandy Bruce presented the option of purchasing a cash register to use for the bazaar and also to use for the auction in years to come. **Lana Lueschow** moved to approve the register and **Joanne Lee** seconded the motion. The cost would come out of the capital expenditures section of the budget.

Sandy Bruce announced that we are going to rent a U-Haul for Quilt Show take down. It's less than \$100.00.

Mystery Quilt: Please see **Anita Webb** for the next installment.

Please contact **Debi Mashak** if you would like to participate in making the bags she showed during the meeting.

Sunshine Committee: Please see **Sandy Bruce** if anyone you might know needs a card.

What's New at Taylor Creek: Please reference the Taylor Creek Quilt Studio newsletter or reach out to **Joanne Lee**. 425-432-8277 or snowkittens_designs@msn.com

Secret Pal: The secret pal chairs are **Patricia Goldborough & Mary Willis**. Please fill out the questionnaire by August and turn it into **Patricia** or **Mary**.

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl Evison