

## **Covington Quilters Guild**

### **July 7, 2016 Minutes**

**Kathy Scott (President) opened the meeting at 7:00 by turning the mic over to Nicole Sedgwick (Quilt Show Chair).**

Lynn Willis made a motion to approve the June minutes as written. Motion was seconded by Carol Cowan. Motion carried.

#### **Quilt Show Update (Nicole Sedgwick):**

Prepaid tickets are available for \$4 each; they will be here at the Quilt Show meeting also.

Linda Ferguson presented the 2017 Raffle Quilt. This will be debuted at the Quilt Show.

In order to get our Raffle Ticket booth at Covington Days for no cost, we must give Covington 4 hours of community service. This can be 2 people with 2 hours each or 4 people with 1 hour each. Please see Lori George if you are interested in helping this way.

- We also need people to sign up for shifts to sell raffle tickets during Covington Days.  
See Danielle Newcomer to sign up.

Ribbons--not every category will have a 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 2 Honorable Mentions. Scores were very high and generous, but as a result there were some big gaps between scores--for example, 91.5, 90.7, and then an 81.

This year's Peer Judge at the Show is Debbie Crooks, with Diane Welch being the alternate. This is a randomly selected position.

Reminders from Pat Goldsborough:

- You MUST have your receipt in order to claim your quilt(s) after the show.
- You MAY have someone else pick up your quilts, but they MUST have your receipts.
- Quilts will be checked out to owners after cleanup and truck loading is finished.
- No walk in volunteers for this station, please. They have an efficient system in place.

We have 16 vendors this year! No Lassie Whitman, though. She suffered a fall and is still recovering.

- Lori will get her mailing address out to the Guild so we can send her some hearts.

Last Quilt Show meeting is July 14 at Lori George's house, 7:00. Chairs need to be present or touch base with Nicole prior to the meeting.

Posters are available for hanging around local establishments. Please take some!

#### **Treasurer's Report (not available at the meeting but submitted by email by Jenni Gould, Treasurer):**

- Beginning balance (5/28/16) \$3763.49
- Ending balance (5/27/16) \$3142.53
- Capital One Savings (4/30/16) 6500.60

- Expenses for the month exceeded income. It is normal at this time of year for expenses to go up as the quilt show approaches.
- Please see Jenni with any questions.

**HUGS (Lori George):**

- Jodi from Quilter's Roost has donated over 500 bolts of fabric to Hugs.
- HUGS Workshop is Saturday, August 20, at Lori's house, 10-4:00, Building Kits for checkout
  - Email Lori if you want to participate.

**Block of the Month (Tabatha Smith):**

- June and July Block of the Month is "Here Fishy Fishy" will be on the web site for members who did not get to pick them up at the meeting. Blocks are due at the August meeting.

**Secret Pal (Pat Goldsborough):**

- Questionnaires on the Membership table
- Bring them back to turn in at the August meeting if you want to participate
- This year, suggestion is to try themed gifts each month...for example, one month is thread, the next month is fat quarters, etc.

**Bazaar (Mary Willis):**

- Items can still be donated for the bazaar. If it hasn't been turned in by now, you will need to mark items with prices yourself and bring your things to Bazaar set up Wednesday, July 20 and the morning of Thursday, July 21.
- Kathy McClung is trying to sell a loaded embroidery machine that was donated to the Bazaar on Craig's List. Karin Powell will watch/respond to the calls while Kathy is on vacation. There have been no bites so far, but the Guild will do better to sell online than selling it for way less than it is worth at the Bazaar.

**Membership (Leanne Shipley):**

- Sherri Kennedy joined the Guild through the mail last month, and two former members have returned to us: Barbee Stevens and Millie Sullivan.
- Badge Prize winner was Kathy Trovesi
- Please pick up your new phone book at the membership table.
- See the Membership table for a pie plate that was left and sunglasses.

Respectfully submitted,

Leanne Shipley

CQG Secretary

