

Guild Business Meeting April 2024

Officers in Attendance: Bobbie Mowery (President) , Carol Thiemens (Vice-President), Debby Parry-Evans (Treasurer).

President Bobbie Mowery opened our business meeting at 7:04 pm by welcoming our guests – the Kitsap Quilters and mentioning the various tables around the room: Raffle basket (Debbie Russell), raffle quilt tickets (Georgia VanPelt), Quilt Show Sign Ups (Joan Calvery & Roger Matthews, Melanie Blount, Diana Shane), Fabric sales (Kathy McClung), Block of the Month & Presentation blocks (Jill Ellis) and Hugs (Zena LaRosa). Guests and new members were also recognized and the officers were introduced.

Melanie Blount motioned to accept the minutes as posted for March 2024. This was seconded by Paul Shirron and the motion passed. The Treasurer's report was given. This information is posted on our website.

Committee reports followed.

- QUILT SHOW: Sign up by April 30 on-line to enter your entry for the show. It is also important to sign up for times to work as soon as possible. Items are being solicited for the SILENT AUCTION. Personal sales of items at the show was discussed.
- BY-LAWS: The proposed updates are posted on the website. The guild discussion of these is moved to the JUNE meeting.
- MINI-QUILT SHOWS: A sign-up sheet was circulated (by Paul Shirron) to show your group of quilts at our upcoming meetings.
- HUGS: Approval for sales on e-Bay has been recognized under "CQGUILD". Instructions for the GUILD bags are posted on the website. A workshop was suggested to work on making more bags to provide for the high need. Additional items (fabrics, machines) will be for sale in May to raise funds. Frankenbatting is available for smaller HUGS and FUNDRAISING projects. A monthly rotation of contacts for recipients of HUGS items has been set up. Thanks was given to Sue Mitchell, Julie Dominguez and Peggy Anderson for their help in storing and sorting the HUGS fabrics.
- UFO CHALLENGE: #7 was drawn last month; this month is #9. Keep stitching!
- 4-PATCH QUILTS: Dawn Shirron announced there will be a display of quilts & tops from the 4-Patch Exchange coming in September.
- SPRING TEA: Next month's meeting (May 2) is our SPRING TEA which will be a true POTLUCK beginning at 6 pm.
- MYSTERY QUILT: Zena LaRosa revealed the next hexagon- and circle-based row for the MYSTERY QUILT.
- RED ROBIN fundraiser: April 24's Covington Red Robin Fundraiser is for LUNCH/ DINNER. Be sure to inform the server it's for CQG.
- MEMBERSHIP: Leanne Shipley welcomed our new members and visitors. Teresa Berger and Barbara Ruud were the Badge Prize winners sharing ideas on Quilt Retreat TIPS.
- PROGRAM: Pamala Whitt presented an AMAZING talk and display about reusing and repurposing vintage and antique linens.

Additional information is posted in the newsletter this month.

Our next meeting is the SPRING TEA & POTLUCK. Dinner will begin at 6 pm on Thursday, May 2nd. (set up will begin at 5 pm) .

See you then! Bring your Show & Tell.

Respectfully submitted,

Malinda Shirley (Substitute Secretary)