Pine Tree Quilt Guild of Nevada County

General Meeting—March 1, 2016

The meeting was called to order by President Diane Klose at 6:30 p.m.

Announcements:

- Sign-ups for the Quilt Show will be taken tonight.
- There will be a Special Exhibit of Tuffets at the Quilt Show. Contact Marjorie McConnell if you are interested.
- The deadline for entering quilts into the show is March 17th. Take quilts to be judged on Tuesday. Judging will be on Wednesday.
- The next Quilt Show Committee Meeting will be Wednesday, March 9th at the Nevada City Library.
- Community Service will be the 3rd Tuesday at Eskaton from 9:00—3:00. Kits will be available there.
- Kathy Biggi asked for vendors to sign up to sell items at the Country Store, and please keep prices low. Vendors will be expected to work a shift at the Store.
- Sophia Day is doing Publicity for the Show and has bookmarks and fliers.
- Linda Reeve has decals available.
- Heidi Emmett, Program Chair, reminded us that Donna Greenwald will be our Speaker in April, and will be doing a 3-day workshop. See the Newsletter for more information.
- Ginny Lee needs two additional workers for the Raffle Baskets. April 5th is the deadline to donate items or baskets for the show.
- Diane Rockwell and Robin Mello are working with Junior Quilters ages 10—17 on the 2nd
 Saturday of each month at the Salvation Army. One more adult volunteer is needed for their program.
- Tamara Cook will need additional help from 2:15—3:00 on Wednesday.
- Marta Price announced 3 guests and 82 members present tonight.
- Diane Klose mentioned we need a volunteer to take the position handling the July Picnic.
- She also asked for those who have ordered Guild Logo Shirts please to claim them.

Guild Challenge Quilts are on display tonight—fourteen wonderful entries! Ballots include six categories and voting will be tonight

Program:

Susie Hardy introduced two guests, both interested in helping quilters to be fit and healthy.

1. Dr. Charles Antouri with his staff. He is a wellness consultant and was available tonight to take questions individually later.

2. Michelle McIntosh, a Certified Fitness Instructor. Michelle explained the importance of movement—stretching, balance, and moderate aerobic exercise. She led us in 25 minutes of exercise, then took questions from the group.

Lois Hodges announced the winners of the Guild Challenge:

- 1. Best Art Quilt—Karle deProsse and Terry McFeely
- 2. Most Humorous—Terry McFeely
- 3. Best Applique—Karle deProsse
- 4. Best Traditional—Deborah Remick
- 5. Best Use of Theme—Sharon Kreiss
- 6. Favorite Quilt—Sharon Kreiss

Diane reminded us:

- 1. Board Meeting Thursday, March 10th at Eskaton Village.
- 2. Quilt Show Committee meeting Wednesday, March 9th at Nevada City Library.
- 3. Community Service TUESDAY, March 15th at Eskaton.
- 4. Home Workshop—March 24th, LDS Church on Hollow Way, Nevada City.
- 5. General Meeting—Tuesday, April 5th at Grass Valley Charter School.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20.

Respectfully submitted,

Carolyn Christiansen, Secretary