

Pine Tree Quilt Guild General Meeting

March 7, 2017

Call to order: 6:30PM

Sophia Day led the meeting as Susie Hardy was ill.

Opportunity Quilts:

The Georgetown Needle Nellies, Beth Donley and Laura Voltz, Showed their opportunity Quilt which they will have a drawing for on September 16, 2017 Quilt Show. They have already raised over \$500 from ticket sales. The profits will go to firefighters.

The Gold Bug Quilt Guild did not attend the meeting.

Quilt Show Sign-ups:

Sue Miller reported that there was no internet connection at this time so they could not help folks register. Help will be available at the Home Workshop and the Community Service workshop later this month. Sue hoped they would have the internet connection working by the next meeting April 4th. Any one needing help can call her at 530-263- 0805. She reported that folks using the online registration said it was easy.

Tips on registration: Measure the quilts and add the measurements to determine if a quilt is small, medium, or large. Quilts that are to be judged need a confirmation that your check has been cleared. Check back in a few days to see if it has been confirmed. You need to let Sue know if there is a glitch.

April 7th is the deadline for entries.

Announcements:

Joan Mosley – Told that the Boutique would take the place of the silent auction this year. Members get 85% of the sale price. Non-members get 80%. Her suggestion of how to figure what to charge would be to take the amount that it cost to make the item and double that, then subtract a little. Sales tax will not be added to the sales price.

Majorie McConnell – Community Service sent pink postcard to those still having quilts that needed quilting and binding. Many folks have not returned the quilts they have checked out. All the vendor spots for the show have been

filled. We need to support the vendors so they will return in 2018.

Jeanne Pincha-Tulley – Reported the quilt entree process is going well. Please sign up for committee's at the break. The food vendor snafu is solved and because we are a nonprofit we can now make and sell desserts.

Judy Hamilton - Asked for volunteers to sign up to help decide on the scholarship recipient.

Lorna Straka – The next home workshop will be on March 23. It will be a class titled “ Things that judges are looking for when they are judging our quilts”. It will be led by Lynda Lasich, a graduate of the West Cost Quilt Judging Academy. There is no home workshop in April because of the quilt show.

Diane Klose – Carla Rogers is showing our opportunity quilt tonight.

Molly Cook - Sign up to work at the country store at the quilt show.

Ginny Lee – She has commitment forms for the small groups to fill out so she will know how many baskets there will be in a Raffle Basket drawing.

Julie Berry – The Jamboree will be October 7th. There will be four excellent teachers. Sign-up in April.

Ardy Tobin – Has rosters on the back table. She passed out an additional list of members to be added to the roster. She reminded everyone that she would be taking appointments for the appraiser of pre-1960 quilts who will be at our quilt show.

Raedean Kidwell – There are openings for Joy Lilly's class tomorrow.

Attendance: There were 89 members present with 2 guests and 2 new members!

Open Board Positions:

Quilt show co-chair who would then be the chairperson for the 2018 quilt show.

July picnic

Show and Tell : Many members showed their skills. Especially noted were the 'stripers' from the home workshop showing off several “1600 “ quilt tops they made.

Patch Work Star: Jeanie Ferguson introduced Cil Duval. Cil told of her life on Borneo and in the Hawaii islands. She showed quilts many with a sea and water feel. Her Kaffe florals give new meaning to the term “jewel-toned”.

Break of 15 minutes:

Drawing for the Mystery Gift and Quarter Yard Club:

Drawing by the Georgetown Needle Nellies for a wall hanging:

Speaker:

Raedean Kidwell introduced our speaker Joy Lily. Her talk was “How to be a Carefree Quilter”. How to break the rules of Quilting. There will be a workshop, Lazy Leaves Table Runner, on March 8 at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, Osborne Road, Grass Valley.

Announcements:

Board meeting: March 9th at 3:00 in the 49er room at Eskaton.

Community Service: March 16th.

Drop-in and quilt: March 24th.

Home workshop: March 24th.

General Meeting: April 4th at the Grass Valley Charter School.

Respectfully Submitted, Bonnie Lattin-Hensel, Secretary

