



PINE TREE QUILT GUILD

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General Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, February 2, 2021
Online Zoom

Called to order at 6:30 pm by Pres. Barbara Ceresa.

Attendance: 44 Members

Announcements:

1. Barbara Ceresa wished everyone a warm welcome and asked the question of how the groundhog saw his shadow today. Not to be concerned, according to a member, because he is only accurate 30% of the time!
2. Sophia Day and Holly Miner gave an update on the newly-redesigned Pine Tree Quilt Guild website. There is a search feature that will facilitate finding all the contents. Affiliates, including new ones for 2021, are listed. The slide show of member creations will stay fresh by using the photo submissions of Show & Tell at general meetings if the creator of the work agrees. Holly reminded members that the guild allows these submissions to also appear in future PTQG shows, but members who are considering participation in outside shows should check regulations first. A password has been sent to all 2021 members for access to the Members Only section on the website. This password will allow access to the current roster, which includes addresses and phone numbers. This password-protected section will also contain the detailed financials page as a PDF that will be current each month. The monthly financials will be kept in this section for one year. Please be sure to contact Sophia or Holly if you're encountering any difficulties or have questions about navigating the features of the website.
3. Jean Marie McDonald announced that the 2021 membership is 165 members to date and noted that memberships are accepted throughout the entire calendar year. There are 18 affiliates, two of them new this year. She is sending the information of member interests from the bottom of the membership form to the committee chairs. At this meeting Jean Marie passed the 'baton' (a rolling pin for picture purposes) to the new chair Ruth Bertaccini. Barbara Ceresa extended a warm thank you to Jean Marie for all her conscientious work in this position.
4. Ruth Bertaccini gave an update on the status of the March Mystery Match-Up as a fun way to stay connected to others in the guild during this time of not being able to have in-person meetings. Register with Ruth by February 14th. She will send you the name of another member. Collect some fun items to send in a 6"x9" envelope. Examples could include a pattern you liked and want to pass on, a fat quarter, a recipe or two, some quilting hints that you have learned, and clues to your identity. Mail by the end of March or earlier, arriving in time for the April 6th meeting.

SHOW AND TELL:

Photos from 11 members were shown. The theme was 'Love' and included pictures of gifted quilts, wall hangings, and lots of hearts. Sophia Day shared a placemat that she made for Meals on Wheels, and suggested the possibility of doing an on-line tutorial for this project. Holly Miner encouraged all members to consider participating in future Show & Tells and send photos to her.

COMMENTS:

1. Sophia Day noted that the March Guild Challenge is "Finish It," tackling one UFO in your stash, and those submissions are due by the end of February.
2. Join in the March Mystery Match-Up. It will be fun to share!
3. Thank you to all for participating in this meeting tonight. The next Zoom general meeting will be Tuesday, March 2nd, at 6:30.

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 pm by Pres. Barbara Ceresa.

Respectfully Submitted by
Sheri Doerr
Secretary