

Pine Tree Quilt Guild of Nevada County, Inc.

General Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 St. Canice Hall, Nevada City (Grass Valley Charter School closed for Spring Break)

Call to Order: At 6:34PM by President Lillian Glaeser

Attendance: 83 Members, 8 guests

Announcements/ Committee Reports:

1) Visiting Guild: Pioneer Quilt Guild from Loomis, CA brought their Opportunity Quilt called "Colorful Tropics" They announced that their Quilt Show will be November 10 & 11 this year.

2)Theresa Finn, Home Workshop Chair announced that the Cup Caddie class will be April 27 and the Free Motion Quilting class will be May 26.

3)Joan Mosley, Publicity Chair for the Quilt Show has bookmarks and flyers for all members to hand out to friends and family, inviting them to our Show. Joan also has copies of the "Country Register" which has information about shops and quilt shows in Arizona, Nevada, and California.

4) Sue Miller, Mini Group Chair asked how many were in a mini group(s) and announced she is taking sign-ups for those interested in joining a mini group or starting a mini group.

5)Judy Hamilton, Hospitality Chair announced and welcomed new members: Carrie McDowall, Marjorie Woodall, Rebecca Smith-Lehman, Lin Schiffner, Valerie Gardner, Susan Mincks, Laurie Kempenear & Jude Parry-Jones

6) Ruth Bertaccini, Membership Chair announced two new members and eight guests tonight. She also has rosters and membership cards available at her table. She said there may be another nametag exchange event over this summer.

7)Paulette Snyders, Quilter's Café Chair for Quilt Show requested monetary donations for purchasing baked goods. She also said she is working with the Food Truck for possible indoor service.

8) Margaret Vodicka & Kris Cook, Guild Challenge Co-Chairs, reminded us that the Paint Chip Challenge will be part of the Quilt Show now. At our June General Meeting the winners will be revealed and prizes awarded.

9) Vaughn Rodriguez, Quilt Show Chair, reminded us that tomorrow (April 5) is the last day to enter quilts in the show. The last meeting of the Quilt Show

Committee is Tuesday, April 11, 2023, 1:00PM at Eskaton. All are welcome! Please signup to work at the show! **Urgent need is for Equipment Set Up and Take Down Chair!**

10) Nancy Holtz, Community Service Chair announced that this Thursday (April 6) they will mostly be working on assembly of baskets for the Quilt Show.
11) Holly Miner, Opportunity Quilt Co-Ordinator said that the last chance to buy tickets for our 2023 Opportunity Quilt, "Myrna's Garden" is at the Quilt Show.
The 2024 Opportunity Quilt is almost finished and will debut at the Quilt Show next month. She also asked us to be thinking about ideas & makers for the 2025 Opportunity Quilt.

Show and Tell: Approximately 20 people shared their quilts, table runners, wall quilts & finished UFOs.

Patchwork Star: Jeanie Ferguson presented Barbara Huntington, Charter Member, as our Patchwork Star this month. Barbara shared five of her stunning quilts, several in the Baltimore Album style. All with beautiful applique and embroidery and gorgeous quilting. Kathy Biggi added at the end that Barbara had made six tops for the recent Wounded Warrior Project.

Guest Speaker, Laurel Anderson: Gave a presentation called "The Power of Color" Some take aways from this are: learn the color wheel for pleasing color combinations, look how other artists use color in quilts, greeting cards, magazines, etc.; realize that seasons and your country of origin may influence your color preferences. Colors evoke emotions. Businesses pay close attention to color and Pantone selects a "color of the year".

Laurel then presented a Trunk Show of her quilts, highlighting how she used color.

Raffle Drawings Winners:

Quarter Yard Club: Susan Mincks, Connie Ferrao X2, Shannon Koslosky, Holly Miner

Mystery Gifts: Cindy Maurice, Lynette Lester, Jeanne Pincha-Tulley, Shannon Waldow, Susie Hardy

Adjournment: President Lillian Glaser adjourned the meeting at 8:36 PM

Respectfully submitted, Chris Panos, Secretary