

Pine Tree Quilt Guild

of Nevada County, Inc.

Quilt Show Meeting

October 17, 2023

Attendees: Vaughn R., Karle d., Robi H., NancyAn T., Kathy B., Barbara C., Sally M., Julie B., Ruth B., Joan M., Helena H., Cindy L., Anne P., Holly M., Terry M., Sophia D., Beth S.

Call to order 1:10

Beth Stagner will be the co-chair of the Vendor committee. Cindy Loper will join the Treasurer team.

Vaughn asked committees to let her know if they want smaller meetings with her.

Vaughn asked to let everyone know the outside volunteers they need. Do we need some rover volunteers to cover potty breaks, etc? Some of us are done with our duties by the actual show. We can give our names to the info table and they can call us to cover if needed.

Vaughn asked if we want an appraiser. The last time we did this, they took quite a bit of space, and space will be at a premium this year with our 40 year celebration. We'll revisit for our 40th quilt show.

A lot of the 40 year celebration display will be in the Ponderosa building. Sophia will work with Kathy on space needs and pass on to MAQ. Holly suggested that the movable walls used for the fair might be useful.

Vaughn asked about a scissor sharpener. We don't know of anyone. Terry will ask Frances at Ben Franklin if she knows anyone. If we do find someone, we will need to widely advertise.

Holly will ask the Brass Quintet if they want to play again. Joan will check into the MIMYO also.

Kathy asked about showcasing members who have patterns, creations, etc., by giving them a free booth.

The basket committee asked if they need to solicit outside donations. The groups that are donating the baskets do that or collect money to buy gift certificates. We should let them know that newsletter articles and announcements at meetings should let members know that individual new item donations are great too, along with the mini group baskets.

Holly has the new black/white logo for anyone that needs to send out letters. Sophia/Holly can print mailing labels.

NancyAn mentioned that they would be happy to collect quilt bags at the end of the show if people don't need them. Or we can have a box at the next meeting to collect them. The same for nametag holders.

Banners definitely need some work. We also need new waterproof signs for the Fairgrounds. Holly, Sophia & Julie will get quotes for the budget before January. It was suggested that even balloons on the outside signs might make them more visible.

The fairgrounds used rented golf carts for transportation during the Draft Horse Classic. Sophia emailed but hasn't received an answer. She'll try to call to get a quote.

The fairgrounds wouldn't let us use inside security last year. Vaughn will call to get quotes on outside security. This brought up the vendor contract and what is in there for their insurance coverage. Terry doesn't remember having something like this, but will look in her records.

Respectfully submitted, Sophia Day