

Mudsock Quilters Guild
Board Meeting Notes
March 7th, 2022

This meeting was held at the Cornerstone Christian Church

Members in attendance: Melissa Schulman, Mary Boyden, Bonnie Dannenberg, Diane Dimpfl, Sharon Jones, Chris Behme Lois Levine, Laura Anderson, Ann Ricciardelli, Becky Moore, Julie Putman, Lissa Shanahan, Vicky Smith, Chris Wenger, Linda Westbrook

Meeting called to order by Becky Moore at 10:00

January 2022 board meeting minutes approved

Approved by: All in favor

PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS:

CHARITIES:

Damar, Quilts for Kids and Tummy Time Lois Levine reported:

Lois Levine was present

She now has several people for her committee.

They have made several kits to bring to the meeting so people can make items for this charity. There will be a table at the meeting to sign out these kits. They are trying to organize the fabric. Working to get batting to be available for the children's charities.

Community Hospital Sewing and Shopping

Diane Dimpfl spoke today for Pat Jones

There was a cash donation, they used some to buy white fabric for the store room.

The did buy another roll of the batting to use for the community quilts.

They do have some receipts for reimbursement for community. We believe that community will again be funding this for next year.

Becky questioned the cash donation – it should come through the guild first since we are budgeting money for community for this year.

Community sewing day on May 16th will be the Jelly Roll Race! It will be at Delaware Township and can only take 18 people due to space. Kits will be provided or you can bring your own. These tops will be donated to community. Will be a fun day of sewing and pit stops.

TREASURER REPORT: Laura Anderson reporting:

Dues, Steals N Deal, Programs are still making money

We have had \$142 in donation dollars to the church.

Hospitality spent a little money.

We have 2 insurance policies. Both have been paid.

2011 Mudsock was set up as LLC with State of Indiana .

2015 Mudsock was set up at LTD. State required Bi-annual filing. Laura filed the correct paperwork. But LLC was still out there as active, so she send in disillusion paperwork to take care of that one.

When we changed the bank accounts, we were not receiving the Amazon Smile donations. Laura called and got that all fixed and we will receive the back dated donations.

COMMITTEES:

MEMBERSHIP:

144 paid members 81 have not renewed

She is going to send gentle reminders about renewing to everyone not renewed.

WEBSITE: Chris Behme reported:

Still going good. Average 13 unique visitors that have not been on website before. Average 40 hits per day. Sew-ins have low attendance. They are the 4th Wednesday of the month at Delaware 9:30-3:30

NEWSLETTER: Lissa Shanahan reported:

Everything is going fine. Trying to keep the donations to church updated in the newsletter.

FACEBOOK: Amy Klozden reported:

Everything is good

SUNSHINE: Ellen Hanson reported:

Becky reported that Ellen had back surgery. April S. is doing the cards for the committee for now. Maybe we should send Ellen a card just to remind her we are thinking of her.

PROGRAMS: Vickie Smith and Jayne Gates reported:

May program only has 9 people signed up. We are short for the cost of the workshop. Becky's opinion is to go ahead with the workshop. November will be a Quilt Appraiser. Need to check with speakers about facebook live.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH: Mary Boyden reported:

24 people participate last month. We had 54 blocks donated. Committee meeting next Monday. There is \$200 in BOM budget that we may not need since we do not print off the instructions anymore.

HOSPITALITY: Julie Putman reported:

Nothing new

STEALS AND DEALS: Melissa Schulman reported:

Still going well at the meetings. Keep bringing your items to the meetings. I did donate several tubs of items to Hamilton Southeastern High School for their spring musical. They are putting on Spongebob the Musical and were asking for colorful fabric and sewing items.

NEW BUSINESS:

Julie Putman - Schwartz Cancer Center at IU health North. Request from neighbor.

Great need for heart shaped pillows. Is this something anyone would like to do just to help. Julie had the heart dimension and could get the instructions. Chris can post on facebook and website. Julie will pick up and donate.

OPEN DISCUSSION:

Retreat or Bus Trip? Discussion about what we wanted to do for this fall and next year. Sue Flaty is interested in organizing a retreat for the guild for this fall. Concerns about bus trip is that we need a certain number and cannot be cancelled easily. Maybe due Paducah next spring if people are more interested in getting out. Yes to a retreat for this fall. Maybe think about a bus trip and retreat in the same year. Retreat could also be a in town retreat.

Facebook Live – Last month was a little hard to hear the speaker. WE will continue to do Facebook live but there is only so much we can do.

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT BOARD MEETING:

Next meeting is May 2nd at 10:00.