Mudsock Quilters Guild Board Meeting Notes July 8th, 2022

This meeting was held at the Cornerstone Christian Church

Members in attendance: Melissa Schulman, Julie Putman, Vicky Smith, Becky Moore, Jayne Gates, Laura Anderson, Pat Jones, Lois Levine, Mary Boyden, Sue Flaty, Laurie Farthing

Meeting called to order by Becky Moore at 10:00

May 2022 board meeting minutes motion to approve:

Approved by:

PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS:

CHARITIES:

Damar, Quilts for Kids and Tummy Time

Lois is getting a volunteer badge so she can get into the store room.

Community Hospital Sewing and Shopping

Pat Jones reporting

Two years ago we slated \$1,800 to help with community since the hospital was unable to help due to Covid. Last year we put it into the budget again. Is this something we want to continue since the hospital is now back to helping fund the community quilts? We are also concerned with how to reimburse the long arm quilters for their supplies and time that they put into finishing some quilts for community for other. We will redo the budget in September and make that decision for the \$1,800. Pat Jones has decided to write up a guideline to follow for the reimbursements and how things should be handled. She will submit it and we can make any changes and present to the group.

Sally is the store room manager is will have guidelines for how that is handled.

TREASURER REPORT:

Laura Anderson is reporting

Everything is going well. We have \$25,541.84 in the bank. Part of that is the reserve of \$9.600 set aside for facility reserve if needed. We will have dues start coming in the fall for next year. We have 2 checks still outstanding. Laura will contact them and see what is going on and maybe cut another check.

Need to prepare a budget for next year. We will meet in late September to prepare the budget then present to the guild.

COMMITTEES:

MEMBERSHIP:

Membership reported by Becky Moore

186 paid members

96 at the June meeting

WEBSITE: Chris Behme reported:

We had a great response on the Scissor sharpening guy. He will hopefully be back in November at the quilt show.

NEWSLETTER: Lissa Shannahan - nothing to report

Newsletter has been good. Becky just ask that we contribute a little more each moth.

FACEBOOK: Amy Klozden reported

SUNSHINE: Ellen Hanson reported:

PROGRAMS:

Jayne Gates and Vicky Smith reported

July is the Dyeing lady – Workshop in the afternoon – we have 14 participants

August is the Reveal Challenge.

September - is Unraveled with a Paper Piecing workshop

October is Alice Ridge - Circles and a workshop on piecing Circles

November – We may have someone here to do Quilt Appraisals.

December - Christmas

We have \$1,100 left over from programs for this year. How can we use that to benefit the members for the rest of this year. Can not carry that over to next year.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH:

Mary Boyden reported

We have an average of 18.5 participants per month. Most popular so far was the Chandelier block with 92 blocks made. Lease popular so far was the Christmas tree with only 28 blocks.

HOSPITALITY: Julie Putman reported:

July 14th Meet and greet at Julie's house 930-1130

Coffee tea and water

Bring a food item to share – can board members attend.

STEALS AND DEALS: Melissa Schulman reported:

Planning to make some items to be sold at the Vendor table at the quilt show. Might be nice to have some projects donated from members if they would like too. Will discuss more at next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Retreat Information – Sue Flaty reporting.

48 people signed up – 4 have not paid yet.

\$95.00 to participate. This includes the conference room and two dinners.

Sharon Jones will be putting together the Shop Hop for the drives and prizes.

Skit committee may need some help There is only one person right now.

There will be 3 crafts and a quilt block

Dinners are Wednesday and Thursday.

OPEN DISCUSSION:

We will be doing another quilt raffle this year.

Should we have New Member Packets to give all the information so it is not repeated at each meeting. We used to have one but got away from doing this. Will look into doing this again.

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT BOARD MEETING:

Next meeting will include the Budget Meeting. This meeting will be on September 30th.