

The Quilt Reporter

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

March 6	Karen Vulgamott
March 12	Cathleen Brown
March 12	Lisa Volden
March 27	Nancy Garton

* Birthday and Anniversary information is obtained from the annual yearbook.

PIECE CORPS QUILT GUILD MINUTES

February 1, 2010

The Piece Corp Quilt Guild February meeting was held at the Community Presbyterian Church. Pat Meyer, President called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm with 42 members and no guests present. Greeters were Diana Garrett and Ginger Phillips; Janet Loveless and Hazel Meade were the Hostesses. The Roll Call question was "What are you doing on Valentines Day?"

The minutes of the December meeting were in the January Newsletter and were approved with no corrections. The Treasury Report was given by Vicki Gentzell.

Old business

Tickets for the Raffle Quilt that will be on display at the Pony Express Museum are available. Each member is asked to take two packets and sell the tickets for \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

Vicki Gentzell moved and Debby Hanlan Seconded that the Secret Pals be changed so it starts in March and is revealed in February. The motion passed.

President Meyer reminded the guild that dues must be paid at the February meeting to be in next year's yearbook.

The Quilt Show in March: quilts will be hung March 1 at the Mansion at 10:30, March 2 at Pony Express Museum at 10:00, and March 3 at 10:00 on Frederick. By February 10 return forms describing the quilts you wish to show. Each member may enter as many as she wants and the quilts can have been shown before.

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The bus trip to the Des Moines Quilt Show will be October 29 to 30. There will be two overnights and the third day will visit quilt shops. There is room for 36 on the bus; the \$140 approximate cost is for two nights lodging, bus fare, and admission for two days at the quilt show.

Donna Brown reported on the Young Ladies Retreat held January 15 – 17 at her home. Three girls were able to attend.

New business

Nancy Root is putting together a website for the Guild (piececorpsquiltersguild.com) Vickie Jackson moved and Debby Hanlan seconded that we pay Nancy \$10 to register the site.

Committee reports

Ways and Means Chair, Dedra Litherland reminded the members to complete boutique items that will be for sale during March during the quilt show.

Courtesy Committee Chair, Deloris Foster, doesn't remember being courteous.

Charity Kelly Lacina, Laura Coughlin, and Jacque Defenbaugh are the committee to choose a Charity Project for the new year. Please submit ideas by e-mail or in writing by February 20. One project will be done at a time, when completed a second project can be started. A vote will be held in March to choose the project.

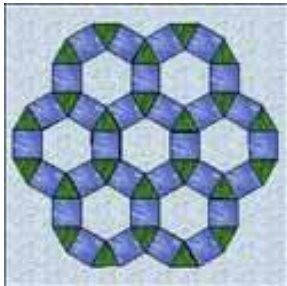
Publicity Vickie Jackson nominated Kathryn Stevenson to be chair. Theresa Cobb second, the motion passed.

Program A Silent Auction was held of items donated by the family of Effie Rue Hull and other guild members. Proceeds will go to the guild.

Announcements

Barbara Wilkerson announced that a young woman from Sudan would like to purchase a used sewing machine. If any guild members have one they would like to sell please contact Barbara.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Wilkerson
Secretary



*Morning Glory
Block*

March meeting

The next PCQG meeting is March 1. Social time and refreshments begin at 6:30 p.m. at Community Presbyterian Church, 5409 St. Joseph Avenue. The meeting starts at 7 p.m. with this month's program by Platte Branch Design Co. The sisters will have a trunk show, lecture and their patterns will be for sale. This will be a good program!

<u>Hostesses</u>	<u>Greeters</u>
Karen Leake, Barb Miller and Jennifer Sprague	Vickie Jackson and Carla Proctor

WEBSITE

Don't forget to check out the new website at
<http://www.piececorpquiltersguild.com/>

Did you
know
Plastic
gallon milk
jugs are
great for
cutting out
small
applique'
templates?

Quilt Show

The Piece Corps Quilters Guild members will be displaying several of their quilts March 5th through April 9th, 2010 at the following museums:

St. Joseph Museum
3406 Frederick Ave.

Wyeth-Tootle Mansion
Eleventh & Charles St.

Pony Express Museum
914 Penn Street - Patee Park

This year is the Sesquicentennial - 150th Anniversary of the beginning of the Pony Express. Our guild is offering a quilt to be raffled off. This quilt is made of reproductive fabrics and quilt pattern of the time when the Pony Express began.

The actual quilt will be displayed at the Pony Express Museum. If you would like you can take a step back in time and view all the quilts we have to show. Take time to go to one of these museums, see the past, look at the many quilts that will be on display, take a chance to win a reproduction quilt of 150 years ago.

Visit our boutique of items that we will have for sale during the quilt show.

Quilt show

Your help is needed in setting up on March 1st, 2nd, and the 3rd. Please let Judy O'Donnell know if you are available any of those days. If you are unable to bring your quilt to the museum on March 1st, contact Janet Loveless, Vicki Jackson, or Judy O'Donnell. judyaodon@aol.com

Also do not forget about the boutiques. Please help the Guild by making things to sell at the museum boutiques and bring items to the meeting on March 1, 2010.

Message from MaryAnne Law

I'm planning a quick & easy to make quilt show boutique project for retreaters. Bring a fat quarter or a strip of fabric 7" x wof. I'll provide the remaining items.

Quilt retreat

The Spring Quilt Retreat will be held March 4th thru 7th, 2010. The retreat will be held in Hiawatha, KS and is at full capacity. Final details will be available at the March 1 meeting.

Newsletter & email address

Beginning with the March 2010 issue, Debby Hanlan will be writing the PCQG newsletter. An email address has been set up to receive members' requests and to send out the newsletters. Only newsletter information is to go to and/or from the following email address:

piececorpsquiltersguild@yahoo.com This email address will then be passed on to the next newsletter person to make a smooth transition with contacts and email addresses.

