

PIECE CORPS QUILTERS GUILD OF GREATER ST. JOSEPH, MO.

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April Birthdays

April 3 Diana Wiedmaier
April 7 Beverly Lowry
April 8 Kendra Long
April 12 Judy O'Donnell
April 28 Kelly Lacina
April 30 Debbie Shimer

May Birthdays

May 3 LaDonna Duncan
May 14 Vicki Jackson
May 18 Lori Mathews
May 20 Teresa Cobb
May 24 Kayla Wiederholt
May 25 Jennifer Sprague

Meeting agenda for May 5, 2014

Program: "It's all in the Sashing" by Barb Eikmeier

Greeters: Marge Bodenhausen and Barb Wright

Hostesses: Penny Kubnert, Gina Christiansen, Patty McGuire, and Judy O'Donnell

The January meeting was canceled due to the weather.

April meeting minutes:

The April 7th meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Judy O'Donnell.

Carl Hentsch presented his program on "Color".

Judy announced the visitors Linda Wise, Darlene Darby, Sarah Hurd and Mary Tebow. One new member Murla Leahy, St. Joseph, MO. We had 52 people present at the meeting.

We have some new members since our meeting of February 3rd, they are Christie Coffey, Platte City, MO, Lori Lopez, St. Joseph, MO, Lorie Mathews, Weston, MO, Karen Lou, Weston, MO.

Judy thanked the Greeters they were Marge Bodenhausen and Barbara Wright

Hostesses: Carla Proctor, Carlene Makowski, Carol Fangman and Vernalee Carter

Motion was made by Karen Leaks to accept the minutes from the February meeting and was 2nd by Nancy Root.

The treasurers report was read by Marge Bodenhausen:

Beginning balance: \$3674.63.

Receipts: \$1243.25

Disbursements: \$420.00

New balance: \$4497.88

Remind those who receive the newsletter in the mail that they need to pay \$10.00 for their postage for the year.

Approve the Treasurers report as read Clara Kline motioned to approve and Bobby Foster 2nd the motion.

Committee Reports:

Quilt Show for 2014: Janie Kemp spoke to the museum about having our quilt show in the museum again this year. They have several new things going on this year and a new director so the quilt show would not work with them for this year. Bobbie received a box with several items used for the quilt show and she would like to place them with the quilt racks we are trying to find a new home for. Carl Hentsch offered a spare 2 car garage he has at his home to be used to store the supplies for quilt shows. (quilt

racks and misc. items) We will get together with volunteers at a later date to go to Janet Loveless' place to move the racks and equipment to Carl's garage. The date will be determined when it is warmer.

Secret Pals: Secret Pals for 2013-14 were revealed. Vernalee Carter had the drawing for the 2014-15 Secret Pals after the meeting. If you wanted to be part of the Secret Pals group and did not draw at the meeting please contact Vernalee Carter.

Garage Sale: Bobby Foster announced that the garage sale is May 17th, at Robidoux Row Musuem, Sat. 8-3 pm. Set up dates will be Thursday, May 15 and Friday, May 16th from 9 am to 3 pm. Bring your items for the sale to the May 5th meeting or on the Thurs. or Fri. set up days so they can be priced and set up. If you cannot bring your items in on those 2 days call Bobby and she will arrange a way to get them picked up. Bobby is accepting Fabric, Unfinished projects, patterns, books sewing notions Knitting items, crochet items, cross stitch items, cookbooks, quilt blocks, baskets, even old thread spools and buttons. We will also have a country store that will include items such as pot holders, small coasters, potatoe pouches, casserole holders, needle cases anything you would find in a country store. If you have small projects you would like to make for the store please let Bobby know. Next month at the meeting you will be asked to take a flyer and tape it on the back window of your car. Flyers will be dispersed wherever possible. If you know of a place to put a flyer please let Bobby know and she will give you more to put up. We can put and ad in the News Press under "What's Up" and the garage sale (\$38.00) section of the newspaper. We can place and ad in the Thifty Nickel (\$8.00). Clara Kline made a motion to pay and place the ads in the paper there was a vote and we were in agreement to pay for the ads. If you want your left over items from the garage sale please be at the sale by 2:30 pm Saturday afternoon to pick them up. There are sign-up sheets for helping at the sale be sure to sign up.

VA Quilts: A workshop is set up for Saturday, June 14th at the First Christian Church at 10th and Faroan St from 9 to 3 pm. there are about 212 veterans at the Cameron Veteran's home and we have already donated around 90 quilts last year so whatever we can make to add to that will be great. We have 5 yards each of red, white and blue fabric to be used. There are patterns available for you to use if you would like they are available on the website to print off for your use. Some of the patterns were available at the meeting. If anyone wishes to make a donation of fabric, it would be greatly appreciated.

Quillow Workshop: Janie had her quillow workshop and she used \$30.00 out of pocket for batting for these quilts and needs to be paid back. There were several quillows made for the donation to Royals Kids Camp. Karen Schlup made several quillows, maybe enough for the whole camp. We have kits made up for those who would like to make them and bring them back to the meeting. We have plenty of quilts for this year's children (over 30) any extras made will be kept aside for next year's camp. There is enough batting left over to give some to the baby quilt project and some to Bobby for the VA quilts. Thank you all for the donations.

Row Quilt Round Robin: Stay after the meeting so we can talk about these projects even if you haven't started one yet.

Programs/Workshops: Check your books for upcoming workshops that will be available. It was discussed that if we were going to have workshops that the guild would help pay for those but we do not have enough money in the budget to cover those. We did not see if there was an interest in Carl's workshop so we did not set it up. Carl is available to have the workshop to help you select colors and make a quilt using fat quarters. A sign up sheet was passed around for those who wanted to attend Carl's workshop. A price will be announced later.

-Pat Meyer asked the question about guild members charging for workshops? "In the past members always donated their time for the workshops are we going to start paying members for their workshops now?" It was decided that if you are a Nationally known member and you want to charge for your

workshop that would be okay. Otherwise most members usually donate their time. Carl is a nationally known member and therefore is able to charge for workshops.

Raffle Quilt: Clara Kline made a Christmas quilt top with donated fabric from Bobby Foster. David Hurd has offered to quilt the quilt and Judy O'Donnell will donate the batting for the quilt. This quilt will be available to take chances on at the Garage Sale May 17th.

Old Business:

-Kelly Lacina said she still has quilt pins for \$5.00.

-Carlene Makawski said there were still t-shirts and sweatshirts available for purchase.

-Be sure to contact Bobby Foster with your email address if you are not receiving the meeting minutes.

-Remember to pay your PCQG Guild dues which are \$20.00 for the year.

New Business:

-Bobby would like to make proposal that all the funds made from the garage sale should be available to purchase fabric and batting for the guild's charity projects that the Guild is involved with.

-Any fabric donated to the guild should be gone through and used for the charity events and the remaining fabric, etc. can be dealt with accordingly. This would include any fabric left over from the garage sale that did not sell. At the end of each committee term, the fabric or quilt supplies would be handed to the next charity committee chairperson.

-There is still money available to be used for charity \$161.67 in the treasury.

-Barb Miller asked if the guild had a tax ID number to be used for supplies. We do not. Kelly Lacina announced that to have a tax ID # you need to be not for profit. There are a lot of legal channels that need to be dealt with to do this. The idea was turned down.

-Judy asked if, the new board, needed to be installed? There is no real installation for new board members. A motion was made to accept the new board as announced. All agreed.

Show and tell followed and was enjoyed by all.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn the meeting was not made by the president.

Respectively submitted by Nancy Root.