

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

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914 PENN STREET

7:00 PM

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June Birthdays

June 4 Mary Anne Bruntmeyer

June 5 Donna Giddens

June 7 Tammy Scott

June 17 Susan Dudley

June 29 Robin Pierpoint

Meeting agenda for June 2, 2014

Program: "Picnic"

Time: Picnic starts at 6:00 pm

Be sure to bring your covered dish for the picnic. Contact Terry Massengale with questions.

Greeters: Donna Giddens and Bobbie Foster

Hostesses: Clara Kline, Barb Wright, Terry Massengale and Deloris Foster

May meeting minutes:

The May 5th meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by President Judy O'Donnell.

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

Judy thanked the Greeters: Nancy Grace and Carolyn Wolfe

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

Judy announced the visitors. One guest Sarah Hurd and one new member Mary Luedtke, St. Joseph, MO.

We had 53 people present at the meeting.

Motion was made by Karen Leake to approve the minutes from the February meeting and was 2nd by Bev Lowry.

The treasurers report was read by Marge Bodenhausen:

April 7, 2014

Beginning balance: \$4497.88.

Receipts: \$1595.33

Disbursements: \$2139.16

New balance: \$3954.05

The Treasurers report was voted on and approved by the members and Barb Wright 2nd the motion as approved.

Committee Reports:

Programs/Workshops:

-**Twister Workshop** - Deloris Foster, May 31st Saturday at the at the East Hills library conference room behind East Hills, 9:30 AM to 4 pm.

- **VA Quilt workshop** - June 14th Saturday, First Christian Church, 10th and Faroan St. from 9 AM to 3PM.

Bobbie will have sign up sheets at the June meeting. If you have fabric to donate please bring it to Bobbie.

If you can make a star to use in a VA quilt that will help the pattern is attached to the minutes.

These blocks will be sewn together to make VA quilts this will be a way to help if you do not have time to

make a full quilt. 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. These quilts are being made for the Cameron Veteran's home. If you would like to make star blocks, using red, white and blue fabric, for a VA quilt ask Bobby the pattern. When your blocks are completed give them to Bobby Foster.

- **Mystery Quilt** – Kelly Lacina, July 12th 9 am at the Agency Methodist church, there will be a sign up sheet next month.

- **Crazy Quilt** - August 30th, 9:30 am to 4 pm. at the library conference room behind East Hills. The first 10 people will be able to attend. You will need to purchase a pattern it is \$8.00, please sign up tonight.

- **Baby Quilts** – Barb Wilkerson, for Noyes Home, September 13th, Agency Methodist church 9:00 am to whenever...

Raffles: Clara Kline has 2 raffles:

- Raffle for quilt guild members only, for a basket of quilt supplies (about \$60 worth), donated by Top Stitch Quilt shop near Rochester/Helena, owned by Donna Harris. Tickets are \$2.00 ea or 3 for \$5.00. The drawing will be at the end of the next month meeting. If you need address and directions to the shop talk to Clara Kline.

-Raffle for a Christmas quilt \$1.00 ea. or 6 for \$5.00 It will be taken to the garage sale and envelopes are available for members to take and help sell. Drawing will be in December. The quilt kit was donated by Bobby Foster and put together by Clara Kline and David Hurd quilted it. Karen Schlup made pillow shams to go with the quilt. The money from these raffles will go to the general fund.

-Jenni Litherland is graduating from high school this weekend, mother's day, and everyone is invited to attend her graduation party at her home if you need directions see Dedra Litherland. Jenni has been a quilt guild member since she was 7 years old.

Garage Sale: Bobby Foster announced that the garage sale is May 17th, at Robidoux Row Museum, Sat. 8 to 3 pm. Set up dates will be Thursday, May 15 and Friday, May 16th from 9 am to 3 pm. 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. At 12 noon, Saturday, everything in the sale will be sold for ½ price.

Courtesy: Donna Giddens reported sending flowers to the family of Dianna Garrett who passed away. Dianna was a longtime member of the PCQG, she will be missed.

-the guild also received a card from Carolyn Wolfe for the flowers and cards she received while recuperating from a broken ankle.

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.

Secret Pals: Vernalee Carter is in charge of the Secret Palls for the 2014-15 year.

Row Quilt Round Robin: Stay after the meeting so we can talk about these projects.

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 what she has is it no more will be printed. Please talk to Carlene if you want a shirt she will no longer carry them in and out of the meeting.

- 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.
- Vicki Jackson has picked the box kite block for her president block. The pattern will be emailed or you can find it in the Quiltmaker magazine May/June page 63 finishes 6" block.
- For the newer people, you have the option of making a block for the past present it is not required this is a block to be given to the outgoing president to thank them for their past year in office.
- there is also a friendship heart block in the back of the membership book that is made for a guild member for special events. These events will be announced as they present themselves.

Proposals to be considered:

- Bobby would like to make the following proposals:
 - All the funds made from the garage sale should be available for Charity chairmen to purchase fabric and batting for the guild's charity projects that the Guild is involved with. David Hurd 2nd the motion all agreed.
 - Any fabric batting donated to the guild should be gone through by the chairmen of the charity events to see what they can use for their projects. The remaining fabric can be dealt with accordingly. The proposal was voted and all agreed in favor. This will benefit everyone in the guild with the charity projects. Sheila Murray 2nd the motion.

Carlene Makawski motioned to adjourn the meeting and Carolyn Wolfe 2nd the motion.

Show and tell followed and was enjoyed by all.

Adjournment: Carlene Makawski motioned to adjourn the meeting and Carolyn Wolfe 2nd the motion.

Respectively submitted by Nancy Root.