

# Piece Corps Quilters Guild

*Meeting Minutes - March 2, 2020*



## Program

### Ugly Fabric Project

Members interested in participating signed up and received a fat quarter of (not-so-)ugly fabric. To participate in the contest, **due January 2021**, members must use at least half the fat quarter in a completed project. This can be a project of any kind - a wall hanging, bag, etc. - it just must be complete to be entered in the contest in January 2021. Fat quarters and half-page instructions were passed out to those wishing to participate. Contact the **Programming Committee** for more information.

### New Officers Introduction / Installation

(Introductions by table to continue through the year)

- President **Carla Proctor**
- Vice President **Mary Gaston**
- Secretary **Liz Gubernatis**
- Treasurer **Terry Peppers**
- Courtesy **Donna Giddens**
- Membership **Carol Sparks & Carol Fangman**

## Business Meeting

The **March 2, 2020** meeting was called to order by **President Carla Proctor**.

There were 67 members and no guests.

Two new members joined: **Marilyn Foti** and **Brenda Griffith**

Greeters were **Debbie Shimer** and **Theresa Culver**.

Hostesses were **Jennifer Wineinger**, **Barb Wilkerson**,  
**Penny Kuhnert**, and **Gina Christiansen**.

February minutes were accepted and approved as emailed.

The March 2020 treasurer report was read and approved for audit.

**Ending balance** was **\$8,416.87** with **Charity Balance** of **\$1,687.93**  
submitted by Terry Peppers.

## Yearbook

Yearbook is printed and available from **Terry Peppers**. Two rounds of applause to Terry for the great work expanding the Yearbook.

- Photos included - when you see a friendly face, say hello!
- New books necessitated a \$3 cost per member to offset printing costs.
- Membership happy with results - thank you **Terry Peppers!**

## Charity

**Janie Kemp** announced:

- 2 quilts have backing and batting and need to be quilted - looking for volunteers.
- Collected an additional 4-6 quilts at meeting from members.
- This month, 5 quilts were delivered to Vintage Gardens - recipients recognized the value and work put into quilts and shared personal connections to quilting - "My mother quilted..."
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**Bobbie Foster** shared:

- Members met and cut out 60+ receiving blankets over 4-5 hours.
- Another team of 5 members met and cut out 62 hospice gowns.

## Courtesy

**Donna Giddens** read out a thank you note:

- **Nancy S.** at **Birthright** thanks members for beautiful contributions and effort

## Fat Quarter Birthdays

**Mary Ann LaFollette** greeted March birthday members. **Rose Wood** received her fat quarters from our fat quarter birthday club. Other members that had a March Birthday from the 1st thru 20th received Milky Way candy bars because this was the candy of their zodiac sign.

## Workshops

Members who've signed up for workshops will receive more information from instructors.

- **Murla Leahy** is teaching a workshop on April 25th from 9am - 3pm at the Rolling Hills Library on the Belt Hwy.
  - Enough interested members that a waiting list/second event is in the works.
  - Collecting **\$15 from enrolled members** to cover cost of supplies.
  - More information will be coming including "homework" to get started.
  - **Watch your email!**
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## Announcements

- **Karen's Sewing Moment** - Aim for the perfect 1/4" seam, but more importantly stay consistent. And make sure to take your pins out before your needle can hit them! Danger and disaster avoided!
- **Heartland Quilt Network** - Annual Meeting to be held **April 4th** in Lenexa, KS 9:30am - 2pm. Registration required to attend, but open to any interested Members. Visit [heartlandquiltnetwork.com](http://heartlandquiltnetwork.com) for more information.
- **Retreat** - Save the Date for next guild retreat. **August 14-15, 2020**. Details to come.

## Quilt Show Committee

### asking for YOUR location suggestions

We're scouting a location for the 2020 Member Quilt Show - and coming up empty. Many churches and "usual suspects" have been investigated - and are either already booked or priced out of our budget. If you have an idea, connection, or other suggestion for quilt show committee, click the button below to connect with **Lisa Drapela**.

[Email My Suggestion to Lisa Drapela](#)

## Johnny Fry Day at Pony Express Museum

Volunteers are requested to show quilting and display quilts.

(particularly Log Cabin quilts)

See Terry Massengale for more information.

*This has been cancelled*

Following **Show and Tell**, the meeting adjourned



# Happy Quilting!

*See You Next Month*

**April meeting:**

April 6, 2020

Pony Express Museum, 914 Penn St, St. Joseph MO

**April Program:**

**Kelly Cline** - Vintage Quilting

**April Greeters:**

**Cindy Marlow and Stephanie Faul**

**April Hostesses:**

**Dianne Voliman, Dee Holland, Bobbie Foster, and Donna Giddens**

Respectfully submitted by Liz Gubernatis