

Piece Corps Quilters Guild

February 2020 Issue 365

January meeting: Feb 3, Pony Express Museum, 914 Penn St, St. Joseph MO

Program: Mini Workshops

February Greeters – Carol Sparks, Jacque Defenbaugh

February Hostesses – Linda Wise, Bobbie Foster, Donna Harrison

February Birthdays

2/2 Janie Kemp 2/2 Laurie Wall 2/4 Karen Leake 2/13 Linda Benitz
2/14 Beulah Cantrell 2/18 Debra Creal 2/29 Becky Tritten

The January 6, 2020, meeting was called to order by President Barb Wilkerson. There were 50 members and four guests: Linda Nickell, Karen Besinger, Brenda Griffith, Cari Apodoca. Three new members joined: Teggy Peterson, Nancy Ingram, Debra Creal. Greeter was Murla Leahy. Hostesses were Lanette Bocquin, Karen Vulgamott, Mary Gaston, and Debra Creal.

December minutes were accepted as emailed.

The January treasurer report was read and approved for audit. Ending balance was \$7,122.04 with Charity Balance of \$2,147.51.

Karen's Comments: Karen Vulgamott shared ideas for sorting and organizing fabric scraps.

Yearbook: Dues have been collected from 57 members. Members need to make any corrections for yearbook.

Charity: Janie Kemp announced that lap quilts and neck pillows were delivered to Pivotal Point, St. Joseph Chateau, Living Community. Bobbie Foster announced that BirthRight has bolts of flannel that can be made into receiving blankets and asked for volunteers to cut and hem them.

Courtesy. A note from Neil Makawski and the Fangman family was read thanking the guild members for supporting them after Carlene passed away.

Fat Quarter Birthdays: Mary Ann LaFollette greeted January birthday members with a sweet saying and candy.

Planning for 2020. Carla Proctor talked about importance of participating in committees and being involved. A sign up list for greeters, hostesses, and committees was circulated. Barb Miller shared information about a possible guild retreat. There was enough interest so she will reserve August 14-16, 2020, at Stoney Creek. The possibility of having a bus trip was also discussed. There was some interested, so Lisa Drapela volunteered to research and bring information back to the guild.

Announcements. Carol Perry is selling tickets for church quilt raffle. Instructions for outgoing President Barb's quilt blocks will be emailed to members.

Program: Dedra Litherland presented a program on Preparing Quilts for the Longarm.

Following Show and Tell, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Mary Gaston