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LINCOLN QUILTERS GUILD MEETING

Monday May 8, 2017

College View Seventh - day Adventist Church

President Joan Yoder called the meeting of the Guild to order and welcomed members to the third meeting of the year. Fifteen visitors were welcomed to the meeting and invited to join the Guild. Members were reminded to continue to register their presence by signing at the registration tables before each meeting. As a Guild member, it is your responsibility to update your address, phone numbers and email addresses with the membership chair.

OLD BUSINESS

1. The minutes of the April meeting as printed, in the Plain Print, were approved as printed.
2. The April treasurer's report was printed in the Plain Print. With no questions or comments, the treasurer's report was remanded for audit.
3. Electronic bulletins—Last month four electronic bulletins were sent out: the LQG Survey, April's Plain Print, LQG's programs and classes, and the LQG's survey results. If you have not received these emails, please confirm your current email address with the membership chair.
4. By-Law Article VIII—This By-Law states that Guild meetings shall be held each month except Dec., Jan., Feb., and June. The board is requesting its members to vote on deleting June, in the By-Laws, since the Guild intermittently meets during this month.

Linda Johnson moved to delete June in the By-Laws Article VIII. Barbara Brown seconded. Motion passed.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Members who signed up to be a Plain Print Buddy should contact Kate Laucomer directly at 402-440-1530. The previous list was inadvertently misplaced.
2. 2018 Vice President of Programs and Nominating Committee Member—Holly Zemke is moving back to North Carolina the end of June and is resigning her position as both the 2018 VP of Programs (with Kathy Bangsund) and a member of the nominating committee. Joan Yoder is looking for a veteran Guild member to serve on the nominating committee; someone who has been a member for a number of years, who is acquainted with many of our members and their strengths in how to better serve the Guild, in its various activities and responsibilities. She is also looking for someone to serve alongside Kathy Bangsund as the 2018 VP of Programs. Please note that Holly and Kathy have been hard at work and have filled all 9 months of lectures/classes for the 2018 Guild year. Please contact Joan if you are willing to serve.
3. LQG Survey Results—The results of the LQG member survey showed that the five items important for the continued success of the Guild, which received the highest ratings by members, were: quality programs (88%), quality classes (72%), LQG website (73%), affordable dues (67%) and email bulletins with current LQG news/happenings (62%). The Board will continue to review the results.
4. Garage Sale—Vicky Skuodas reported that the April 25 and 26 garage sale earned \$1267.70 with 350 people attending. Left over items were given to the Study Center, various churches, and thrift shops. Vicky kept a Yarn Tree, which is a rotating rack to hold spools of yarn, for a knitting machine, and a floor standing Q snap frame which could be used for hand quilting or displaying quilts. Contact Vicky if you would like either of these items.
5. 2018 Quilt Show Chair—Pat Kant added her thanks to Joan and Vicky for their work with the garage sale and the Isles sale. The LQG is seeking an individual to Chair the Quilt Show for 2018. The Biennial Show celebrating the 45th year of LGQ is scheduled for August 2, 3, and 4th at the Lincoln Christian School. This individual will oversee and coordinate the planning of this significant fundraising event as well as the opportunity for the Guild to display the exceptional talents of our organization and promote LQG programs that support the community. Reference materials for previous shows will be available providing a framework for the committees. This

person may seek a co-chair to facilitate the activities, and a 'Quilt Mom". This person should have good organizational and leadership skills with a desire to promote a quality program to the community.

Pat has contacted many individuals to fill this roll, but has been unsuccessful to date. She is hopeful that this opportunity to serve as the 2018 Quilt Show Chair will be too good to refuse. Please contact Pat Kant at 402-540-7855 if you are willing to consider serving in this position.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

IQSCM Liaison—Bev Thurber reported for Ann Hauder on the exhibitions now showing at IQSCM.

Layered Voices is a juried exhibition from more than 500 entries submitted by members of SAQA (Studio Art Quilt Associates). The members were presented with a challenge to create a new work of art exploring layers either literal or metaphorical. These are amazing pieces of art. This exhibit will be displayed from April 4 to July 30, 2017.

Quilt Japan is a selection of prize-winning pieces from the 12th Quilt Japan Competition in 2013. This is one of the most prestigious quilt competitions in the world and the largest, in Japan, that began in 1989, and became an international show in 2005. The exhibit will be displayed until May 21, 2017.

Sacred Scraps: Quilts and Patchwork Traditions of Central Asia, opens May 21 and will be displayed until Oct. 15, 2017.

Mini-Quilt Raffle—Rosalind Carr reported that the May Raffle income was \$185.50. Sandy Anderson, Rosalind Carr, Donna Jensen and two anonymous donors donated raffle items. Winners were Kristi Purintun, Kay Hoff, Megan Patent-Nygren, Janel Hibberd and Pat (last name not recorded).

Quilt Guild Program for Walt Branch Library—Kath Conroy requested that additional helpers are needed for a workshop on quilting to be presented at the library Saturday, June 10, from 12:30 to 4:00pm. She sent around a signup sheet and will contact volunteers by email with more information.

Programs—Donna Welte announced that the June 12th program will be "ABC—Come Spell with Me" presented by Connie Olson. The class will be "Diamonds are a Quilters Best Friend". There are fourteen signed up with room for a total of 25. Programs for the remaining months can be accessed on the Guild web page.

Donna then introduced Scott Flanagan from Fremont who spoke on “My Quilting Journey.”

Respectfully submitted by secretary,
Marilynn Schnepf.

Program information and class registrations for the remaining months can be obtained from the [Lectures and Classes](#) page of the Guild website.

Treasurer's Report

LQG Treasurer's Report - April
2017

Beginning Cash Balance 4/1/2017 \$56,733.97

RECEIPTS

Checking Interest \$1.07

Membership \$635.00

Mini-Raffle \$111.00

Visitor Fees \$115.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$862.07

DISBURSEMENTS

1. Operations Expenses

Ins and bonding \$34.59

Biennial Non Profit Fee \$20.00

Meeting Room Rent \$230.00

Resource Room Rent \$25.00

Programs and Classes \$948.60

National Quilting Day \$499.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS \$1,757.19

NET CASH (IN/OUT) (\$895.12)

Ending Cash Balance 4/28/2017 \$55,838.85

Current Checking Balance \$27,616.49

Current CD Balance \$28,222.36

Total Cash 4/28/2017 \$55,838.85