

June 2010 GENERAL MEETING

The meeting was called to order on June 8, 2010 at 1:00 and 7:00 pm, respectively, by Guild President Vera Zahner.

- ✓ Guests were asked to stand and were acknowledged by applause.
 - ✓ Happy birthday was sung to Delma Carter.
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Report by President:

- Minutes from the May General Meeting and Board meeting actions were posted on the bulletin board for review and signature.
- Financial Reports were posted on the bulletin board.
- The minutes from the General Meetings are posted on the Guild website.
- Two coats were left after the May meeting.
- A person is needed to replace Barb Moore on the Charity Quits Committee next year.
- The 26th Annual Sunflower Piecemakers Quilt Show will be held in Ottawa, Kansas on June 26-27, 2010. For more information, visit <http://sunflowerpiecemakers.com/calendarofevents.html>

Grant Committee Special Guests:

Amy Lawson and Jamie Peterson from Colvin Elementary thanked the Guild for the grant monies used to teach the 5th Grade class the art of quilt making. A video titled "*The 5th Grade Art Quilting Project*" was shown. The video concluded with a picture of the student with their finished quilt.

Birthday Block

Sharon Smith announced the winners of the birthday blocks.

Birthday Block Winners:

Donna Leiker -22
Mary Ellen Brace – 20
Vera Zahner -22
Phyllis Schanbacher -20
Sharlene Schaffer -20
Linda Betts – 20
Paula Rock - 20

Workshops – Debbie Jones

There are five spaces left for Pam Bono's workshop in July. The workshop is called *Snowmen Are Just a Bowl of Flakes*. Three different kits are available. Two of the kits cost \$21 and the other kit cost \$31.

The September workshop will be on how to identify antique fabrics in a quilt. The first half of the workshop will be a lecture and the second half will be looking at quilts the participants bring in order to date the fabrics in them.

2010 Common Threads Quilt Show

Jackie Clark, Chairperson of the Quilt Show, announced there were still large posters and mini poster available.

Advanced Show tickets were available for those that wished to purchase them in advance.

Lisa Johnson announced volunteers will get one day free admission to the show. There are three volunteer positions available to sell the Opportunity Quilt tickets at the show.

No concessions will be available during the set-up period.

Cleo Monte's June 24th class has no material charge so those that were charged a fee will get a refund.

Large and mini posters are available for distribution.

Nancy Staton requested members contact her if they have a cloth doll they would be willing to loan to the show. This non-judged category is to determine if there is enough of an interest so next year this category would be judged. Interested persons should fill out the form and include the story of the doll.

Jan Hutchison announced Carol Elmore would be available to appraise quilts on Saturday and Sunday. The cost of each appraisal is \$40.00.

There will be a reception at the Sr. Center on Wednesday, June 23 at 7:00 pm for Anita Shakelford, the judge for the Show. Special award winners will be announced.

Nonie England announced there are 70 mini quilts to date for the auction. Bid cards can be picked up on Saturday morning from 10-12am. Prizes will be given away during the auction. The money raised goes to fund the Grant Program for the next two years.

Reminder to pick up the packets which include all information about quilt delivery and pick-up. Correction: East side drop-off location will be JoAnn Blackmore and not Marilyn Christensen.

Sharon Allman is selling the official Quilt Show shirts. The 1X and larger shirts will cost \$15.00 each. The large size and smaller are \$12.00 each. All sizes are available in five different colors. Show pins are \$5.00 each.

Program

The June speaker was storyteller, Judy Nichols. She encouraged all quilters to share stories of their quilts with family members. She told two fascinating stories...one about the part a prairie family's quilts played during their journey across a new, unsettled territory to the hole in the side of a hill that would become home to them. The other about a rebellious family member whose quilt became the one constant that continued to draw her back to her family.

Door Prize Drawings

Hospitality Chair, Sandra Coln, drew for door prizes. Cookie and beverages were enjoyed by members and guest celebrating the Guild's birthday.

No further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Approved: _____

Seconded: _____

Dixie Decker, Secretary PQG 2010