

## **PTQ Minutes - October 11, 2022**

**Business Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm** by Co-President Jean Berger.

There were 43 members present.

**Secretary's Report** by Julia Stavran. Minutes of September 27, 2022 were read. No questions or corrections.

**Treasurer's Report** by Linda Maly. No corrections or additions

**Vice Presidents' Report** Diane Neises reported a change to the November 22nd meeting. Rose Grych will be conducting a class for members after the meeting to make Folded Star Hot Pads. A sign up sheet was routed with info on supplies.

Sonia Miller, incoming VP for 2023-24 term requested help from members for special projects throughout the year. Contact Sonia if you would be interested in working on this team.

**Presidents' Report** Jean Berger summarized items discussed at the board meeting prior to the business meeting.

- By-laws, policies and procedures will be reviewed and changes brought to the membership for approval
- Continuing to collect information and build a list of community charities to donate quilts
- Discussed various special projects that the guild is involved in throughout the year
- Support for the skill builders project by approving 2 \$50 gift certificates from quilt stores to award in March
- Plan to create and distribute new name tags
- First look at the proposed budget for 2023. Plan to bring budget to membership at November meetings

### **Committee Reports**

**Treethaven Retreat** Pat Taylor submitted a report that registrations have been submitted and are closed. Cancellations will be subject to fees assessed by the facility. 32 members are registered. Pat will send out an email at a later date to registered participants with more details.

**Newsletter.** No Report Reminder that the next newsletter will go out in early December and the deadline for items is before Thanksgiving.

**Holiday Party Committee** Lynn Trembath reported that an invite went out to all by email with date, location and time. More information and a reservation form will go out after this evening's meeting. Cost for the buffet meal at Dale's Weston Lanes is \$25. The reservation form is designed so that members can pay for the party and 2023 dues with one check. Lynn discussed the charity donation of cash that will be collected and divided between 2 community groups that have food pantries - The Neighbor's Place in Wausau and The Community Center of Hope in Mosinee. There will be a potholder and block exchange at the party. Information will be sent out on specifics. Joan Dombrowski explained the guidelines for the block exchange. Linda Maly explained details for the potholder exchange. **NOTE: potholders and blocks are due at the November 22nd meeting.**

**Friendship Block** Sheila Frey presented her new block Big T and distributed packets with fabric included. Due at December 13th meeting.

**Community Quilts** No report. Remember that community quilts will be tied after the day meeting in October.

**Skill Builders Project** Kai Oelke encouraged everyone to complete their quilt tops and bring them to the March meetings. Members that complete a top with 16 of the 20 block patterns will be eligible for one of two \$50 gift cards to local quilt shops through a random drawing. Lois will be offering finishing instructions.

**New Business** None

**Meeting adjourned at 7 pm.**

**Skill Builder** - The last 2 blocks presented by Lois Wilhelm and Cathy Teske. Lois demonstrated the technique to complete a quarter square triangle block. Cathy Teske demonstrated the nosegay block with Y seams, discussing starching and pressing instruction to get better result.

**Program - Preliminary Report from Quilt College Committee Members.**

**Show and Tell** followed - 8 members.

Respectfully submitted,  
Julia Stavran  
PTQ Secretary