

PTQ Minutes - September 26, 2023

Meeting called to order at 10:03 am by Co-President, Lois Wilhelm.

There were 54 members present.

Secretary's Report Julia Stavran read the minutes of September 12, 2023. No corrections or additions.

Treasurer's Report No report.

Vice President's Report Sonia Miller thanked everyone who brought in food or cash donations for Blessings in a Backpack. The Collage Quilt workshop with Susan Guarneri is today and tomorrow so today is the day to get paid up.

On October 24th Laurie Landree will conduct a class, "Make a Face" for \$50 which includes the pattern. There are 20 spots; the supply list was included in the newsletter. October 24th is also the day of the HST reveal.

Sonia is seeking volunteers for demonstrating various techniques involved with using circles for the final schoolhouse demos in November.

Presidents' Report Lois Wilhelm reported that an email had come in to the PTQ website from former member, Shirley Salle's daughter. This has started communication back and forth between this daughter, Lois and Pat Gaska. Shirley Salle passed away many years ago but her daughter is seeking information about her quilting experiences. A friendship quilt that had been made and gifted to Shirley when she left the area to move out east was named "True Blue Friends". From a picture blocks from members Lois, Pat Gaska, Jan Meachen and Candy Wasmundt could be identified.

Lois announced that per the PTQ By Laws a Board meeting needs to be held within 30 days of the election of new officers. This Board Meeting will be on October 10th before the next evening meeting. All board members and interested members are invited to attend. If any member has business to bring to the Board please forward it.

Committee Reports

Quilt College Theresa Gutsch reported that registrations are in the high 60's. The QC Committee had a meeting with the 2 instructors last week and both of them are excited to be a part of this. The Committee was impressed with how they will be working with participants.

Retreats Faye Slizewski reported that sign up sheets are available for the fall retreat October 25-29 at Treehaven. Full payment is now due by October 8th so today's meeting is the last meeting to pay.

Newsletter New deadline for submissions is Thanksgiving week.

Community Quilts Maureen Mantor announced that quilt tying will begin October 24th. Maureen has kits for those who want to put quilts together at home. Cindy Brouillard announced that she and Ann Hagman will deliver quilts to the veteran's home next week. Cindy said that we have reached our goal of 300 placemats.

Holiday Party Info and sign up sheet is in the newsletter. Event will be on December 12, 2023 at The Pinewood Supper Club in Mosinee.

Friendship Block Theresa Gutsch thanked members for making blocks. Drawing was held and the new winner was Roxanne Baumann.

Old Business None

New Business None.

Meeting adjourned at 10:30 am.

Program: Susan Guarneri CQA (Collage Quilt Artist) presented "Collage Quilting: My Creative Journey" Show and Tell followed - 15 members shared projects including 5 collage quilts.

Respectfully submitted,

Julia Stavran, PTQ Secretary