

EUREKA! QUILTERS

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President's Notes

From the President

It is really looking like fall in the Ozarks. We had 10 members at our October meeting: Albena Link, Margy Thompson, Chris Ritthaler, Linda Brashear, Susan Stille, Sue Hammer, Therese Ramsey, Jan Slusser, Pat Wilson and Roxanne Royster. It was great to see Therese, seemingly recovered and bearing antique linens and some fabric to give away.

After the business meeting and show and tell, five of the group went to lunch at Horseshoe Grill. Rainy weather prevented us from eating at the truck next to the quilt shop. Only three people went to the quilt shop for a demonstration of a ruler that does curves and to enjoy the 25% discount. Marybeth McCormick was working in the shop so we had the opportunity to visit with her and see some of what she has been working on.

The winter holidays are fast approaching. We will need to decide at the upcoming meeting if we want to do anything festive for the December meeting. One thought is to get fried chicken from Sunfest and members carry in sides. Secret Santa gifts were mentioned at the October meeting, but I don't think that we acted on that idea. Suggestions are welcome.

Catherine will demonstrate three star blocks in November, members are asked to bring patriotic fabric, blue or red fabrics to exchange. Catherine hopes that everyone will make three stars by January

that can be assembled into a couple patriotic charity quilts.

Hope to see you on the 10th. -RR

Mission Statement

The purpose of the Eureka ! Quilter's Guild shall be to create, stimulate, maintain and record an interest in all matters pertaining to the making, collecting, and preserving of quilts and to establish and promote educational and philanthropy

Meeting Minutes of October 13, 2021

Meeting was called to order at 10:08 by President Royster.

Announcements:

- Community Stitching at Holiday Island on Friday.
- Some members of the Guild will be going to lunch after today's meeting. All are invited to join.

Secretary and Financial Reports: Both reports were distributed in the newsletter. Having no corrections the reports were moved by Chris Ritthaler and seconded by Sue Hammer. Motion carried.

Sunshine:

- No reports for sunshine.

Vice President's Report:

- There was nothing to report at present.

Historian:

- Roxanne reported that the pictures in the binder are up to date and available for everyone to view.

Programming:

- Jan advised that "Lisa, The Hollister Quilt Lady" has been rescheduled for March. Discussion ensued as there was uncertainty as to whether she would be charging for mileage. There was also uncertainty as to whether she would charge for the program or if she expected members to purchase her ruler, The Basix Ruler. There is a possibility of a trunk show to demonstrate quilts made using the ruler. Not being sure how many members were interested in purchasing the ruler, Jan will clarify if a demonstration is planned or if actual sewing activity is expected, and how she would be compensated.

Retreat:

- No report at this time.

New Business:

It was decided that the Guild would take a break this Christmas and would not have a Holiday Project.

Old Business:

- Members were reminded that Catherine Henson will be providing the program for November. As a possible project to do more patriotic quilts members are asked to bring patriotic fabrics in November to exchange. It is hoped that each member will do three blocks and bring them in January for a quilt to be assembled later.

Show and Tell:

Roxanne Royster displayed a beautiful quilt she had made from the pattern “Almost Alone Star”. The quilt was in subtle tones using strips. Rust toned fabric was used for accent. Very beautifully done.

Pat Wilson showed us a charity quilt made using assorted blocks in multicolored fabric. Each row of blocks was made using the same fabrics in each block. Each row was a different block. It was a stunning use of color.

Sue Hammer displayed two quilts made by using nine patches of many colors. Each quilt was beautifully pulled together with the effective use of sashing.

Margy Thompson showed us a quilt she had made for the Sheriff’s ranch. She used 5” charm squares. Margy, too, effectively used sashing with yellow and brown accents. A very good use of color to produce a beautiful quilt.

Respectfully submitted,

Albena Link
Co-secretary

Treasury by Bonnie Frederick

Sorry, no activity in treasury. \$8175.01.

Update on Nick:

I am telling you what is going on with my life right now Nick is Somerset Nursing Home is Harrison. He is in Hospice Care with Legacy the pastor from there has called me to keep me up to date for I go every day except druggist called to come and get third shot I did but could not go to see him for two days am going today. I went Thursday and it was so hard for he did not know me anymore, they called this morning and said they called hospice to review him again for he can not eat regular food I knew that for I fed him puddings they brought and he does not know how to drink from a straw any more I gave him liquids with spoon, this is so hard. Social worker told me to get our things together for we both want to be cremated so will check out this other place Monday. Everyday is harder then the last. I pray for his mom come and get him for he did ask for her

in hospital. Memorial service I have talked to my Pastor and it will be at Peace Lutheran Church in Hollister, Missouri. Love you all , Fayla