

Friendship Knot Quilters' Guild
Executive Board Meeting
April 3, 2014

The April meeting of the FKQG was called to order by President Karen Clark at 6:20 P.M. at Karen's home. Present at the meeting were: Karen Clark, President; Cass Bowen, Past President; Joy Abbott, Treasurer; Marcia Slocum, Secretary; Elva Farrell, 1st Vice President; Mary Nissen, 2nd Vice-President; and Gayle Hages, Workshop Coordinator; Lynn Purple, New Members.

NEW BUSINESS:

Education Report: Elva gave an update on the teachers for 2015. 5 teachers are lined up, and one more is needed for February. There will be a meeting to choose the workshops next Thursday at Elva's home. The newsletter has information about the classes being held in November.

Programs: Mary has put together a binder for the retreats with information for the camp leaders. Subsequent camp leaders can add information they think will be useful to pass on.

Job Descriptions Project: Cass has taken on this project—to get the board member and committee chairman job descriptions written up.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Parliamentarian: This position remains open. Anyone interested needs to be knowledgeable about Robert's Rules of Order.

Newsletter: Announcements that benefit members or relate to a commercial venture must be in a paid ad or a brochure may be placed on the table by the entrance for members to pick up before the meetings.

Library: Anna will continue to store some books at her house for now.

Cottage Groups: Terri Reiman and Sue Brown, the new cottage group chairs are getting some people interested in new groups. They will also work with Lynn Purple.

New Members: The next get-together will be held in April at Lynn Purple's house rather than at the Senior Friendship Center.

Quilt Show: Discussion regarding the entry fee for members and non-members: Members will be admitted with no charge, regular admission will be \$8.00, and a

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reduced rate of \$7.00 for those coming in a group by bus. Joy made a motion to pass this increase in admission fees, and Elva seconded it. Passed unanimously.

June, July and August Programs: The June program will be 4 small group demonstrations: Elizabeth Johnson: Felting; Cass Bowen: Labels; Ann Greene: Joining Bindings; Lynn Miguez: Pillowcases.

The July meeting will be an Ice Cream Social and we will be making pillowcases as a charity project.

The August meeting will be Barb from Crafty Threads and Judy Neimeyer trunk show.

September: Moda Trunk Show

October: Looking into the Modern Quilt Guild presenting a program.

Habitat for Humanity: Anne McCunney will continue to be the go-to person for this charity.

Historian: Donna is away for the summer. We need someone else to take the pictures during the summer, and send them on to Linda Pearce.

Quilt Show: Still researching renting of the Pipes and Drapes. Estimated cost per show is \$2500. This includes set up and take down, and would not require us to spend money for our large storage unit. A small storage unit would still be needed. The budget for the Quilt Show will be presented next month.

Karen Brennan will be working on an "In Memoriam" display at the 2015 Quilt Show.

OLD BUSINESS:

Memorial Committee: Karen Emerton looking into this.

NEW BUSINESS:

The microphones are working well now!

Bus Trip: The bus trip went from Sarasota to Deland. It was successful, and everyone had a good time. Suggestions for some improvements were made and noted.

The next meeting of the Executive Committee will be Thursday, May 1, 2014, at Joy Abbott's home at 6:00 p.m. Address: 4080 Basswood, Sarasota.

Respectfully submitted,

Marcia Slocum, Secretary

