## Card Tricks Chapter Minutes

May 12, 2022

The February meeting began at 2:00 p.m. with a presentation by Cindy Seitz-Krug on what quilt show judges look for.

After the presentation, President Elaine Mahaffey brought the meeting to order at 3:12.

Attendance: (See attendance sign-in sheet)

## **Business:**

- 1. The first order of business was to introduce guests (Sharon Hofer, Emily Canzano, Tonya Messenger, and Pat Luhmann) and to remind everyone to give Paule-Marie their dollar for the church.
- 2. Ellen Y. moved and Cheryl H seconded a motion to accept the minutes of the prior meeting as written. The motion was approved.
- 3. Paule-Marie presented the treasurer's report. Current balance is \$4790.15, of which \$633.31 is for the Patriotic Piecers. Jeannette W moved and Cheryl H seconded a motion to accept the treasurer's report as presented. The motion passed.
- 4. Patriotic Piecers report: Maggie is in charge of this year's Opportunity quilt. She passed out envelopes with \$20 worth of tickets for members to sell. Tickets are \$1 each with no bulk discounts.
- 5. The program committee gave a brief report on the Scrap Happy Quilt Camp. Evaluations were overwhelmingly positive. A second day camp is being planned for October 6 & 7. The round robin quilt project is still going and will end this month. Next month a new project will be introduced called "Jenny Lane"
- 6. Quilt show report:
  - a. Applications for the quilt show are available on our website and also in person at Pinetop Star
  - b. The flyer has been approved and is currently being printed. Advertisements have been arranged for the Country Register, the Maverick magazine, and the Independent. Diana will try to get the Pinetop Town Hall to display an announcement on their sign during the quilt show. If anyone is willing to help take flyers around to various stores and community bulletin boards, Diana will bring the flyers to the next meeting for distribution. Flyers are also being sent to all quilt stores in Arizona and to all non-AQG guilds. If you know of a quilting group, please give contact information to Diana so she can send them flyers.
  - c. Ellen reported that the permit for the show is in progress with the city.
  - d. Raffle tickets are being distributed to all members. Please give money from the tickets to Ellen.
  - e. Six vendors have been confirmed for the show. If anyone knows of possible vendors, please let Susan D know. It was suggested that we have a scissor sharpener as a vendor, but there may be a problem with liability for potential metal shavings. Jodi knows

someone who may be interested in collecting scissors to sharpen (not actually sharpening them at the show) or else possibly sharpening them outside.

- 7. The discussion returned to Quilt Camp. It was suggested that quilt camp might be held at the church to bring the cost down, as some members were unable to afford the fees. Jody moved and Jeannette seconded a motion to suggest we develop a way to raise funds to either subsidize camp or to award scholarships/ financial assistance to help. Susan D. recommended a subsidy would be better. Ellen felt we needed to build the treasury back up first due to the low balance. It was suggested that we have a silent auction table at the quilt show with raffle baskets and donated quilted items to raise funds for a specific fund in the treasury dedicated to subsidizing two quilt camps each year. Diana, Sandy, and Jeannette will be the committee to manage this. If any members would like to donate a raffle basket, items that could go in a raffle basket, or quilted items for the silent auction, please talk to one of the three committee members or bring the items to the next meeting. \$13 was donated at the meeting to the subsidy fund.
- 8. Upcoming quilt shows:
  - a. Mountain Top June 3/4
  - b. Round Valley June 24/25
  - c. Strawberry June 10/11
- 9. Sandy won the Fat Quarter Basket
- 10. Jody won the door prize
- 11. Show and Tell:
  - a. Ellen: "Take Five" quilt
  - b. Emily: various bags
  - c. Cheryl: "100 blocks in 100 days" quilt
  - d. Sandy: items made at quilt camp including quilt camp apron, strip quilt block, crumb quilt notebook cover, and tote using cut/slash technique
  - e. Maggie: Cross stitch quilt
  - f. Marlys: quilt camp apron
  - g. Gayle: hummingbird quilt
  - h. Susan: 3 quilts made by Jackie and quilted by Susan for Walking Down Ranch, a black and white quilt, and a colorful quilt
  - i. Diana: elephant kid's quilt and crumb quilt
  - i. Elaine: gnomes quilt
  - k. Paule-Marie: tote bag, mini quilts for patriotic piecers
  - 1. Jeannette: Tee shirt quilt
- 12. Marlys moved and Jeannette seconded a motion to adjourn at 4:16.

Respectfully submitted, Diana Anderson Chapter Secretary