

## **PEBBLECREEK QUILTERS CLUB**

### **Board Meeting April 5, 2021**

**Attendance:** Roberta Penchina, Sandy Crabtree, Linda Rowe, Marka Locker, Ronda Jones, Carol Moonan, Mary Hill, Patsy Wagner, George Wagner, Carole Schumacher.

**President:** Ronda Jones called the meeting to order at 9am. Masks are required to be worn to enter the building or be in the hallway. In the room you may choose to wear them but are not required to wear them.

**Vice President:** Marka reported the holiday luncheon is booked for Dec 13, the second Monday of December. She also booked both spring (April 11, 2022) and holiday (December 12, 2022) luncheons for 2022. Meetings for the summer are not yet able to be booked. Sep – Dec, we are scheduled for the Eagle's Nest Ballroom.

**Secretary:** Carol passed around a sample of the new Note Card. Most of the 500 notes are in the top shelf of the 3<sup>rd</sup> cabinet. Notes and envelopes in separate boxes.

**Treasurer:** George reported education brought in \$708. Current balance Checking: \$6100, longarm: \$9600.

**Publicity:** Linda is continuing to write articles. The Opportunity Quilt will be in the display window during June and July. She will advertise this.

**Community Service:** Patsy reported that Sat, April 17 will be the Jelly Roll Race workshop. The workshop is already full, with a waiting list. They are cutting and providing the jelly rolls.

Dresses from the Heart: Asking if they can use fabric from our closet. Each dress uses approximately 2/3 – 1 yard. This is not one of the currently approved charities of the Quilt Club. We will donate some fabric to them as part of the Sewing Club, but the Quilt Club fabric will not be made available for these projects. It was donated to the Quilt Club and the board felt it should be used for those purposes.

Go With the Flow are also asking for fabric donation. They were told they can use small scraps.

29 Fidget Mats were created. Some are in the window. Lots more supplies for decorating them are still available for future projects.

**Programs:** Sandy reported that Patti Schultz's class went well.

Karen McCarty - Appliqueing class on April 13/14. 5 / 3 registered for the two days. Sandy will see if the 2 classes can be combined. Ronda will see if Sandy can also receive notification when someone signs up for this and future classes, so Sandy can keep a closer track on registration as it happens.

Diane Johnson will teach a One Block Wonder class in October.

Marlene Kuskie will teach an applique class. Teri Burnett also volunteered to teach a class. Sandy will follow up with them to schedule.

Global Quilt Connection: For \$75 we can register our club for May 22 and 23. On those days, our club members can log in to a variety of classes between 12 – 3pm. A schedule of this opportunity will be shared with our members.

**Long Arm:** Roberta reported Ron Paul is due to come this month to work on the longarm, exact date unknown. Machine is working except for horizontal and vertical lock. Roberta returned the new bobbin winder. She wrote a strong bad review and then was given a refund. Old bobbin winder now working. Do not touch tension on machine or on bobbin winder!

Bobbin Problem: today we have 40 bobbins, but some days only 23. People are taking bobbins home and not bringing them back. Quilters should buy their own bobbins if they want to bring them home to use the remaining thread for binding. Roberta will purchase extra bobbins to sell to people who want them. The current bobbins will remain in the room but should not be taken out of the room. If you want to use the thread you can use the side winder to transfer the extra thread on to your own bobbin that you must bring in.

Certifications – 27 people are waiting to be certified. Roberta will start doing them.

### **New Business:**

Hours and use of room are following the CDC Guidelines, so we do not expect longer hours in the near future.

Veterans Appreciation project – Cynthia Schwartz – A luncheon is scheduled for Thursday, Nov 11. This is where the quilts will be given out. Cynthia is working on the details, and will report this week if she needs more quilts. Sandy offered to quilt smaller quilts at her home for the Veterans if needed.

The serious need for more space was discussed by the board. Linda and Carole will compose a letter to send to the HOA, via Bill Barnard, GM, specifically requesting more space for the Quilt Club. They will identify all the charities we support and give a conservative estimate of the value of our donations. Also specify all the groups that currently use the fiber arts room and the number of people in each. Ronda will approve the letter before it goes out.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Roberta and seconded by Sandy. Meeting adjourned at 10:25am.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Moonan