

PEBBLECREEK QUILTERS

Board Meeting 9-7-2021

Attendance: Ronda Jones, Marka Locker, Carol Moonan, Debbie Arsenault, Cynthia Schwartz, Nancy Muramoto, Linda Rowe, Chris Booth, Irene Lukes, JoEllen Cruze and Patsy Wagner.

President: Ronda called meeting to order at 9:00am and reminded all to please silence phones.

Holiday Fest/ December 4, 9am – 4pm: If you want to sell something, you must become a consigner and pay 22% to Robson. We have the display window and the large display window. Opportunity Quilt will be hung and on display to sell tickets during the fest. We will give the large window back to the Gallery and hang several charity quilts in the small window, which will be for sale during the fest. Jo Ellen is handling our items for the Holiday Fest.

Please be sure to clean room (tables, equipment anything that you have touched) before you leave. Do not leave it for the last person in the room to clean the entire room. **ALSO BE SURE THAT EVERYTHING IS PUT AWAY AND THE CABINET DOORS ARE LOCKED.** Door should be locked when the last person leaves the room.

Vice President: No report.

Secretary: No report, no notes sent out in August.

Treasurer: \$4537.43 in checking, \$10,108.90 in longarm repair/replacement.

Publicity: Linda reported she will write an article about the Ice Cream Social. Will include photos about Tamara Tarr's mosaic class. Article for the October PCP, will include the Opportunity Quilt, referencing the Holiday Fest on Dec 4 as an opportunity to purchase tickets.

Community Service: Patsy reported the Sew Day in August made Receiving Blankets. 23 blankets are done.

Sep 25: Donna Aybar will teach Zippy Strippy Bags. No sign ups required – just come.

The use of fabric from cabinets is still available at this time to our members, but might not be for much longer. Intent was to make it available for small pieces or to make a charity quilt. Also Patsy will remind at the General Meeting that batting in the closet is only for use in making charity quilts – NOT personal quilts.

New labels for donation quilts are coming. They are larger and include care instructions.

Programs: Global connection - still determining if we will renew this class opportunity.

Long Arm: Scheduled times for afternoon will now start at 12:15pm, so we won't disturb other groups. Longarm Machine is working well. The instructors certified 19 people in the last month, with 20 still on the list.

We need experienced longarm quilters who are able to mentor new quilters until they get experience. New buddies can work together but need more experience before going "solo". Please help them when they ask you – or volunteer as a mentor.

Standing Committees:

Veterans Day: Cynthia Schwartz is meeting with her committee tomorrow. Linda Rowe is heading the group for next year and will participate this year. So far, they have \$1650. committed funds for the luncheon, to pay for Veterans and their guests. 30 Veterans are on the nominated list. Luncheon will be first, then program in the theater at 2pm. The program tickets must be purchased separately for \$5 from the Activity Office. Historically, the theater program tickets sell out. The rest of the details will be determined at the meeting tomorrow.

Social Committee: Chris reported that the Ice Cream Social was fun but we had 5 last minute cancellations, which the club had to pay for. Deadline to cancel a reservation is a week ahead. This was troublesome to the committee, as it wastes the club's money.

Marka made a motion: We will charge a nominal fee, to be determined, for any cancellation after the reservation deadline of a financially sponsored club social event. This was seconded by Patsy. All were in favor.

Nominating Committee: Chris Booth reported they are still working on getting the slate completed. The slate will be announced at the October General Meeting. The ballots will be online. Winners will be announced at November meeting and take office at December meeting.

New Business:

Sept 9th, Ronda, Patsy and Carol will be Speaking at 1st Southern Baptist Church in Buckeye. They invited us and are asking us to do a presentation explaining what we do. We will bring samples of our projects and the Opportunity Quilt with tickets to sell.

Holiday Fest will be held on Saturday December 4th – 9am - 4 pm. The sewing room will be closed to quilters on Friday Dec 3rd Saturday Dec 4th and Sunday Dec 5th. If you want to sell something during this fest, you need to become a consignor. See the gallery for information. We will be selling tickets for the opportunity quilt.

Some club members have been entering the room while other groups are still using it during their scheduled time. Marka will make a sign for the door saying, "Please do not enter", Class in Session.

Ronda received several requests for assistance from several groups in the community. She is getting more information and will forward.

Next General Meeting is Monday, September 13, 7pm in the Chianti Room.

Next board meeting is Monday, October 4, 9am in the CAC.

Linda moved and Marka seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting. Meeting was adjourned at 10:25.

Respectfully submitted,
Carol Moonan