

PebbleCreek Quilters
2-06-2023 Board Meeting

Attendance: Karen Bogadi, Debbie Arsenault, Darlene Helker, Jonnie Chandler, Mary Hill, Chris Booth, Maureen Strachan, JoEllen Cruze, Donna Aybar, Linda Publicover, Roberta Penchina, Hiromi, Bashore, and Cynthia Nunn.

1.) President Karen Bogadi called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM.

2.) Vice-President Debbie Arsenault reported the Spring Luncheon will be held on April 10th, please save the date. Debbie recently attended the CAC council meeting in which clubs are being asked to brain-storm fundraiser recruitment ideas which would provide “a teaching sampling” moment for members of the PebbleCreek community. More details will be provided in the future.

3.) Programs: Please check the website for upcoming programs.

4.) Treasurer Darlene Helker reported that approximately 15 members have not renewed for the 2023 year. Donna Aybar is currently calling these members to assist with any extenuating circumstances that may prevent them from renewing their membership. Darlene also reported that Zelle has now been set up for members to use for longarm Fees, luncheons, or any other payments. The clubs email is: info@pebblecreekquilters.org The current balance is: Checking: \$8,073.41 Petty Cash: \$ 50.00 Longarm Savings: \$11,713.76 Total: \$19,837.17

5.) Publicity Jonnie Chandler had nothing to report.

6.) Longarm Committee: Roberta Penchina is asking members to return any longarm bobbins that they may have borrowed. Many bobbins are missing.

7.) Community Service Mary Hill reported 5 quilts and 20 fidget mats were donated to hospice, 1 quilt to Ryan’s House, 15 dog beds, 12 Breast Cancer Pillows and 2 quilts to the Gallery for sale. Members are asked to email Mary Hill for copies of any new charity patterns. Hiromi Bashore is

looking for a Co-Chair to assist her when she becomes the Community Service Coordinator in May.

8.) Opportunity Quilt: Cynthia Nunn has volunteered to be the coordinator. The drawing for the Opportunity Quilt will be Dec 11th at the Christmas Luncheon.

9.) Donna Aybar reports that Monday Night Madness will continue the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month through May and will be joined by the No Shame Train on the 1st Monday in which participating members may leave their machines in the room overnight and come back on Tuesday and continue sewing. She has been averaging 15+ members on these evenings. The time is 4PM to 8 PM, however, if no one arrives by 5PM, Donna will close the room down. The Featherweight meets the 4th Monday of the month. Please refer to the calendar.

10.) JoEllen Cruze has nothing to report.

11.) Nominating Committee Chris Booth reports the following slate of office nominees:
President: Debbie Arsenault Vice-President: Linda Rowe Treasurer: Darlene Helker Secretary:
Julie Baird Publicity: Programs/Education: Deb Campbell Community Service: Hiromi Bashore
Longarm: Roberta Penchina

12.) Studio Tours are currently being planned.

Adjournment: Jonnie Chandler made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Mary Hill seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Darlene Helker

For Carol Moonan

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2-13-2023 General Meeting

Attendance: 91

1. President Karen Bogadi opened the meeting at 7pm. She introduced the 6 new members and asked for and introduced the visitors. Reminders: If you are the last one in the room, be sure you check that the power strips are all turned off and all cabinets are locked.
2. Debbie Arsenault announced that the Spring luncheon will be April 10, 11am. Waivers no longer need to be signed annually, so they will not be passed around tonight as previously planned.
3. Julie Baird, education, announced the classes – Big Bag class this Thursday has several openings. 2/21 is Block of the month. 2/23 Needle turn is full. 2/24 is no show binding. 2/28 is Kaleidoscope class. March has Opportunity quilt class, Animal applique class. Quarter Stripes class (samples on the table). 3/21 is block of the month.
4. Mary Hill thanked the longarmers who regularly quilt the charity quilts. The larger twin size quilts also need to be done – please consider them. The leftover backing strips can be recycled. Reminder: take the empty dog beds from the cabinet. Make sure pieces are less than 4” square. Sew it closed before returning. Feb 18, from 8:30 – 1:30 is a Charity Quilt Sew day. Bring your own project or kits will be available. Emphasis on twin size quilts.
5. Chris Booth announced the nominations for new officers for next year. Longarm Machine: Roberta Panchina, Community Service: Hiromi Bashore, Education: Deb Campbell, Treasurer: Darlene Helker, Secretary: Julie Baird, Vice President: Linda Rowe, President: Debbie Arsenault. We still need a person for Publicity, which is an elected position and has voting rights.
6. Karen Mack announced she conducted an audit of the financial records. She commended Darlene for impeccable books.
7. Linda Rowe is heading the Opportunity Quilt for 2024. 76 people have signed up to make a block. 3 meetings coming up starting tomorrow. Just attend one of them. Linda Publicover will offer a class on Seam Management on March 16. See Linda if you can't make any of the meetings and she will help you get a pattern for a block.
8. Kathleen reported the Challenge Quilts are due March 1. You may place them in cabinet 104X if you need to leave your project earlier, starting 2/26. From 9:30 on March 1 they will be accepting them in the hall, to put them in the display cabinet. Put your name on the back of the left side of the quilt before turning them in.
9. Donna Aybar spoke about Monday night Madness. First Monday of the month is held jointly with the No Shame Train. Last Monday of the month is the Featherweight

Meeting. Third Monday will be a Sew together – making some spiral table toppers as shown. She held a drawing for the leftover door prizes from the luncheon. Four winners!

10. Maureen reminded that if you enter the CAC before 9am, you must enter from the outside back door – not the front door.
11. Sue Whaples made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Teri Burnett. Meeting was adjourned at 7:26pm.
12. Show and Tell commended.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Moonan