

## Bay Oaks Quilt Guild Meeting – October 13,2022

President Michelle Martin was not able to attend due to medical tests. Therese Springer stood in as acting President and reminded all to keep Michelle in our prayers.

No guests or new members present. We had 21 guild members present.

All received the minutes, and they were no problems. Jill Whipple motioned to accept the minutes and Martha Slee seconded. Minutes accepted.

Treasurer's Report: opening balance for October was \$5346.28. There were 2 deposits of \$247.75 and \$52.50. Checks written to St. Rose de Lima Church, website renewal and Beckwith leaving a balance of \$4521.05.

Membership is still at 41 members per Chris Jarrell.

Sherry Quinn won this month's Halloween lotto blocks. Next month's block is a tree in your favorite fall colors with cream background.

The Nominating Committee has filled all positions but president. Martha spoke on behalf of the committee to encourage a member to step up to take this position. The new board will be announced at the Christmas party on December 1,2022.

The Christmas party will be a week earlier, December 1, 2022, at 10:00am and lasting until 3:00pm. There will be no second monthly meeting in November or December due to holidays. Martha will coordinate food and passed around a signup sheet for food.

Charlotte Timmons discussed the color challenge. The workshop will be Saturday October 15, 2022. She and April Holifield will be at the Kiln Library to work with us. She passed out a step-by-step sheet for the project. April brought several books for those interested to look through. Charlotte recommended members bring the following items: light table, fabric, sharpies, pattern design, fusible web, iron, scotch tape, wax paper, and sharp scissors.

Therese discussed the new policy of the Beckwith Retreat Center in that once reserved there are no refunds. The members discussed this and decided to go ahead and reserve the retreat for next year.

The Hancock County Library System is once again sponsoring library Christmas trees. The members chose to go ahead and provide the 3' tree we used last year and decorate. Martha will coordinate. The tree must be set up by November 28,2022 and be down by January. There will be events at the library from Nov. 28 through Christmas.

Ida Macuick said the Coleman Avenue celebration group in Waveland, offered us a free table for an event on Nov. 19, a Saturday, from 9-5. We will be able to show our opportunity quilt and sell raffle tickets. See Ida to sign up for a time to help.

Therese sent the sign-up sheet for the circuit teacher class in January. The class, Flamingo Love, will cost between \$25.00 to \$35.00 depending on how many attends.

The second October meeting will feature members who entered quilts at the GSQA quilt show and share the judge's comments regarding their quilts.

Rhonda has found a place in Waveland to order guild tee shirts and bring sample sizes at the next meeting. Cost approximately \$10.75.

Door Prize – Sherry Quinn

Pam Blais motioned to adjourn the meeting and Martha second.

Submitted by Marge Sandy acting Secretary