

**WPQG Board Meeting
The COOP- Rhonda Koning's Home
June 4, 2026**

MISSION STATEMENT: The West Pasco Quilters Guild, Inc. provides charity within our community & quality education to the public about quilts and quilt making.

OLD BUSINESS

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 am by President, Julie Gohring.

15 members Present: These include: **Dianne Lyon, Karen Oertel, Valerie Stanton, Mary Parkin, Ann Marshall, Lori Romanosky, Nancy Meinhardt, Mary Borders, Susanna Branon, Pam King, Kathy Robertson, Julie Gohring, Susan Jawor, Barbara Manning, Kathie Beatty**

The Minutes of the membership meeting from May were reviewed; some adjustments were made to the financial information, all in attendance agreed of reading minutes; motion made by Ann Marshall and seconded by Pam to accept minutes as corrected. Motion carried.

Roberto Mortello won the 50/50 during the drawing during the April membership meeting and this information was added to the April meeting minutes. Motion made by Dianne Lyon and seconded by Mary Parkin to approve April minutes as corrected. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report given by Julie Gohring. An email from the accountant was read and the reporting of in-kind donations was discussed. The balance of in-kind donations for our Fiscal year 2025-2026 will be distributed through our taxes. The 2026-2027 in-kind donations will be kept on a spreadsheet and reported to the membership quarterly. A motion was made by Pam King and seconded by Susanna Branon to approve the financial reports for April and May. Motion carried.

2026 Membership Directory will be sent for printing by Pam King. These should be available for distribution at our June Membership meeting

NEW BUSINESS

A member inquired about a personal ad in our monthly newsletter. Currently ads are not allowed in the newsletter. Discussion confirmed this policy to stay as is.

Thank you notes...were read. Barbara Manning will share the note with her Patriotic Committee.

Community Outreach –Quilts are still needed. Some of the quilts submitted are not the correct size. Scholarship checks were sent to the universities. The guild may not collect food for the food bank over the summer. This will be explored with the committee chair.

Education –A program about borders was presented and the committee members who attended thought it was useful. Pam King reviewed the future educational programs. The small group on Tuesday night with the Kids Corner needs assistance. A sign-up sheet for members to participate was suggested.

Library The library is closed for the summer.

Public Relations No suggestions from members for changes to the website. Considering a member only page with a log in, which will need to then upgrade the website. Cost for this is being explored. Looking into a drop-down menu for the website. There will be a fall mystery quilt by Sue Kolczak.

Special Events There are 54 members currently registered for the 2027 retreat The retreat is being promoted through the newsletter. Five more participants may be added. Adjustments may be made to the rooms needed in November when final information is available.

Patriotic/Steps of Recovery – Grand opening was held for the Steps of Recovery in May, which was a 33-bed unit. Eleven more houses were donated for Steps of Recovery. Patriotic wall hangings will be added to those bedrooms. Outside barn quilts are being considered for the entryway.

Ways & Means Nothing for the next two months.

Audit March is pending. Then a quarterly audit will be established.

Yard Sale The next yard sale will be in November 2026.

No other new business noted: Meeting was adjourned at 11:28.

Respectfully submitted,
Maureen Fernandez
Susan Jawor
Co-Secretaries