

Kansas Longarm Quilters

Member Meeting

April 16, 2016

The member meeting was held at A-1 Singer Sewing Center. It was called to order by President Shirley Prouse at 10:00 A.M. Twenty nine members and guests were present.

Donna Barrager, secretary read the minutes from our previous meeting. Anita Carlisle corrected the treasurers report to \$2,978.51 instead of \$2,928.51. Debbie Damitio made the motion to approve the minutes as corrected, Anita Carlisle seconded the motion. Membership voted to approve the minutes as corrected.

Anita Carlisle reported the current balance to be \$3,653.51. The sizeable increase was due to \$675.00 in membership dues collected. She told the group that she and Shirley Prouse went to the bank and brought our account up to date. We now have a debit card. It will not be used at local stores but for internet.

Jolene Guderjahn, webmaster reported nothing new on website, everything is up to date. She is working on DPI on logo for advertizing in Prairie Quilt guild newsletter and Country Register.

Peggy Avilez, Membership reported about 33 members. Avis Nelson asked to have an updated member list. Peggy said she'd put one on klqwichita@g-mail.com in about 2 weeks.

Carolyn Holm, Hospitality said she would make a name tag for anyone who did not have one today. Will put on the brand name of the longarm quilting machine the member uses.

Cares and concerns: Kristy Patton/cancer

Helen Watson, member at large said she had door prize tickets for \$.50, funds will go into our treasury, 8-10 tickets will be drawn at the end of business meeting & members can choose from donated items on the door prize table.

Still need someone to fill the 2nd Member at Large and Vice President positions.

Opportunity Quilt: Doris Hammons volunteered to be responsible for the sign up sheet for the booth and show. Avis Nelson said she will take care of quilt and quilt stand that belongs to Picket Fence until the show. Barb Nicholson (at the Quilt show office) will let us keep ticket box at the show but cannot leave money. We can purchase tickets today, \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. Have sold \$45.00 in tickets and have \$20.00 in change in the money box. Name of the pattern is "Looking thru the Garden Window". No label has been made yet. Need membership to sign up for time slots in booth. Need to tell Peggy if you want to be on the "Quilters for Hire List" here at A-1 Singer Sewing Center and at our booth at the Common Threads Regional Quilt show in June. Avis Nelson will take the quilt to the Rose Hill Quilt Guild next Tuesday.

Shirley Prouse suggested we purchase things we might need from A-1 Singer as a thank you for letting us use the meeting room.

Carolyn Holm has a placard for us to use at our booth at the quilt show. We can put our business cards out on the table but cannot sell anything except tickets for opportunity quilt from our booth. Doris Hammons passed around the sign-up sheet for the booth.

Tricia Lehman brought 7 more quilt kits to be quilted for Victory in the Valley. She said a quilting bee makes the tops. They are all given to someone who has cancer. Both Suzann Beverly and Peggy Avilez did show the quilts they returned today.

Anita Carlisle said we still do not have the lavalier microphones.

Jolene Guderjahn spoke about the t-shirts with Logos, red, black, brown, navy, and yellow. Price will be \$12.00 each. There was a sign-up sheet for members wanting to purchase a KLQ t-shirt, size and color.

A few lap throw tops were displayed. The first one to be completed was displayed by Suzann Beverly. (max size should be 36 X 42)

Ten tickets were drawn for door prizes. Income from tickets was \$18.50 to be added to our account.

Peggy Avilez presented our program of different ways to load a quilt. She started at the beginning and had many helpful tips, as well as answering several questions along the way. Several other members added tips they had learned. It was a very informative program.

Meeting adjourned about 12:10 P.M.

Those wishing to join in for lunch and fellowship went to Jimmy's Egg

Minutes of meeting submitted by: Donna Barrager, Secretary