

The Quilters of the Nature Coast
General membership meeting

The regular meeting of the Quilters of the Nature Coast was called to order at 9:35 on June 11th 2015 at the Holy Lutheran Church in Masaryktown Fl. The president Louise Albury Secretary Sharron Parent interim vice president Sandy Godsy and Treasurer Nancy Woodworth were present. There was a quorum present.

Introduction of guests: Marilyn Matyus, Rose White and Carol Maas. Carol Maas and Marilyn Matyus became members.

Approval of the last general membership minutes as per web and mail by Marion Dorman and 2nd by Sandy Godsy.

Reports of officers and standing committees:

President's report- There were no birthdays for the month of June. Laurie Pearce gave an exclusive talk on the long-arm quilting. New business cards were ordered for the guild.

Newsletter- Belinda is no longer going to do the newsletter is there anyone who would like to continue it?

Vice President's report Sandy Godsy none

Quilting academy -Sandy Godsy -is on hold for now.

Programs April Jones- reported back on the trip to Trenton. Everyone enjoyed themselves, and bought some very nice material and looking forward to the next trip in August to Mt Dora.

Special Events Marion Dorman- Upcoming July is our 5th Anniversary Tea after the general meeting. There is a sign up sheet for food and for the fat quarter exchange. We will also have a mini Chinese auction of books that were donated to the guild. Marion also thanked everyone for the help at the picnic it was are largest to date. And a special thank to George and Bill for cooking.

Secretary Sharron Parent The sew in labels were ordered

Membership Joan Beals none

Historian Louise Albury please none

Ways and Means- Jan R- none

BOM Bonnie Turner- is going to try explaining the bom after the meetings and how to cut it out.

Sewins Nancy Woodworth- The guild will no longer hold sew ins on Wednesday's at the library but will continue to have sew ins on Friday's. And will continue to send out reminders.

Public relations (vacant) as you know Bobbie L has resigned from this position. She will continue with the Sheriff's department with there safety talk In August. A motion was made at the board meeting to donate \$100.00 to the bowling extravaganza in August and our guild name will be on the team bowling shirts.

Website coordinator Sandy Godsy- is still updating the web, if you have pictures of our events please send to Sandy.

Sunshine Lady- Beverly Brown absent

Reports of special committees- Mystery quilt block (will no longer have a committee) all who signed up should have received the 4th and final distribution.

Opportunity Quilt- we have the material and it has been cut now waiting for sewers and Belinda.

QOV- Belinda Boncaro is stepping down for a short period. There was a quilt presented to Mr Farley of Spring Hill Fl. On June 5th 2015.

Unfinished business: Christmas Party Babara Ogden was checking out Papa Joes, Thea Glen Lakes, and April Silverthorn. After hearing the result we voted on Papa Joes for Friday December 11th for noon. Menu is chicken parm with penne pasta or beef tips with rice. The price is around \$1`2.50 per person.

We still need ideas, samples for bazaar, fairs or any venue where these items can be sold.

Other business

Fat quarters for next month is juvenile or children.

Winners Door prize Hedy Emerson

50/50 \$56/\$28 Marion Dorman

fat quarter raffle 2@ 9 fat quarters Joan Beals & Louise Albury

BOM Nancy Woodworth

Show and tell

Marion Weeden large quilt

Marion Dorman hobo bag and machine cover

Ruth Redeker Celtic knot quilt

Sandy Godsy quilt top and new products

Thea Conley mondo bag and doll purses and hip bag

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 by Secretary Sharron Parent