

## **FRIENDSHIP KNOT QUILTERS GUILD**

### **February 18, 2013**

The February meeting was called to order by President Cass Bowen at 7:00 P.M. Cass welcomed all the members, guests and visitors. The Hidden Stitches Cottage Group was thanked for greeting everyone, especially new members. Cass reminded everyone to check the tables in the entry hall for news about shows and events you may be interested in.

The January minutes have been posted to the website. There were no corrections to the minutes, therefore, they stand approved as published. The 2012 Year End Treasurer's Report and the 2013 Budget was approved by the Board and has also been posted to the website.

The Newsletter deadline is February 24, 2013. If you have anything you would like to have in next month's newsletter, please let Karla know by that date.

Last month members were asked to consider signing up to be a "Buddy" to help introduce and show new members around for their first 3 meetings. Please sign up for this great addition at the Library table.

Elaine Chapman made an announcement regarding the Feather Princesses quilt show which is the weekend of March 1<sup>st</sup>.

Trish Bobeck gave the Library report. Last month \$145.00 was made by selling used books.

Marlene Kurtz gave an update on the Quilt Show. She said to look for an email regarding the volunteer job/jobs that you have signed up for. She asked members to email her if they forgot to sign up. Those who are entering their quilt in the show were reminded to drop their quilt off on Saturday, February 23 between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 2:00 P.M. at Charlotte Hase's house. Small quilts as well as donations to the Boutique and the Consignment Shop will be accepted through the day of Set-up and even the morning of the first day of the show. Members will be given wristbands for entry into the quilt show after the meeting tonight.

Ann Greene reported on Membership: 137 members were present, there were 2 new members, 7 renewals and 14 guests, for a total of 160 here tonight. There are now 239 members in our guild.

Kim Sherrod gave a report on the Educational Programs and showed the quilts that participants will be making in the March classes—Linda Hahn will be teaching New York Beauty Simplified and Bermuda Sunrise. The newsletter gives details about the workshops and the instructor. Pam Morris promoted the 3 day Elizabeth Barton workshop that will be given in April and explained what will be done in that class.

Juanita Yeager, who taught our guild last year will be teaching for the Surface Design Guild in Sarasota at the end of March. They have openings for her classes if anyone is interested. Check the March newsletter for information.

Judy Schmalzried, Workshop Coordinator, has done a fantastic job the last few years and would like to step down from that position and Cass asked for someone to take over that position for Judy. It involves scheduling the hostesses and ordering the lunches. She will be glad to get someone started in that position.

The Show and Tell will now be held after the program. Cass asked that members who must leave the meeting early, please do so before the program begins. She also reminded everyone to turn their cell phones off and use the bathroom before the program.

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Susan Brubaker Knapp from Mooresville, North Carolina, gave an excellent program.

Show and Tell: Participants in Susan's classes showed their very creative work. Many more beautiful quilts were shown and described by the people who made them.

Respectfully submitted,  
Marcia Slocum  
Secretary