

Friendship Knot Quilters' Guild Meeting
Via Zoom
October 19, 2020

President Cathy Lane called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom due the Covid-19 pandemic. She welcomed members and thanked co-host Marcia Berkey. She reminded everyone to remain muted during the meeting and that "speaker view" gives you the best picture. She asked that members write their name into the "chat box" sometime during the meeting so attendance can be taken. Any questions occurring to members were to be written into the chat box and Cathy would read them for everyone to hear at the end of the program. If you are not getting the Zoom invitation, please let Cathy know.

Ellen Simon, 2nd Vice President, introduced the speaker for tonight's program: Pam Rocco, from Santa Cruz, California.

Library: Ellen described three new books that have been added to the library.

Joy Abbott, Treasurer: the 2021 Proposed Budget is posted on the Members Only page of the website. Members are asked to look it over.

Membership: The renewal is open now for 2021. Please print the application form from the newsletter or the website. You must indicate on the form if you don't want to be in the roster. It will be emailed due to the pandemic in February 2021. Attendance tonight was 65.

A poll was taken regarding the upcoming guild programs to see what kind of teachers and topics/interests are popular. The results will be in the next newsletter.

Charitable sewing: Please report charitable sewing to Joy Abbott. This includes masks, hospice gowns, fidget quilts, pet beds and KidzQuilts.

The Executive Board Meeting Minutes for October have been posted on the website.

Volunteers are needed for the offices of President, 2nd Vice President and Secretary for 2021-2022. During the November Guild meeting there will be a vote on Budget approval, Bylaws Revisions as well as the Election of new officers.

A Virtual Quilt Show has been proposed for March 2021. We would need a Show Chair. Marcia Berkey has volunteered to create a slide show. Stay tuned!

A Community Sew-In has been proposed for Spring.

UFO challenge: Suzy Weinbach is keeping track of the pictures you send her. Write FKQG UFO Challenge in the subject line of the email to Suzy. It is not too late to join this challenge.

Donor Quilt Ticket Sales: As of October 1, 4,110 tickets have been sold. There is a PayPal link on our website which allows payment through a credit card. Please contact Elva Farrell or Denise Collado for more information. Please share this information with your Facebook friends, which will give the quilt great exposure! Poll results were shared. See the newsletter for results.

Show and Tell and Charitable Sewing: A slide show produced by Marcia Berkey showcased the beautiful work members have been working on. So many amazing pieces of fabric art!

The Next Board Meeting is scheduled for November 6, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

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The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Marcia Slocum,
Co-Secretary