MT Hood Quilt Guild Board Minutes

January 7, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 6:56 by Donna Taylor with a conversation regarding the new person starting at Mountain View Christian Church. We have been asked to be patient regarding our looking for a new location for our meetings. Sue Ainsworth Smith talked to Ilene Wilkens regarding our fears of not being allowed to use the Mountain View facility for our March 21 National Quilt Day festivities. Wilkens will get back to us.*

Staci gave an updated on the new email addresses that she has activated for the Guild in December. The previous email provider was raising their prices and with the new provider each Board position will have their own email which will travel with the position. Board members were asked to use this address rather than their personal email and to not delete emails so future Board members would have history. Information on the president's email will be passed to Wendy after she is officially voted in at the next meeting. Lori did not get an email with her address in it and Staci will contact her. Delleen preferred to continue to use her own email and since her position does not rotate. It was suggested she continue with her personal email as that is where the history resides.

Lori asked for a couple of minutes at the next meeting for the Block of the Month. She wants to display the blocks that are turned in on the fabric dividers that are usually off to the left side of the stage. Lori will need to decide how to post the blocks. Staci has already sent out a reminder and there is notices on Facebook, so hopefully members will participate. Discussion followed on how notification on monthly blocks patterns will be done. The current month will need to be posted in the newsletter to avoid confusion. Lori will have flyers available for the next month's BOM available on the entrance table and hopefully on the screen along with more postings on Facebook. Lori asked when the drawing will be done and Donna said it was the agenda.

Ann Marie noted that she will not be at the February general meeting and has already asked Nancy Pettit to take minutes, but will talk to her again to remind her.

Delleen asked about the suggested budget meeting for February. The meeting was set for February 16th at 11:00am. Laura said it could be held at her Community Center. The question was asked as to what Laura needs. Staci will need provide all technology costs for the year. It was asked if anyone had notes from last year's meeting. Ann Marie mentioned that she would be at the budget meeting to take notes.

Delleen said that Linda should send general meeting schematics to Ilene from now on. Delleen has had two emails regarding donations to be made to the guild. The donation coming to next week's meeting will go into Delleen's car to be processed. Some of the donations are expected to be used for charity quilts, some to the free table and possibly some for the jelly roll race.

Lori is still figuring out how the jelly roll race will be done at National Quilt Day on March 21st. A discussion on a jelly roll quilter workshop in the morning with the race after lunch. Staci suggested she

would get a mug or bag done for the winner. It was suggested that the day should be from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. with the workshop from 11-12 and the race from 1-3. Sue said her record is 27 minutes for a race.

Sue had a list of donors from her Facebook donations request. She gave the list to Laura, who said she had not received the money yet. She said that donations like this were often sent out on a quarterly basis.

Donna mentioned that Barbara was intent on purchasing cords and surge protectors for the retreat if they could not be procured through donations. Approval was given for this purchase.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

*Note: On January 8th, Sue Ainsworth Smith forwarded an email from Ilene Wilkens at Mountain View Christian Church confirming our March 21st event is on their calendar and asking for details on how to set up the room at least 48 hours in advance as well as our weekly meetings.