MHQG Board Meeting 12/22/22

Meeting started at 6:30 by Susan Ainsworth-Smith for Marie Anderson

Members present Debbie Stoffer, Susan Ainsworth-Smith, Denise Bush, Ann Marie Rears, Julie Hale, Donna Taylor, Barb Junor, Delleen Kompkoff, Shirley Workman, Deb O'Donnell, Lori Oathes

January meeting will have a virtual presentation

Ann Marie suggested ways for people to have donations sent to the guild through various organizations through purchases made by members ie - Fred Meyer, Amazon Smiles, bottle drop and others

A couple of people need rides to the guild meetings, and labels need to be picked up and delivered. They live in Boring and Sandy. Denise offered to be the carpool driver. Barb will reach out to the 2 members.

There are some members who want to do a small group doing hand work

Lori needs a table for the BOM and a couple of minutes at the guild meeting for the drawing and to tell about the next BOM.

Should we put the new board member candidates in the newsletter?

President: Susan Ainsworth-Smith Treasurer: Donna Taylor Membership: Barb Junor

Bookmarks to be displayed at various quilt shops and vendors in the area.. Start with 500 and go from there. Barb, Shirley, and Deb will get together to finalize the bookmarks and report back to the board.

Website suggestion for things to update and change, let Deb O'Donnell know. BOM: show the BOM photo in the show and share slideshow and password protect the instructions in the member's section of the newsletter. This is due to copyrights and permissions for the guild to use the blocks.

We still need the pictures from the December guild meeting show and share and will be mentioned in the newsletter.

Quilt show - storage unit needs to be organized with possibly more shelving, a couple of ladders, storage items, and STUFF! Board approved expenditures of up to \$1,000.00.

Willamette Valley Quilt Guild would like to rent our display pipes for their quilt show in April. Shirley will meet with Peggy Gilbreath to show her what we have to see if it will work for

her. They want black curtains, we have white curtains. They will have to purchase their own black curtains.

January semi-annual budget meeting will be on the regular board meeting night. Not sure yet whether in person or on zoom. It was mentioned that we really like the Red Thread location and meeting in person.

Items of discussion will be budget, retreat person, and the Ad Hoc position. Shirley volunteered for the Ad Hoc position.

Julie Hale will work with Ilene at the church to see just what their expectations are for the guild liaison / Ad Hoc person.

The guild did not get the grant from Pacific Power. There were over 90 awards in 6 states which included Police Departments, Fire Departments, etc...

Skip a week will be at the January guild meeting. There will also be a free table.

Susan ended the meeting at 7:50

Denise Bush MHQG Secretary