

September 28, 2020
Mt Hood Quilt Guild Board Meeting

Attendance: Ann Marie Rears, Wendy Sternberg, Susan Ainsworth-Smith, Laura Rom, Deb O'Donnell, Staci Wendland, Barbara Belgrave, Lori Oathes, Dottie Miller, Kristi Villani, Linda Gaudette-Sigel

The meeting started at 5:05pm via Zoom

Agenda: 1) Programs: October- Alex Anderson, November- Nancy Goldsworthy, December- Holiday meeting- we will decide at the November Board meeting.
2) Membership update, Scholarships, pictures
3) Comfort quilts- Wildfire survivors & other agencies
4) Debbie Stoffer- small group- Temperature quilt
5) Lori Oathes- Block/Project of the month
6) Sticker purchase
7) Retreat Update
8) Zoom account

Dottie: Alex Anderson has signed the contract for the October meeting. Dottie will forward the contract to Laura Rom for payment. Our recording for this meeting will be Friday, October 9th at 5:00pm. Staci will send the Zoom log in to Alex Anderson. Alex's presentation is titled: Quilting Life Growth power point, mini group, break out. It will last 50 minutes with the last 5 minutes for Q & A. Dottie will also put a flyer on the Facebook page about this presentation.

Nancy Goldsworthy is already signed for November's meeting. Susan A-S will give Dottie the contact information for Nancy. This recording meeting will be on Monday, November 9th. Dottie will confirm that with Nancy. Everything was originally set up pre-Covid so Dottie will talk to Nancy about the change to recording & the change of date (In-person was November 10th)

Stickers: It was agreed that Dottie will purchase one dozen (\$36) of the stickers for rewards, gifts, etc. The MHQG logo will not change. The sticker will be different from the logo.

Deb: As of today there are 155 members which includes 3 new members. The roster will be updated and the log in password will be changed. She has only received 8 pictures. When the roster is updated there will be a renewed push to get pictures. Scholarships- one person has asked for a membership scholarship and many people have offered. In the future we may look at scholarships for retreats & classes. There have been many nice notes written on the renewal forms.

Ann Marie & Susan: Comfort Quilts for the survivors of the wildfires. As of today 220 quilts have been delivered. 53 to Hope City Church, 30 to Quilts for the Riverside Fire Survivors, 99 to Estacada Community Watch and 91 to Quilts for Riverside Fire Survivors. The request has been for 300 quilts. We will honor that request and then refocus on our regular groups (Human Solutions, Ronald McDonald House, etc). Kristi

at My Quilting Loft in Troutdale will continue to be a drop off spot. Susan will bring labels to Kristi tomorrow. It is fast and easy to put the labels on with a basting gun. Pillowcases have also been collected and will continue to be collected for Wildfire survivors and for Foster Children.

Lori: BOM/POM- The Project of the Month will be a table runner. Lori confirmed at the October video meeting (Alex Anderson) there will be no tips- just the presentation & business- we want to keep the whole meeting to 1 1/4 hour. Lori will research/design a postcard (no licking) to send to the membership- thinking about them. She will present it at the next meeting.

Barbara: retreat update. Everything is ready to go to start October 1st. All the participants bags were picked up on Saturday.

Staci: Zoom account. We will renew the MHQG Zoom account for another year. This gives us a discount. We are limited to 100 participants but if we find we need more we can upgrade.

Susan: Small Groups- there will be a new small group starting for making a Temperature Quilt- Debbie Stoffer will be the leader of that group. If you want to start a small group contact Susan A-S. There are options to use the Guild Zoom account to meet with your small group. The small group list has been updated and will be in the next newsletter.

Remember the Web Site log-in password will be changing!

Our next meeting will be the Recording meeting (October-Alex Anderson) Friday, October 9, 2020. It will start at 5:00pm- Staci will have the room open at 4:30pm. Please be there so we can get rolling right at 5pm. Wendy will send out the meeting agenda.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda Gaudette-Sigel