

Chequamegon Bay Quilters – Minutes for July 11, 2023

Jill S. called the meeting to order at 5:30 and shopping began at the 2nd Chance Boutique.

New attendee: Fran M.

How many present? 20 Zoom? 2

Show N Tell – Please see the slide show on the website for a selection of Show N Tell and 12 X 12 completed projects.

Program: 2nd Chance Boutique. The Guild members had fun and lots of treasures found their 2nd chance. Ideas for future 2nd chance boutique include having it as a “Introduction to the guild evening”, bring a crafty friend, and have it at a bigger venue.

Snack – Pizza, ice cream, and Juice. Thank you to Sandy O and Deb M for the delicious supper.

Motion to approve **June minutes** by Jan B, seconded by Nancy W. All approved.

Welcome packet discussed.

Name tag drawing winner: Amber E.

Treasurer’s report

Current Balance: 3,258.70

Quilts of Valor: 188.08

Guild Cushion: 300.00

Available Balance: 2,770.62

Quilt of Valor Foundation Account: 186.10

Sunshine Fund: Jan S., Lucy T., Kaci P, Dawn B collected birthday gifts.

Quilts of Valor: No new news to report.

Sew Days: Kaci P reports that sew days will be on hold for a bit. Stay tuned.

Guild Speaker/Trip Survey: Guild working on how to spend money for fun event. Response rate was low, 7 responses. Lots of ideas generated. Going to an AQS event (grand rapids, Paducah), going to the Cedarburg Museum, the great Wisconsin quilt show (Madison, WI), Florence WI quilting guild / quilt show and Nancy G provided a long list of Zoom ready instructors. Hope is new programs person will come forward and serve for guild year 2024 and make progress on this item.

Laura’s sewing school, new sewing school in Ashland, WI. Nancy P brought a stack of cards. Nancy P mentioned Laura is looking for folks to sign-up for the newsletter and at the same time fill out a survey for the types of classes folks are interested in.

Positions – Nancy P will be President, we need a Vice President, Communications/Technology coordinator, and Program Director for Guild year 2024 starting October 2023.

Madeline Island School of the Arts - Jill S is working on forming a connection/collaboration with MISA. Stay tuned.

Craft Sale: Jan S's neighbor is planning a craft sale and will send around the e-mail should guild members want to participate.

PROGRAMS

August – Convergence Quilts – Jill S

September – Stack N Whack/One Block Wonder – Nancy P and Deb M.

October – Quilts of Valor

Executive board members had a brief meeting at the end of night which will serve as July's executive board meeting.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:00 p.m.