

United Quilt Guild Newsletter

APRIL
2022

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Secretary	Tina Snoke
Treasurer	Margie Hoffmaster
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United Quilt Guild Minutes – April 5, 2022 Submitted by Tina Snoke, Secretary

President, Mary Durkin, called the meeting to order. We had 2 guests present, Debby Herron and Debbie Wells. Welcome ladies.

Our April program was resizing blocks given by Beth Gallo. Beth presented several valuable hints. Thank you, Beth.

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Brenda Schmidt and seconded by Lillian Morenz. The motion passed.

A motion to approve the treasurer's report was made by Marcia Stoffer and seconded by Carolyn Artle. The motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS

Spring Tea & Workshop

Ginger Mangie guided the workshop participants making "Shattered Glass" blocks. What a fun day. The following day, April 2, was the spring luncheon hosted by Kathy Geren and Martha Drabiski. Ginger was our speaker. Thank you, Martha and Kathy for a wonderful afternoon.

NEW BUSINESS

Charity Quilts

Tina Secrest asked the guild to consider raising the budget from \$500 to \$750 to purchase backings and battings. Pat Williams made a motion and was seconded by Pat Gardner. The motion passed.

Church Donation

The last donation to Salem Presbyterian Church was May 4, 2021. Dee Hart made a motion to donate \$300 and was seconded by Debbie Mangas. The motion passed. A motion was made to donate \$100 for the use of the garage to store our racks by Beth Gallo and seconded by Martha Drabiski. The motion passed.

Quilt Show

Dream Basket donation requests have not been productive this year. Donations of fabric and other sewing items would be greatly appreciated. The donations do not need to be sewing related.

Tina Snoke, Market Place chair, suggested a few items that people are interested in purchasing: walker bags, adult bibs, pot holders, pillow cases geared towards kids, or kids holidays. Try to think of anything that you would rather buy than make. Also some crocheted Swiffer covers..

Registration forms are on our website, unitedquiltguild.org. If you know of someone who would like to sponsor a "Best Of" prize see Kim Williams for a form. There are also ads for catalog and patron sponsors.

We will have 2 raffle quilts at this year's quilt show. If the first name drawn is present they will get the choice of quilts and second name gets the other.

Ilona Mihai is in charge of raffle quilt ticket distribution and collection. Please return your tickets and money to Ilona.

The quilt show entry forms are available on unitedquiltguild.org.

2022 Guild Challenge "It's Fall Y'all"

This year's Challenge will be September 2022. Carolyn Artle is the Challenge Chairperson. Your project must be completed to enter. As of now the challenge will be at the church. Please contact Carolyn if you are available to help. Please bring "finger food" for our refreshment.

The categories will be divided a little differently this year. It will be large quilts (double, queen, king) small quilts (twin and large throws), large wall (more than 36" wide), small wall (less than 36" wide). Accessories will be table toppers, jackets, totes, etc. There will be a Chinese auction.

Membership

We have 65 members. We have two new members, Debby Herron and Debbie Wells. Welcome ladies.

Please let Margie Hoffmaster know if you need to update your phone number, address or email. margiehoff@yahoo.com

TREASURER'S REPORT

GUILD

As reported.

Respectfully submitted by Margie Hoffmaster, Guild Treasurer.

All committee chairs are to submit a budget which will be due in September.

QUILT SHOW

As reported.

Respectfully submitted by Pat Firestone, Show Treasurer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

May Birthdays

Ilona Mihai
Tina Secrest
Martha Drabisk
Carolyn Artle
Hope Gribben

UQG Website

Dee Hart received a message from a girl scout working on her textile artist badge. She used the UQG website to research quilts. Dee added her research on removing stains to our link page.

Dee Hart received a message from Sara Spalding, our webmaster, that our domain renewal is due July 2022. Our site is old and breaking and Sara suggested we get a newer one, possibly with a different company. She is going to find out how much it costs and work up a proposal to present at the May meeting. To see an example, go to

deesquiltedtreasures.com

All Day Sew

Lois Dunn asked members if we wanted to resume all day sewing on the monthly meeting day. Many said yes. Lois will check with the church.

UFO Challenge

Kathy Strelko and Cathy Fieldhouse have teamed up to keep track of our UFOs. Your UFO must have been started before August 1, 2021 and finished by August 1, 2022. Points are awarded to each finished UFO according to its size. The member with the highest points will receive a prize.

Lake Farm Park is April 1st to May 1st.

Akron Beacon Journal had a nice article on folk art and Sue Spargo on 4-3-22.

Beth Gallo mentioned Karen Miles who teaches an interesting block and asked if we would want a workshop.

The Sophia House invited us to attend an event on May 7.

Accuquilt

The cutter is for all members to use. It is available at charity quilts. If this is not convenient for you, please call Tina Seacrest to arrange a time for use.

Lois Dunn is collecting plastic lids for a "Buddy Bench".

PUBLICATIONS AND INFO

Remembrance

Marilyn Grimes will send get well or sympathy cards to our members.

Margie Hoffmaster needs info for the Newsletter emailed to her ASAP margiehoff@yahoo.com

Margie Hoffmaster is our Information Officer and will forward your **written** e-mail messages to members. margiehoff@yahoo.com

Barb Fink is in charge of Publications in the Salem News.

Dee Hart is the Administrator for our guild Website. Sarah Spalding is our Webmaster.

A Private "For Members Only" Facebook page has been set up. If you have not joined or are having trouble talk to Margie Hoffmaster.

Please remember to wear your name tag at each meeting. We have several new members and we all need to get to know each other.

Lois Dunn needs advanced notice to reserve the Presbyterian Church for any event. Remember: The Church requires that we keep the entry door locked at all times.

EVENTS CALENDAR

May 3, 2022 All day sew
Bring a project to work on or just "hangout" and visit.

May 3, 2022 Guild Meeting
Program: How to square up a quilt.
Salem Presbyterian Church 6:30 pm

April 26, May 10, 24, 2022 Charity Quilts
11 am-West Branch Booster Hall

May 18, 2022-Quilt Show Meeting
6:30 pm Salem Chamber of Commerce 210 E. State

June 7, 2022 Guild Meeting

6:30 p.m. Details to be announced

July 5, 2022 Guild Meeting

6:30 p.m. Details to be announced

July 11- Quilt drop off.

Presbyterian Church Details TBA

July 12-13 Judging

Details TBA

July 14,15,16, 2022 Quilt Show