

Quilt Show Meeting
October 2, 2023
JoAnn's Project Room

PRESENT: Cindy Shong, Chairperson
Joyce Kesterson, Admissions
Dawn Fowler, Set Up/Take Down
Renee Nelson, Labels
Rita Parsons, General Store
Bev Smith, Treasurer & Signs
Angie Townsend, Floater
Val Howard, Raffle Tickets
Jan Robertson, Fat Quarter Café
Lu Ann Hammond, Fat Quarter Café

Karen Trumble has the raffle quilt for quilting.

Cindy stated that the meetings from November through the winter, will be held via Zoom.

Carol Metz and Kris Rulison suggested having a basket drawing for 1 new member and 1 existing member on selling the most tickets.

Set Up/Take Down – Dawn said that there was no need to order new signs, we can just change the dates. Cindy has the signs, but she's not sure how many she has. The Guild had 150 at one time.

Financial Report – Bev distributed a budget sheet. She said that the signs for inside the school will come from the miscellaneous line item, and will be approximately \$600. The signs will also have arrows and will be double sided. Let her know of any signs that may be needed.

Showing small quilting items was discussed.

Admissions – no report

Demos – Vendors do the demos. Cindy will look for someone and make a list of times so it can be advertised.

Cindy has \$18 from pins to give to Bev.

Bev mentioned that we made a little over \$2,000 from the sale of Sharon Bannister's quilting items. She mentioned that the Guild will match it, and it will be used to buy quilt racks.

Val is on time for getting the raffle quilt license.

Dawn asked if we could get more hallways for the next show. Bev said that she will check.

The show is October 12th and 13th, 2024, with set up on the 11th.

Cindy stated that we should have 2 or 3 people for **checking in/out** of the quilts.

Fat Quarter Café – Lu Ann will check with Janet Rochefort to see if she is willing to do the meat again.

Angie asked if there would be a **fashion show**? Will our Challenge quilts be displayed?

Cindy asked what day works better for everyone to meet? The start time of the Zoom meetings was discussed.

General Store – Joy Pine and Karen Beers (both absent) will be the chairs.

Labels – Renee has forms in process, and will send out once the draft is completed.

People's Choice – Val is working on forms, boxes for ballots, and the \$1,000 payout for the winners. Bev stated that the Guild has 2 wooden boxes, and they may be with Jan Roys.

Publicity/Marketing (Advertising) – Janet Rochefort (absent)

Quilt Guild Liaison – position vacant

Raffle Tickets – Val has the form filled out for the license. How much should she estimate the quilts on the license application? Bev said “over \$500”. Val would like 1 big basket for the member who sells the most tickets. Or should we give away a vintage machine? She asked how many tickets she should order. She had an idea of if you sell 20 tickets we get an entry to win the basket. Also have a basket for the person that sold the winning raffle ticket.

Raffle Quilt – Cindy noted that we have 3 quilts donated now for the raffle. 1) our Guild's quilt; 2) Marie Fisher's donated Halloween themed quilt; and 3) Jan Roys' donated Bonnie Hunter quilt.

Set Up/Take Down {Racks} – Dawn needs a quote on the remaining racks that we need. What should we do with the old racks? It was mentioned that Linda Mumby's husband made the wooden ones.

Set Up/Take Down {Quilts} – Dawn

Signs – Cindy has the them, she's not sure how many she has now. Should we reorder new ones, or cover over the ones we have now? Someone asked if Maureen Peterson could print them.

Silent Auction – Karri Howe (absent)

Jan Robertson asked what happened to the barn quilts from the previous show. Bev stated that we will sell them at the Quilt Show.

New Business:

Angie discussed aprons for the workers to wear while working at the Show. She will have Pieces and Patches embroidered on them. The aprons will be shared, and will not belong to any one person. Are 30 enough? Joyce commented that she sometimes has 12 workers, so we should get more.

Bev suggested having 2 Guild members doing demos together. Hand quilting was one suggestion.

Cindy mentioned having a Make and Take.

Jan Robertson said that the Guild she belongs to in Florida has a “memorial wall” at their Quilt Show, with quilts of members that have passed away.

Sunshine should ask who has passed since the last show, and recognize them at the show.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, November 6th, via Zoom.