

Quilter's Guild of Dallas, Inc.
General Meeting Minutes
December 6, 2018

President Richard Larson called the meeting to order at 7:15 p.m. Richard thanked everyone for coming and welcomed new members who were present. Richard wished everyone a Merry Christmas and announced that Jeanie Vogel is starting a new Featherweight friendship group for Featherweight 221 or 222 enthusiasts. A sign up sheet was available at the meeting for anyone interested. Richard announced that Michelle Sauerbrei was the recipient of the Yellow Rose award for the fourth quarter, and then called for committee reports.

Rhonda Anderson, Retreat Co-Chairperson and Covers for Kids:

Rhonda said that there were lots of quilts turned in at the meeting this month, and that the Guild had 50 Christmas quilts to donate this month. The retreat is scheduled for Thursday through Monday of MLK weekend in January at Tanglewood on Lake Texoma and the official deadline for registration was the night of the meeting.

Cindy Matthews, 6th VP - Show:

Show Committee meetings are on hiatus until January. Candy Mahaffey has a laptop at the meeting so anyone wanting to sign up to volunteer can see Candy and register their timeslots on Signup Genius by seeing Candy at the meeting. Donna Petrick was accepting show entries at the meeting. The January general meeting is the deadline for entries. Show posters are available for anyone who needs them. The next show committee meeting is January 15, 2019.

Linda Newman, Block Contest:

Linda announced that the Block Contest theme for 2019 is "Hats." Blocks can be any hat, but no cowboy hats! Packets are available at the meeting or you can contact Linda directly. You pay \$10 for the packet but the money is returned to you when you turn your completed block in.

Virginia Hauer, 7th VP - Education:

Virginia thanked Happy Johns for presenting tonight's lesson of the month. Cynthia Bennett is presenting the lesson of the month in January on organizing your sewing space. Quilt donations for the mini quilt auction are due at the February general meeting.

Richard invited members up for Bring and Brag. Ten members shared their work with the members present.

After Bring and Brag and a 15 minute break, Richard reconvened the meeting and Pat Galvin, Co-VP Programs and Workshops, introduced the speaker, Brenda Jeschke, from Buffalo Prairie, Texas, who presented a wonderful lecture entitled "Judging Criteria from the Eyes of a Judge."

After the speaker's presentation, Richard announced that we had 177 in attendance at the meeting. Five door prizes were handed out.

Richard adjourned the meeting at approximately 9:08 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Frances Hafer
Guild Secretary