

July 2019

Message from the President

Hello everyone,

It was really nice to see all the beautiful quilted projects that everyone brought to the last meeting. We really have some very talented members. The raffle quilt is spectacular and I believe this might be our biggest fundraising quilt yet.

As we discussed at the June meeting, we need to review the bylaws and decide if we want to amend them before we decide to change the way our meetings are run. I have reviewed them and there will have to be a lot of amendments made if we decide to move forward. I haven't been able to check on how it affects our non-profit status yet, but I will try to have that info by the next meeting.

The July pot luck will be on July 11th and we will start at 6:00 pm instead of our regular time of 6:30 so put that in your schedule. I will bring something to drink, a punch or lemonade.

See you all on the 11th and have a Happy Independence Day!

Andrea Blaisdell



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Common Threads
Quilt Guild

meets the first Thursday of
every month

at 6:30 PM at the

Sterling View Club House in
Hyde Park

Dues are \$15 annually

Secretary's Report

Called to order: at 6:35 by Andrea

present: 26 members present

Guests: Jane Paine's mom joined us

New Members: Sharon has joined

Birthdays: This month's birthdays are Kathleen Manning, Rhoda Reed, Jane Paine, Shirley Duso, Ellie Murphy, Marion Seasholtz, and Rita Lehouillier.

Kathleen Manning is now living at The Manor and cards are welcomed.

Drawings: Winners are Lois Lemaire for the food shelf and Melody Chase for Just for coming.

Secretary's Report: Moved, seconded and passed.

Treasurers Report: Moved, seconded and passed.

Sunshine Cards: Donna not here.

Sunshine Quilts: A quilt will be donated to the silent auction for LACiNg up for cancer walk. Marion purchased 36 binder clips for use at the quilting workshops and to display the quilt at fundraising events. Cost \$14.00.

Raffle Quilt: The raffle quilt is done as are 2 table runners for 2nd and 3rd place. The raffle tickets have been distributed. **Jan Kuhn** will manage the raffle. If you don't feel you can sell your tickets please let Jan know, others may be able to. 3000 tickets were purchased; the goal is to sell all of them for a total of \$5000.00. Please bring in ticket stubs and money monthly. Let people know the quilt guild will pay to ship the winning quilts.

Marion read letter from Janet's daughter about the quilt. Permission granted to use Janet's name. Marion moved to send 2 books worth of tickets to the family, 2nd and passed.

Old Business:

Antiques and Uniques - Jane Paine is heading up this event, she said anyone who can drop by and donate a little time in the booth is welcome. She has help for set up but may need some help for the 4:00 take down. Date is July 13 on Craftsbury Common. One more meeting before the event if you have consignment quilts to sell.

New Business:

July meeting - Date changed to July 11 at 6:00 because of the holiday. Potluck event is scheduled so there is an earlier time. Members volunteered for set up and clean up.

Nominating Committee - Denise Mayo worked on nominations. Slate as of this meeting

President - open

Vice President - Jane Paine and Donna Hamel will also consider for co-position.

Secretary - co-position Grace Sweet and Robin Wright.

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Jan Kuhn - Membership and Library.

There was discussion around alternating leadership instead of President and program committee. Andrea will research what the Bylaws say about what our officer structure should look like.

Program: July is potluck month.

September will be a vendor flea market, bring in items you would like to sell.

There was discussion around other program ideas including hiring instructors.

Sew and Tell

Adjourned:

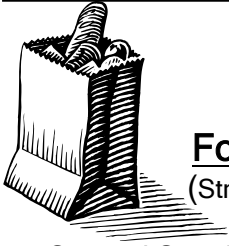
Calendar

July 11th Potluck Meeting, 6 PM
Sterling View Clubhouse
By Laws Review, Officer Elections

By Laws Attached

The version of by-laws attached is what I had in my email from March of 2013. We will be discussing a change to the role of the President at the July meeting unless someone steps up to take on the position.

Julie



Food Shelf Wish List

(Straight from the Food Shelf)

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| Canned Spaghetti Sauce | Toothpaste |
| Canned Fruit | Toothbrushes |
| Canned Vegetables | (for children, too!) |
| Macaroni & Cheese | Soap |
| Canned Pasta | Shampoo |
| Soup | Coffee |
| Cereal | Healthy Snacks |
| Tuna | Laundry Detergent |
| Personal Items for Women | Dish Detergent |



Happy Birthday to:

Hilda Tallman
Grace Sweet
Elena Tague
Donna Hamel

July 18th
July 21st
July 26th
July 31st

Officer Nominations

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Treasurer's Report

No report



Next Meeting: July 11th at 6 PM

Things to remember:

1. Show and Tell
2. Food for the Food Shelf
3. Potluck Dish