Tacoma Modern Quilt Guild

General Meeting Minutes

February 21, 2019

Call to order 7:10 PM

Financial Report

Previous balance was $5643. Current balance includes $315 from destach and $350 for membership for a total of $6330.08. The There is a check for the PO box that isn't accounted for here. We also need to include the check for the facility, which will be included next month.

Membership report

Membership today is 23, and there are a total of 35 members. If you paid dues and haven't gotten an email from us there may be a problem so contact Trisha

Block of the Month

Next month's block is candies. The center is improv (so use your scraps) to cut 6 ½ inch square. You can use any color group, but stick to one with low volume/pattern/white for background. Karen will post the pattern.

Communication

No report this month

Events

- Handcrafting night was last Monday. There were only 4 people in attendance.
- The Jelly Roll Rung class at Bigfoot was last weekend.
- Staycation: March 9th 8:30 am to 8:30 pm. You can pay tonight or at the staycation. Pizza will be provided; there will be door prizes, swag bag, and games. It's in the Hilltop area so there are lots of food options. The location is Tacoma Community Arts Center and the address is on Facebook.
- There is no Sew In in March due to Staycation
- There will be a Handcraft night in April, date TBD
- The Sisters Quilt Show will be in Bend Saturday July 13th. We'd list to get a group together and go down. Contact Jessie if you're interested
- Retreat will be November 22-24

Swaps and Challenges

- The reveal for this month is something inspired by Time. A bunch of ladies shared their items, including an actual clock

- This month there was a “Fold it, Snip it, Drop it, Pass it” Challenge with blue and green fabrics. You can also use up to 2 neutral fabrics. The reveal will be in April.

Committee sign up

Members signed up for various committees including: Events, Swaps and Challenges, Education, Charity Quilts, Block of the Month, Membership, and Communications/Technology/Media.

TCC quilt

For the TCC quilt Karen made the blocks and back. Deb quilted and bound it. TCC loved the quilt and really appreciated it.

Seven Stars Foundation

Steven Stars Foundation is asking for quilts to put in kids backpacks when they go to YMCA camp. They are asking if anyone is interested in meeting with them. They are planning for August camp in Washington. They will be in town between March 9th and 13th. The kids are part of families that are in the service. LaDauna will meet with them and will bring back the information to the guild.

Approval of Minutes

Jessie motioned to approved the minutes from last meeting. Monika seconded.

Sew and Tell

Members shared items they’ve made.

Meeting ended at 8:27 pm