

Decatur Quilters Guild Business Meeting

January 13, 2021

Mary Traxler called the meeting to order at 10 a.m.

There were 13 members present with no guests. Karen Belker, Linda Boles, Cheryl Feyen, Virginia Franklin, Rita Ham, Pam Hissong, Audrey Maurice, Sy McElvain, Kathy Park, Helen Parker, Sharon Steinhart, Sharon Thompson, and Mary Traxler.

Rita Ham reviewed October 2020 minutes and made a motion to place on file as presented. There were no meetings in November or December 2020.

Treasurer's report: Sy McElvain reviewed the December Treasurer's report and made a motion to place them on file for audit.

Membership Report: 53 members.

Committee reports:

Newsletter: Jeanette Devereaux will be sending out a newsletter. Anyone who has completed a project or the Star BOM, please send her a photo and description.

Outreach: Linda Boles reported that in October she delivered 7 hospice quilts to DMH; In November she delivered 6 quilts to DMH and 9 Veteran Quilts; In December, Audrey completed 19 neck pillows. Currently Linda has 4 for DMH and 7 Veteran Quilts completed quilts and has 11 to quilt and bind. If anyone would like to assist in either sewing or donating fabric or unbleached muslin, please contact Linda.

Programs: We will not have meetings in February or March. DQG meetings will begin again in April with Day meetings twice a month. We will begin Night meetings in May. The Night group will focus on quilting projects, your own or a Quilt Fest or bazaar project.

DQG will hold our May luncheon on May 26. Plans are to cater a box lunch. At this meeting we will have installation of officers; showing our UFOs for 2020; the Star Sampler BOM showing; and the Christmas Block Exchange. See page 10 in our bylaws for details on the block exchange

Quilt Fest: The board decided to postpone the Ruby Celebration Quilt Fest until April 8 & 9, 2022. We will raffle off the Ruby Red Quilt at our May Luncheon. If you want to obtain more tickets, contact Virginia Franklin. We will complete a new Quilt for the 2022 Quilt Fest.

Old Business: Cheryl made a motion; seconded by Sy to accept Article IV-D bylaws change to read: "Officers shall serve a term of one year and shall not be eligible to serve more than two consecutive terms unless positions cannot otherwise be filled." All Aye. Motion passed.

New Business: A motion by Virginia and seconded by Cheryl to forego the \$300 appropriations for 2021. All aye. Motion carried.

Website: Mary Balagna is passing along the responsibility of overseeing the decatarquiltersguild.com website. Mary Traxler and Virginia Franklin will be reviewing and updating the site. Anyone with suggestions to include or who would like to work with them, please contact Mary Traxler.

The meeting adjourned at 11:30 p.m. on a motion by Mary Traxler.