

Minutes from the Missoula Quilters' Guild
Member Meeting
May 8, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 6:31 p.m.

Minutes recorded by Lisa-kay Prideaux

Guests were recognized and thanked for attending.

The minutes from the April 10, 2024 meeting

Motion to approve by Sue Olinger

Motion seconded by Kathy Klinge

Members unanimously approved as submitted.

Treasurer's Report

- Shirley reviewed the April 2024 financial report. The minutes will be posted on the guild website.

Secretary's report

- Lisa-kay read two thank you notes from Cole and Abby for the pillowcases
- She also read one thank you note from the staff and volunteers at CareNet for the donations from Quilts 4 Kids

Quilt Show updates – Peggy Floyd, Marcene Coburn, Susan Appelt

- The three quilt show chairs received a huge thank you, and a standing ovation, from the board and members for the outstanding job they did putting on the quilt show.
- The net profit for the quilt show was : **\$12,517.26!** This was the most ever raised at a quilt show!
- The quilt show saw record sales in in the Boutique, Silent Auction, and Raffles!
- Admissions were approximately 1,135, which was approximately the same as the last show!
- Suzanne Sterrett has volunteered to be one of the co-chairs for our 2026 quilt show – thank you Suzanne! She spoke about her vision for a theme that ties in with the Butterfly House. She is asking for one or two volunteers to co-chair with her. She also handed out a questionnaire to help make the next show even better.

Board Nominees

- Jodi Bowser – Vice President; Cindy Thiel – Treasurer; Cathy Stanke – Fundraiser
- Motion to approved by Emily Dix
- Motion seconded by Marcene Coburn
- Members unanimously approved the nominees. Welcome to the Board, Jodi, Cindy and Cathy and thank you for volunteering to serve!

President's notes

- Bus to Spokane Quilt Show in October – details were in the Newsletter
- 5 tables in lobby area with Cynthia Waln's patterns and books
 - Thank you to Calli Baker, Terry Vick, MaryLu Etzel, and Sue Olinger for their assistance with the family and Cynthia's quilt stuff
 - June 1, 2024 from 9-12 there will be a garage sale for the remainder of Cynthia's quilt stuff
 - Location: 108 Saranac
 - 4 sewing machines
 - Lots of fabric bundles
- The Guild Picnic is set for July 10, 2024 at 5:30 pm at Jean Jenkin's house
 - Jean's address: 1280 Vicki Drive
 - Bring a side dish or dessert and a chair

ETC – Nancy Terwilliger-Grube

- Charisma Horton
- Crazy Quilts

UFO – Nancy Terwilliger-Grube

- Winners for January -May: Most completed (30) Nancy Marks; Nancy also won the regular drawing!

Although the program speaker didn't show up, Susan Klipp made and brought 2 barn quilts to show.

The Retreat raffle winner was Nina Cramer! Nina was also lucky enough to win the Laura Star iron at the quilt show.

Birthday Bundle winners were Anna Waller, Rhonda Maun and Michelle Wheeler. The Fat Quarter winner was Leigh Golden.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:07 PM

We'll see you all at the picnic in July