

CHEROKEE ROSE QUILTERS GUILD

MINUTES OF MAY DAY MEETING, MAY 14, 2009
SUBMITTED BY BARBARA STEVENS, DAY SECRETARY
PRESIDING OFFICER: PATTI HOWELL, VICE PRESIDENT

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by President Rachel Phaneuf. She welcomed everyone. She welcomed Bobbie Spann, who has been ill, back to the meeting. She thanked Broach Winsley for the tuna can program and for the trunk show at the April night meeting.

Rachel also reminded everyone about the deadline for entering the East Cobb quilt show. There will also be a quilt show next Tuesday, May 19, at the Church at Chapel Hill.

Those caught doing good were Rita Perez, Becky Davis, and Albertha Brown.

Patti Howell, Vice President, then conducted the business meeting.

Patti announced the May birthdays and wished all a Happy Birthday. She also welcomed all visitors.

Treasurer's Report – Jessie was not present

Minutes were approved as printed in the newsletter.

Committee reports:

Membership – 32 members present. Phyl thanked Becky's daughter, Abby, for helping set up and for visiting our guild. The fat quarters were won by Abby Davis. The door prizes were won by Cindy Prince, Dori Holt, and Albertha Brown.

Hospitality – Marge thanked everyone who brought refreshments.

Programs – May Night, Nancy Hutchison; June Day, workshop at Claudia Woods' studio (We will meet in the church parking lot at 9 a.m. and go together to Claudia's studio); July Day, Susan Fisher – Ort Jar (a small trash container for scraps and thread); August Day, Christmas in August by the Columbus quilt shop; September Night, Challenge Quilts.

Newsletter – Diane Johnson asked everyone to have everything to her as soon as possible as she is going out of town.

Publicity – No report

Sunshine – Welcomed Bobbie Spann, Joyce Trew, and Queen Smith back after illnesses and deaths in the family. Queen and Joyce both thanked the guild for all the cards and prayers during their times of loss.

Telephone – Reached everyone.

Ways & Means – Ruler rack made by Diane Johnson’s husband has been donated and will be raffled off. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. This will run until the Christmas Party. The raffle basket (\$70 value) will be drawn for at the May night meeting. We also have mugs for sale. Everyone was also urged to start bringing things for the ‘Rauktion. Albertha said she would store everything at her home. Members are asked to place donations in boxes rather than bags if possible.

Historian – Nothing new.

Librarian – No new books are in the library, but Yvonne urged everyone to check out books and to remember to start using the books to make Christmas quilts.

Beekeeper – This month’s meeting will be at Joyce Hill’s home.

Challenge Quilt – Sunbonnet Sue is displayed on the table and is somewhere in Georgia.

Community Service – Volunteers have covered the needed bed quilts but we will take lap size quilts, bags, and cushions. There is fabric available to use for these projects.

Rachel announced that the flowers on the tables will go to the person whose birthday at each table is the closest to today’s date.

Barbara Stevens announced that the Silver Comet Stitchers Quilt Guild is hosting a workshop in August with Flavin Glover and are taking reservations for nonmembers to take this workshop. The fee is \$40.

Show and Tell was held.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Following the meeting, Linda Herren presented a program called “Paper Bag Mystery.” Everyone had a great time. Two prizes were awarded for the best interpretation of the challenge. Susan fisher won 1st prize with a beautiful block, and Doreen Thornton won 2nd prize for the innovative use of everything including the paper bag containing the mystery fabrics.