

CHEROKEE ROSE QUILTERS GUILD

MINUTES OF NOVEMBER MEETING, NOVEMBER 12, 2009
SUBMITTED BY BARBARA STEVENS, DAY SECRETARY

Patti Howell, Vice President, called the meeting to order. She donated two books from the Lavender Lime quilt shop for today's door prizes and then announced that today was her last day to preside as Vice President. She has enjoyed it very much. She encouraged everyone to participate. November birthdays were recognized.

The following reports were given:

Treasurer's Report – The current balance is \$3,032.84.

Hospitality – Marge thanked everyone who brought such a wonderful variety of food today. Thanks to all who brought snacks during the year.

Programs – Patti announced that today's program will be sharing our favorite tool or notion. Doreen Thornton reported for the 2010 committee which consists of herself, Robin Meyer, Linda Herren, and Emma Parker. They already have the following programs planned: January day, Cherokee Rose Quilt Show with a quilt completed from a program or workshop; January night, QUILT-O; February day, paper piecing a Cherokee Rose raffle quilt; February night, Kimber Pepper, West Georgia Quilt Guild will bring her kimonos and show how they can be used in quilts and other textile arts; and March day, Marge Frost will share how she uses scraps.

Newsletter – Diane requests that each committee chairperson submit an end-of-year report. Also, she would like suggestions for the newsletter.

Publicity – Sandra announced that we need two quilts to hang at the hospital starting in January.

Ways & Means – Dori reminded members that we have a storage item basket for our current raffle which will be conducted at the November night meeting. A ruler holder made and donated by Jack Johnson will be raffled at the Christmas party. There are some rulers also included. The tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. We also have cookbooks, DVDs, mugs, and shirts. The R'Auction made \$1,026!

Historian – Doreen encouraged members to purchase the 2008 DVD.

Sunshine – Louise said that Rita Perez is back with us today after surgery. Irene is sick. Patty LaConto had a light stroke and is doing therapy; she hopes to be back soon.

Challenge Quilts – Rachel reminded us that the November night meeting will be challenge quilts and an ice cream social.

Community Service – Rachel reported for Bev that Bev Mahle and Jane Wilding delivered walker totes and cushions to the Good Neighbor Care today. Quilts (24) are to be delivered to the Douglas County Retardation Center next week. Bev is requesting suggestions for next year's project.

Photographer – Charlie said that pictures are on the table and on the web site.

Christmas Party – Aline reminded us that the party will be on December 3rd starting at 6 p.m. She said that we are to bring a handmade gift for the gift exchange. Diane is donating a turkey. Patti will provide a ham. Marge is donating paper products.

Membership – There were 32 members and 2 visitors present. This month's Christmas fat quarters were won by Sandra Wilson. Door prizes were awarded to Charlie Phaneuf, Broach Winsley, and Doreen Thornton.

Nominating Committee – Caryl conducted the voting for officers: Rachel, President; Dori, Vice President; Tina, Treasurer; Phyllis Carpenter, Day Secretary; Jeanne, Night Secretary. Results will be announced at the night meeting.

Announcements

- The night meeting will be next week due to Thanksgiving holiday.
- Douglasville will have Old Fashioned Holidays, December 5-6. If you would like to be a host at one of the open houses, please contact Broach.
- Membership must be paid by December 15th in order to be listed in the membership booklet. No fees will be collected at the Christmas party.
- "A Quilted Heart" quilt show will be held November 17th at the Church at Chapel Hill.
- The Georgia Quilt Council would like a raffle quilt from each guild by April.
- The Georgia Quilt Museum would like a quilt from each guild to display.

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