

Ashe County Piecemakers Quilt Guild



Board Meeting April 2024

Attendees: Jean Evans, Diane Dallas, Susan Miller, Michele Hayes, Vicki Duckworth, Catherine Finch, Debbie Keightley, Alicia Canfield

- Meeting was called to order at 10:00 by President Jean Evans
- March minutes were approved by Alicia Canfield and seconded by Jean Evans.

- Treasurer's Report by Jean Evans



Fundraiser: Beginning balance \$65.11

Ending balance of \$63.80

Guild account: Beginning balance \$9305.72.

Ending balance \$9233.68

Budget was discussed and will be approved by the members at the June annual meeting.



Jean Evans reviewed the calendar of events program and there will be no May board or guild meeting, due to the retreat. The question of changing dates for the next few years of the retreat needs to be addressed as this conflicts with the monthly guild meeting.

By-laws will be sent to board members to read over before they are sent to members, a motion was made by Diane Dallas for approval and seconded by Catherine Finch. By-laws will be voted on at the June Guild meeting.

Standing rules are postponed until the June board meeting.

June: Picnic at the park and our annual Guild meeting. Bring a side dish.

Budget has been reviewed.

The guild will be providing food for the memorial of Irene Bebber's husband on April 27. A sign-up sheet is available with Mary Rodgers. If you would like to contribute and will not be in town, please contact Mary Rodgers or Alicia Canfield, we will make sure it gets there.


Susan Miller is working on an information packet for newcomers.

Susan also reviewed changes and important information on the Arts Council Exhibit and criteria that must be met for an entry. Entries will be collected in June.

The fundraiser quilt will be on display at the Wilkesboro visitors center for May and June with our QR code. We will also be displaying a smaller quilt with polka dots. Diane Dallas will be distributing ticket packets at the guild meeting today. \$5 for 6 tickets, no \$1 tickets anymore.

The next fundraiser quilt will be a patriotic theme for 2026.

The Christmas project of making backpacks for children with a few personal items inside will be donated to The Nest, motioned for approval by Susan Miller and seconded by Vicki Duckworth.

Diane has contacted the children's oncology center and Habitat for humanity regarding quilt donations. She has also prepared a display of the fundraiser quilt for Generations with our QR code. 

Alicia Canfield motioned to delete membership cards and Catherine Finch seconded that motion.

Vicki Duckworth will be getting a contact person from Ashe Times for photo opportunities and information about our wonderful, hardworking guild. Alicia Canfield has already spoken to WKSK for free advertising if there is no monetary mention.

Keys to the PO Box: the treasurer and the secretary should each have a key.

Looking for the second key.  

The meeting was adjourned somewhere around noon.

Happy Spring! 

Minutes submitted by Alicia Canfield

4/12/2024

