



Empire Quilters Board Meeting Minutes June 12, 2010

Attendees: Gail Lefton, Janet Randolph, Mindy Wexler Marks, Lisa Kehrle, Kitty Squire, Larry Gifford, Rita Reid, Alice Brody, Mary Butler, Anna Foss, Beth Pile, Anna Krassy, Paula Kenney, Denise Walsh Horowitz, Aleeda Crawley, Lauren Dieterich

Paula Kenney called the meeting to order at 11:05 AM.

Minutes: *Kitty Squire made a motion to accept the minutes as written. The motion was seconded by Paula Kenney and passed by the Board.*

Treasurer's Report: *Larry Gifford made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report as written. The motion was seconded by Alice Brody and passed by the Board.*

2011 Show: Thirteen out of sixteen vendors have accepted invitation to the show. There are no new vendors in this group and only one vendor has paid. Larry is calling people we especially want to vend but we have not heard from. Suzy of Sew Time is coming back to vend and will once again give us a Pfaff to raffle off. Raffle tickets for the show quilt are at the printer. The quilt is here today. Anna Foss has contacted four or five groups who have expressed an interest in coming to the Show. Paula Kenney reported that the contracts still have not been signed.

Focus Groups: There will be a group in September on squaring up your quilt for binding. Janet will be doing a group on double mitered corners in October. There will be other groups related to getting your quilt show ready before March, 2011.

Workshops: There is a nice lineup for the next quilting season. Gwen Jackson will be presenting a workshop in doll making. She needs more time — perhaps a two day workshop.

Ways and Means: Chair Larry Gifford will speak at the General Meeting today regarding the December Auction.

Welcoming: Rita Reid will be turning over all materials related to the Welcoming Committee to Gail Lefton

Bus Trips: Chair Aleeda Crawley reported that if we want to go on trips we need additional persons to lead and plan them. Our next trip is to Philadelphia for Pennsylvania National. Aleeda will be asking for volunteers again today. If no one volunteers, there will be two (2) trips that Aleeda will plan herself. She already has the information regarding going to Houston, and is ready to have a meeting regarding this trip.

Larry Gifford made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Anna Foss and passed by the Board.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:40 AM.

Submitted by: Gail Lefton, Secretary