

LNCQ General Meeting Monday, August 6, 2018

The 7pm meeting was held at PVREA; 48 members and 1 guest were present.

Rita Van Dyne, President, welcomed everyone to our 2018 Ice Cream Social. She gave a special thanks to Anita Walters and all those amazing ladies that volunteer for meeting hospitality. We had a huge array of delicious cookies and a choice of 1, 2 or 3 scoop ice cream creations.

Kim Darrow, Treasurer, reported that we should end the year with approximately \$14,000 thanks in part to the membership's support of the many special events held this year. Some of these funds will be used to lure more popular speakers to our meetings in 2019.

Rita announced that the Community Sew group has been very active, having donated over 50 quilts to date this year. She encouraged all of us to get kits and keep up the good work.

Lyons Quilt Fair, Saturday, 8/11. Great opportunity to see quilts.

Bus trip to Missouri Star is full but if you want your name added to a waiting list, contact Eunice Michalka. Contact info is on the website.

Nancy Parker, Fall Retreat reminded us that the forms/checks for the Fall Retreat, 10/1-4, could be turned in starting tonight. 40 spots are available but there will be no pampering of quilters, just good food and beautiful scenery. BTW, Lyons quilt store will be offering 15% discount for the 4 days.

Eileen Maelzer, Special Projects, reminded us that laser cut fusible appliques are still available, thanks to the talents of Carolyn Mancuso. Stating that anything quilted with any type of raw edge applique can be entered in the challenge. A \$5 entry fee is required, but will be returned in February if you show an item. To date there are 25 in the challenge. Eileen also announced that the 2017 challenge will be displayed at the November meeting

November meeting: November 5th, 1:30pm at PVREA building. Speaker is Sherrilyn Mortensen from SEW KIND of Wonderful . Details will come on speaker workshop.

Sissy Young, January Retreat, shared a bit of information on the upcoming retreat at the 1st United Methodist Church, Loveland, on January 7-8, 2019. Must be a member to participate. Registration and membership will be handled at the December meeting. Details are forthcoming on the website.

County Fair Award winners from prior years gave us an opportunity to see 15 entries from 10 members. All amazing works.

Show and Tell provided another opportunity to see 14 projects from 11 members.

Our one guest just moved to Boulder from out of state and found us on the internet that afternoon and thought an ice cream social with other quilters was the perfect way to spend the evening.