

LNCQ General Meeting Monday, April 4, 2016

Welcome: Eunice read the names of the guests and they introduced themselves and their interest in quilting. There were 35 attendees and 8 guests at the meeting.

Introduction of Officers: Sissy introduced the officers for the year 2016.

President: Sissy Young and **co-President** Eunice Michalka

Vice President: Sharon Wakefield

Recording Secretary: Barbara Moir

Treasurer: Jean Poland

Introduction of General Board Members:

Membership: Robbie Carpenter

Publicity: Sharon Wakefield and Eileen Maezler

Newsletter: Lori Willey

Exhibits: Linda Heier

Shown & Tell: Kristine Smith

Smalls Groups: Ann Eatman

Community Service: Nancy Pennington

Library: Mary Ann Florence

Historian: Maxine Tamlin

Thank you flowers for Maxine Tamlin: Eunice presented Maxine with flowers for her years of organization and service to the LNCQ group and its success.

2016 budget: Jean Poland presented the budget for 2016. Sissy conducted a vote from the general membership which was favorably voted upon.

Bylaws Amendments: Sissy conducted the vote from the membership to approve the bylaw changes. Bylaws were approved. Previously to the meeting, the bylaw changes went out to ALL members via email, post to those without email and in the newsletter.

Quilt Challenge: Eileen Maezler explained the 2016 quilt challenge. Thirty ladies can participate in the quilt challenge. The fat quarter of fabric was handed out with members signing up and contributing \$3, which is refundable when the quilt challenge piece is turned in at the September General Meeting.

Announcements: Eunice

Community Service Sew Day will be Monday, May 2 at the Quilter's Stash in Windsor from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. LNCQ fabric will be cut into 2-1/2 inch strips. The strips will be used to design and make quilts. A sewing day will be organized in the future.

June 2016 program will be Carol Waug, who is a fiber artist with her quilts.

August program will be Tori Anderson. February meeting was cancelled due to bad weather and Tori has been rescheduled, speaking about her family history of quilting and her unique style of quilting.

Allstate Insurance gave LNCQ a \$1,000 grant to be used for LNCQ education. The grant was possible due to Jim Michalka, agent for Allstate, doing community service for LNCQ, helping to empty the storage shed and moving the LNCQ library to Jukebox Quilts.

Program: Sissy introduced Sandy Lueth, a certified Judy Niemeyer instructor. Sandy spoke about her tote patterns and did a wonderful trunk show of her own Judy Niemeyer inspired quilts.

Show n' Tell: Kristine conducted the show n' tell with 13 ladies showing their projects.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Respectively submitted,

Recording Secretary