



Cotton Candy Quilt Guild

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January 2024 Business Meeting

Judy opened the meeting

- Thank you to past board members for your service to the guild.
- Welcome to all members.
- Introduce new members and visitors.
- New member emails will be added to group email.
 - You can send an email to all the guild members, using ccquiltguild@googlegroups.com
- Marilyn, Coti no name tag, in progress.
- 2024 Calendar, trying some new events and programs.

Coti - Treasurers Report

- Dues are due today, \$25. If you did not pay today, please mail a check to Coti.
- Treasurer Report, \$1403.98 balance. Mailed Treasurer's report for 2023.
 - Expand gift card selection beyond Giant Eagle

Lynn - Retreat Coordinator Report

- Lynn, Retreat Report, April 24- 28, Somewhere Sewing. 19 attending.
 - Cabin 1 – Lynn, Grace, Jackie, Tracy, Marilyn, Diane
 - Cabin 2 – Kathie L, Cathy L, Judy B, Debbie B
 - Cabin 3 – Lucy, Kathryn, Kathy K, Kristine, Jessica
 - Cabin 4 – Chris, Wendy
 - Camper – Judy B
 - Loft – Coti
 - We all bring food for a specific lunch/dinner. We will sign up using Perfect Potluck. Can bring snacks and drinks to share, full kitchen with stove and oven
 - We will make a list of dietary restrictions and try to make accommodations, send any restrictions to Lynn before March meeting
 - Somewhere Sewing has ironing stations, cutting stations, good chairs
 - Bring sewing machines, cutting tools, supplies,
 - Run a tab, will get 20% discount, check out by Sat, closed on Sun

NEORQC Update

- NEORQC, emails are forwarded to all members. Coti will send in membership for guild.

- NEORQC Challenge Quilt, make an 8.5" unfinished block, made with black and white fabric, make as many blocks as you want, any pattern. We will add color sashing to assemble the quilt. Blocks Due June 11.

Cathy Latza, Refreshment Coordinator

- Cathy adjusted refreshment sign up. It will be on the website and minutes.
 - Feb – no refreshments at Polka Dot Pincushion
 - Mar – Judy Brown, Kathie Luskin
 - Apr – Chris, Wendy
 - May – Lorraine, Joanne
 - June – Dianne, Kathryn
 - July – picnic
 - Aug - no refreshments at Polka Dot Pincushion
 - Sept – Kathy Kulbago, Debbie
 - Oct – no refreshments, shop hop
 - Nov – Judy M, Marilyn

New Events and Topics

- Judy would like to create a budget for the guild.
 - Show n Tell gift cards, \$10
 - Speaker \$150
 - Retreat and Sewing Days
 - Cookbook \$200
 - Holiday Party favors and decorations
 - Greeting Cards
 - Use a budget as a guideline and to help determine if the guild can pay for additional Sewing Days
 - Could subsidize picnic or holiday party, possible \$250 for picnic
 - Maybe a caterer for food for picnic
- Guild will pay for Polka Dot Pincushion in Feb, \$150 for room rental.
 - Time will be 9am – 6pm, both Feb and Aug.
 - Lunch: bring your own. Pierogies across the street.
 - Upper level, park in the back. Store hours are 10am – 4pm. If Richfield Schools are closed, the shop will be closed.
 - Ironing stations, cutting tables, banquet chairs, bring your own rulers and rotary cutters. No business meeting.
 - Coti will teach paper piecing during this sewing day. If you are interested, email Coti and she will send you instructions on what to bring that day.
- October Shop Hop Field Trip
- Cookbook Recipes
 - All recipes are now on the website
 - You can send new recipes to Lucy

- We do not pay to meet at Macedonia City Center. Consider a donation to City to say thank you for letting us meet here. Suggest \$50 donation to City. Dianne will ask Shari for details, maybe the Senior Group.
- Sew4Service charity quilt request – Lucy has 3-yard quilt kits and patterns available for anyone that would like to make a charity quilt top.
- Coti is leading a Mystery Quilt Challenge. She loves this one! 70” x70”
 - You will need background fabric. Everyone makes their own full sized quilt.
 - Not paper piecing, regular piecing, 2 blocks with flower applique which is optional.
 - If you choose to participate, Coti will email out the steps a little at a time. See the calendar for due dates.
 - It is completely scrappy, you can choose any colors you want.
 - Near the end, 128 flying geese, so maybe cut along the way. Coti will send instructions on how to cut 4 flying geese at a time, 1 at a time, and Tucker Trimmer.
 - Part 1 Due March 12
- Coti has a LazyBoy recliner, open to anyone. See Coti.
- Dee Hart, Tucker Trimmer, passed away in Dec. They are selling her sewing supplies. Sat Jan 27, 10am – 4pm, Sun Jan 28, Suffield OH.
- Tree Blocks Swap, House and Tree Quilt Top Due August 13.
 - Pattern materialgirlquilts.com/blog/2020/4/29/my-town-quilt-blocks-free-tutorial
- Coti will send out updated roster in a few weeks
- Thank you Coti and Jackie for refreshments tonight.
- Show n Tell: Patti, Kristine, Wendy, Diane, Marilyn, Winner: Patti \$10 Giant Eagle
- Program: Folding Fabric Box, She will share the pattern. Thank you Kathie for presenting this fun project.

Action Items:

- Send Dues to Coti, \$25, if you didn't pay tonight.
- If you plan on attending the April Retreat and your name is not on the list above, let Lynn know your plans.
- Send any dietary restrictions or allergies to Lynn before the March meeting so we can accommodate during April retreat.
- If you have changes to the roster, let Coti know ASAP.
- Feb Sewing Day at Polka Dot Pincushion – optional lesson in paper piecing – if you are interested, let Coti know and she will send you instructions on what to bring.
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Next Meeting – Tues Feb 13, Polka Dot Pincushion, 9am – 6pm

Meeting Minutes submitted by Lucy

