

Meeting of Friendship Quilters
November 13, 2010

President Pro Tem, Donna Nicholson called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m. Margaret Rose noted that we have 19 members present which is a quorum. Mary Hoyle joined the guild today. She lives in Pell City and used to work at Kathy's shop.

Shirley Sargent gave us an inspirational thought, saying that the 3-day sew days gave her a new love of quilting.

Shelia Robertson moved, Shirley Sargent seconded the minutes be accepted as posted on the web. Motion carried.

Donna Nicholson gave a treasurer's report. Margaret Rose moved, Shirley Sargent seconded we accept the treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Please turn in ticket money for the opportunity quilt or table rental money, please turn that in.

Election of Officers: Shelia Robertson passed out ballots. Margaret Rose moved, Peggy Williams seconded that we use the by-laws clause that would allow Donna Nicholson to serve another year as treasurer.

Margaret Rose read a thank-you card from Judy Goodwin. Peggy Williams gave a report on Terry Russell's husband, Keith. We have given him a prayer quilt.

Margaret Rose gave a report on the quilting and labeling of Mayor Hereford's Alabama quilt.

Judy Boozer gave an update on the craft fair. Judy will be putting names on the tables, so if you have any special requests, please let Judy know. They will set up at 7:00p.m. on Friday and open up at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday.

Jackie Crumley has cookbooks that we might sell 30 cookbooks that cost up \$213.19 that we might sell for \$8 or \$10. Shirley Sargent moved, Paige Everett seconded that we sell the remaining books for \$8 each.

Donna Nicholson asked where the brochures are. They are at the membership table and we have about 50 or 60. Jackie White printed our previous brochures and we paid her for the toner. Peggy Williams will check on the price for printing new ones at Going Postal.

Shelia Robertson reported the newly elected officers are:

President: Peggy Williams

Vice President: Shelia Robertson

Secretary: Margaret Rose

Treasurer: Donna Nicholson.

The new officers will be installed at the next meeting. Donna mentioned that if you would like to serve on a committee, you should let the newly elected officers know.

Peggy Williams reported on the December Christmas lunch at Sunset Inn. We will have the facility all day long. We will have our show and tell for our 30's challenge quilted item at the luncheon. Everyone should bring a handmade ornament for exchange and gift wrap it. If you have not signed up for the luncheon, please do so. We will have a grab bag and not Dirty Santa.

Shirley Sargent reported that next year's block of the month will be keep your own, but please bring them in so that we can see them all. The quilt challenge will be to make a project with one or more of blocks of the month.

Beth Staples recognized members with birthdays this month: Carole Bentley and Terry Ware.

Show and Tell:

Mary Casey: made a scrappy little blanket that she stippled because she learned how at the retreat. She did a bear claw Auburn Quilt with AU at the cornerstones and tigers at the center of the bear paws. She also did two Linus quilts – one an adorable teddy bear and a Noah's arc Linus quilt.

Margaret Rose shared a Square in the Air quilt done in seasons fabrics. It was made for the Lick Skillet Guild challenge.

Peggy Williams showed her Lick Skillet Challenge quilt which has straight furrows.

Judy Boozer won a quilt top at the Auburn guild that is cats, which she quilted up. It will be for sale at the craft fare.

Donna Nicholson did placemats for the craft show, they each take 4 fat quarters. She also did a practice piece, whole cloth quilt with butterflies and feathers. She found the method for drawing the feathers on TQS the quilting web sight. She said it was fun and found herself drawing feathers on everything.

Shelia Roberson made quilt tops for the twin grandsons that are due early next year. She needs a little more blue terrier 30s fabric for the last border. Donna Nicholson will look for it.

Shirley Sargent did a Geisha quilt on water color postage stamp background.

Sally Day did a wind mill quilt that is all hand quilted

Peggy Williams discussed blocks of the month for December: **Shooting Star 2. White is color 2. Thirties fabric is Color1.** Carole Bentley and Brownie Drummond won the November blocks. Also, there was a mix up in July and we need to draw for a July Winner it was won by Terry Ware.

\$13 in the 50/50 drawing was split by the guild and Mary Hoyle.

Door prizes were won by Debbie Swann, Brenda Franklin and Paige Everett.

6 Fat quarters were won by Peggy White.

Jackie and Peggy White's sister-in-law has stage-four cancer. Please keep her and the family in your prayers.

There being no further business, Paige moved Jackie White seconded the meeting adjourn. Motion carried and meeting adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Rose, Secretary.