

## **June Meeting Minutes**

### **Treasurer report**

The beginning balance was \$4,465.21. During the month of May, there was income of \$629.95, and \$923.55 in expenses, leaving a current balance of \$4163.61.

### **Block of the Month**

July BOM is the Scrappy Hourglass-Pinwheel. The colors for this month's block are red, blue, turquoise, and orange, with white/low volume. A tutorial will be posted on the blog or visit the Cluck, Cluck, Sew website.

### **Swaps and Challenges**

June was the animal challenge reveal! A few members showed how creative they can be with their animal interpretations. In July, members who swapped patterns will be returning their projects back to their partner. Also in July, there will be a Make It Modern white elephant-style swap. This Make It Modern can be any style project you choose – pillow, mini, pincushion – whatever you'd like to make modern!

### **Charity Quilt Update**

A charity quilt was donated to be used at an auction for a young girl battling cancer. It was reported that the quilt sold for \$80! The overall fundraiser was a great success and our donation was greatly appreciated and will be well-loved!

### **2017-18 Elections**

Elections were held for the 2017-18 board members and the results are as follows:

President: Christine L.

Treasurer: Cindy R.

Secretary: Kati B.

Vice President: Kathy B. & Cate C.

Vice President of Membership: Julie A.

Next elections will be held in June of 2018!

### **Fall 2017 Retreat**

New options for the fall retreat have been suggested. The first option is to keep our current reservation at Seabeck. The second option is to go back to Gwinwood, which is where the retreat was held last year. The final option is to hold a 2-day staycation at the local VFW. It was voted on and the vote at the meeting favored the staycation at the VFW. A poll will be posted on Facebook so that members who are not at the meeting can have a chance to pick an option.

UPDATE: After the meeting, the results from the poll on Facebook determined that the retreat will be a staycation at the VFW. Information and cost will be announced at the next meeting.

### **Raffle Quilt Update**

Our raffle quilt is complete and tickets are available! Members can purchase tickets for \$1. It is suggested that you purchase 20 tickets at a time and then sell to everyone! The quilt will also be visiting a variety of locations, including the Quilt Barn on June 24<sup>th</sup>, The Gig Harbor Art Festival on July 15<sup>th</sup>, as well as visiting some other local guild meetings. The money raised from our raffle quilt will go towards speakers at meetings and supplies for our charity quilts.

### **Summer Social**

July's meeting will be our annual summer social! It will be held at Ft. Nisqually near Point Defiance, along the 5-Mile Drive. There will be a white elephant style swap and the project is Make it Modern! You can make anything: a mini quilt, a pillow, a tote or pouch – whatever you can think of! Just be sure to Make it Modern! The social will be from 5:30-8:30; please bring a light appetizer to share.

### **Round Robin Teaching Stations**

A hug thank-you to the following members for making June's Round Robin a great success! Each member had a station where they taught on their chosen topic!

Trish – Mat Cleaning & Care

Melissa & LeighAnn – Featherweight Information & Care

Cate – Stripology

Kathy B. – Accu-Quilt

Nicole – Block-Lock

### **Upcoming Events**

July 20<sup>th</sup> – Summer Social/Monthly Meeting at Ft. Nisqually

### **For July's meeting:**

- July's BOM – Scrappy Hourglass/Pinwheel
- Make it Modern project for swap
- A light appetizer to share
- Sew & Tell
- Your nametag