

PALOUSE PATCHERS GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MINUTES

November 4, 2008

The business meeting was called to order by President, Carol Herbst, at 7:00 p.m., at the Junior High Music Room. New visitors were introduced and welcomed.

Monthly Meeting Setup/Greeters (6:00 pm):

Dec.-	Holiday Committee and Friendship Block	-	Thimble Therapy
Jan. -	?	Feb. -	Sanity Seekers
Mar.-	?	Apr. -	?
May-	Dinner Committee and Friendship Block	-	?

New Business: Carol Herbst

The UI Women's Center annual craft fair is November 14th and 15th at the SUB Ballroom.

The Washington Idaho Symphony Young Artist Concert committee would like to display musical quilts if members would like to display their quilts, along with the raffle quilt. The concert is February 21, 2009, in the Gladdish Auditorium. Participants will be given complimentary tickets.

Jody Garrett is to be added to the Spring Fling committee.

Karen Schoepflin-Hagen's Limerick of the Month:

*This is the month of the turkey
And the hunters have made their fresh jerky.
With the gardening done
Now it's time for REAL fun.
Time to plan lots of quilts bright and perky.*

Valerie Smith read the October 7, 2008, minutes. They were moved, seconded and passed as read.

Chris Schultz presented the bills. It was moved, seconded and passed to pay the bills.

Sara and Torrey Lawrence showed a slide presentation on the new **palousepatchers.org** website. There is a link to email the webmaster if you have corrections or comments to enhance the site. Event photos can be posted.

Community Service:

Mary Silvernale Shook asked for ideas for 2009 donations. Contact Mary at silvernale@clearwire.net. One idea was Moscow High School is looking for used sewing machines for fiber arts. Mary and Constance Spratt displayed a board for gift ideas for an adopted family for Christmas for Kids. Bring your wrapped gifts to the next meeting. A heifer international catalog is available.

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Old Business:

Education Committee: For Spring Fling 2009

Jackie Carter, Cheryl Greenstreet and Lana Tout volunteers to head this committee.

Quilt Show April 18-19, 2009

Sandy Berg said they took in \$670 at the fair on the raffle quilt. Kathy Rathbun has tickets to sell, and Karen Templeton needs demo volunteers. Jan Sharp will make a label for the raffle quilt displayed at Sterling Savings.

Friendship Groups:

A member from each friendship group reported on their current activities.

December 2nd Holiday Meeting at the Fairgrounds:

Julie Trail passed out fabric for the 12 ½" star quilt block to be brought to the December meeting for the drawing. Thimble Therapy will decorate for the party.

Members can also bring a handmade, wrapped ornament for a gift exchange.

The buffet will start at 6:00 p.m., and bring food for the potluck.

If members want to bring a quilting item (new or gently used) or fabric to exchange, wrap it as well.

Program:

Lynda Geist of Anatone, WA, presented several miniature and full size quilts. She gave a history of lace making and passed around numerous needlework samples. Beaded purses, necklaces and ornaments were on display.

Show and Tell

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 pm.