

## PALOUSE PATCHERS GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MINUTES

February 3, 2009

The business meeting was called to order by President, Carol Herbst, at 7:00 p.m., at the Latah County Fairgrounds. New visitors were introduced, welcomed and given membership booklets.

### **Monthly Meeting Setup/Greeters (6:15 pm):**

March .-	Full membership help setup and greet	
Apr. -	?	
May -	Dinner Committee and Friendship Block -	?

**New Business:** Carol Herbst

Glenda Hawley sent a request to Palouse Patchers for Quilts of Valor with a size maximum of 50X60, and no larger than twin size. Ask Iris Murray for further information.

Karen Schoepflin-Hagen's Limeric of the Month:

*There once was a patcher... Could be you...  
Whose limericks end with line two.*

Valerie Smith read the December 2, 2008, minutes. They were moved, seconded and passed as read. Thimble Therapy was thanked for setting up a great Christmas Party.

Chris Schultz presented the bills. It was moved, seconded and passed to pay the bills. Carol asked Chris about the bills being audited by a non-member as stated in the by-laws.

Sara Lawrence gave an update on the palousepatchers.org website. She needs photos of friendship groups to post on the site. The registration for quilt camp is on the site.

Diana Pals asked for new quilt book requests to order for the library. Cheryl Greenstreet can order books for us at a discounted rate. The library book listing may soon be on the website.

### **Community Service:**

Mary Silvernale Shook said Moscow High School has been donated one sewing machine and is looking for more used machines for fiber arts. She read thank you notes from recipients of donations. She passed around a listing of ongoing charity projects. Habitat for Humanity has a new family in Genesee that will receive quilts.

### **Quilt Camp:**

Ann Frey said quilt camp is April 1-5, 2009, and talked about camp for new members. There is a \$175.00 fee, with a \$50.00 deposit due now to hold a spot. The theme is "magic."

Iris Murray said Gayla will come to camp this year for massages if there is enough interest.

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### **Old Business:**

Carol Herbst thanked members that helped with the quilt display at the Washington Idaho Symphony Young Artist Concert on February 21, 2009. Holly Barnes said they sold \$66.00 in quilt raffle tickets.

There are many membership booklets left over and members can purchase them for \$1.00 each from the treasurer Chris Schultz at the meetings.

### **Education Committee: For Spring Fling 2009**

Cheryl Greenstreet and Jody Garrett reported Spring Fling is March 5-7, 2009, at the 1912 Building. The March 5<sup>th</sup> lecture by Lisa Calhoun is at 7:00 and costs \$5.00 at the door. The March 6-7 class costs \$40.00 and is from 10:00-4:00. The \$40.00 is for both days. Contact Jackie Carter at 208-310-1529 for sign-up and advance payment that is due by February 16<sup>th</sup>. The design workshops are titled Unique Scrap Quilts and The Soup Pot Approach.

### **Quilt Show April 18-19, 2009**

Lynne McCreight has a new website for quilt show entries online. Go to [palousepatchers.org](http://palousepatchers.org) and click on it to access the form. Please type quilt titles with caps and small letters. Call Lynne at 208-882-4181 if you have a problem.

Sandy Berg said Undercover Ladies of the Night will be finishing up the 2010 raffle quilt by March 9<sup>th</sup> so that the hand quilting can proceed.

**Show and Tell** produced a variety of beautiful projects completed since November 2008.

**Secret Sister** surveys were exchanged for members that wanted to participate.

### **Program:**

Barbara Lambrecht of Chatteroy, Washington was the speaker. She gave a history of her quilts and displayed a trunk show of appliqué and art quilts.

The next meeting will be March 3, 2009, at the Latah County Fairgrounds. The speaker will be Donna Weyen of Kendrick, Idaho with her trunk show.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 pm.