

PALOUSE PATCHERS GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MINUTES

May 5, 2009

The business meeting was called to order by President, Carol Herbst, at 6:00 p.m., at the Latah County Fairgrounds. New visitors were introduced, welcomed and given membership booklets.

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

May- Dinner Committee and Drawing Block - Palouse Patchers Exec. Board
The room was decorated for Cinco de Mayo themed Fiesta for the dinner meeting, with members bringing a potluck of spicy dishes.

Karen Schoepflin-Hagen's Limerick of the Month:

*This month we must all say "good-bye"
But I betcha the summer will fly
And I really do think
That before you can blink
We'll be back here with hugs, felling sky-high.*

The April 7th minutes are posted on the palousepatchers.org website.

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

New Business:

Carolyn Hook announced that the Baker City Quilt Show is July 17-19, 2009. An entry form is available from Carolyn at 882-2456 before July 8, 2009.

2010 Quilt Show:

The 2010 quilt show chairmen will again be Nancy Larson-Powers and Sandy Berg.

The Janet Freitag theme will be "Sentimental Journey," to show a look-back on people who inspired us in our lives and our quilting.

Old Business:

Secret sisters were revealed to each other during dinner.

The 2009 Quilt show profits were:

\$2,486.00	Raffle Quilt
\$4,257.00	Show Revenue and Vendors
\$ 888.00	Admissions

Betty Sandel received \$50 for the Janet Freitag award. Karen Schoepflin-Hagen and Lois Roberts received \$25.00 each as runners-up.

Donnye Harris again won the award for the most raffle tickets sold at 300.

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Quilt Camp:

Ann Frey said fall quilt camp is October 14-18, 2009. The theme is Holidays. Deposits for camp will not be accepted until the September 1st, 2009 meeting.

Website: Sara Lawrence

Sara Lawrence asked small groups to submit photos for the website. The listing of library books is now on the website.

Summer Challenge: Scrappy Friendship Quilt

Squares were distributed and tops are to be done by the Sept. meeting.

Nominating Committee:

Carol announced the new officers for the 2009-2010 year, and it was moved-seconded-passed to accept the slate.

President: Kathleen Stewart

Vice-President: Karen Owsley

Secretary: Gloria Long

Treasurer: Chris Schultz

Librarian: Diana Pals

Historian:

Latah County Fair Chairmen: Jody Birk and Mimi Sprone

Parting gifts were presented to officers and committee chairmen from President Carol Herbst.

Carol was presented a \$50 gift certificate and a rooster clock from the membership.

Kathleen Stewart announced that Fall Festival is October 1-3, 2009, to put on your calendar.

The guest will be Kim Diel with machine appliqué.

Program:

Loraine Manwaring of Deary, author of Holiday Wrappings, displayed a trunk show of quilts from her new book. Carol asked the treasurer to purchase her two books for the library.

Tool Time

A left-right game was played to determine the winners of the 10 Taco Salad table runners made by the executive committee.

The 127 Cinco de Mayo drawing blocks were won by Kathleen Stewart and Valerie Smith. The block was very simple which produced a lot of entries.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.