

**PALOUSE PATCHERS GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MINUTES  
SEPTEMBER 1, 2009**

65 members signed in for the meeting.

The business meeting was called to order by President, Kathleen Stewart at 7:00 p.m. at the Latah County Fair Building. All new members were welcomed and asked to be sure to leave contact information so they can be included in the membership information.

Founding sisters for Palouse Patchers were introduced: Elna Barton, Irene Furniss, Phyllis Le Tourneau, Maybelle Carson, Pat Hungerford and Olinda Britton. Small gifts were given to each.

2009-2010 Officers were introduced.

President	Kathleen Stewart
Vice President	Karen Owsley
Secretary	Gloria Long
Treasurer	Chris Schultz

Committee Chairs and reports:

Quilt Show Chairs Nancy Larson Powers, Sandy Berg  
Theme of 2010 Quilt Show is: "Threads of the 30's", Poster and book marks, and tickets are completed and ready for hand out. Committee chair needed for night security. Celia Boland volunteered for this. Take down committee-Ursula Hitch. Please give information to Sandy & Nancy for special display of previous raffle quilts.

Historians Elna Barton, Julie Trail, Sandy Berg  
Sandy Berg has been going through past scrap books and wants to get them more complete and into better shape. She will work with Elna and Julie as an ongoing project. This may take a couple of years to complete.

Librarian: Diana Pals  
Webmaster Sandy Berg, Tory Lawrence  
Sandy Berg has volunteered to take over the website with training from Tory.

Community Services Mary Silvernail Shook

Publicity Joan Budd

Fair Jody Birk

Jody had sign up sheets for the fair and asked that people volunteer their time to help with set up and take down as well as sitting with the quilt and selling raffle tickets.

Fall Festival Gloria Long

Fall Festival is October 1,2,3. Dinner is at the Gladish Community Center in Pullman at 6 p.m. on Oct. 1. Classes will be held at the 1912 Building in Moscow on Oct 2& 3 with Kim Diehl teaching. Tickets are available tonight. Carol Herbst had a drawing block for the festival to show at the table.

Quilt Camp Ann Frey

Cost is \$175 Dates are October 14-18. Nonrefundable \$50 deposit can hold a spot. Last day to reserve a spot is September 30. Spring camp is April 7-11. It is one week later than usual.

Tool Time Jan Sharp

Raffle Quilt Mary Pluhta (mom) Tickets, Gloria Long  
Raffle Tickets will be available before each meeting at a table.

Free Table Lana Tout

Lana will take all left over items to Goodwill after the meeting.

Dinner committee:

December:

May Stitch n Study

Membership listing was passed around. Everyone was asked to correct/add any information so the book could be completed. We will be adding email addresses this year except for those who request to have their email excluded.

Members are asked to sign in at each meeting on the sign up sheet at the entry. We would like to know how many are attending each meeting.

Also a sign up sheet was located on the table for those desiring to be in a small group.

Reminder that people with birthdays falling in October are asked to come early to set up for the next meeting – October 6, 2009 at 7p.m. at Latah County Fair Grounds.

Show and tell followed.

Karen Owsley introduced Gayle Simpson for the evening program.

Karen Hagen will give next month's program –

Meeting was adjourned