

COUNTRY PIECEMAKERS
MINUTES FOR NOVEMBER 10, 2018

The meeting was called to order by Kay, Vice President. Janet led us in a devotion. Minutes were approved for October and Dorothy said she made the correction that Bonnie S. sent to her. The treasurer's report was approved. We had 25 members present and 2 visitors (Myra-Kay's sister and Laura McFarland's mother).

GUILD BUSINESS

- Jane P. reported that we now have 47 paid members. She reminded the guild that dues must be paid in order to vote in December.
- Jane E. conducted the 50/50 raffle today. Today's total was \$36.00 and Colleen took \$18.00.
- Hospitality today was Becky, Bev, and Billie. A sign up sheet was sent around for members to sign up for December brunch. They will go in Friday night to decorate.
- Beginning in January, 2019, Terri and Jane P. will chair the Hospitality Committee.
- Boni S. reported that she has sent pictures from retreat to Michele.
- Veteran Quilts. One was brought back completed and two that needed bindings. Linda C. and Bonnie S. took the two that need binding. There is a dinner on December 18 but Nancy T. was not present to give details. If interested in attending dinner and presenting a quilt, please contact Nancy T. or Dorothy.
- Heidi needs to know the title of your challenge quilt and an insurance value. For those members who do not respond, she will use your title from sign up sheet and place a \$100.00 value for insurance purposes.
- Programs. Today's program is Mystery Table Runner taught by our member, Sharon Rhoton. Michele H. will teach the jelly roll rug at the March meeting and Barbara Cline will teach a star quilt at the May meeting.
- December program will be the Brunch. We will eat at 10:00 a.m. and then conduct our business meeting. This year we will exchange a wrapped white elephant gift with a price value around \$10.00
- Planning for 2019. Boni S. announced that Kay, Vice President; Cindy, Treasurer; and Linda S., Member at Large have all agreed to run for their current office. If a member is interested in running for one of these offices, please contact Boni S. or Dorothy. We will vote at the December meeting.

ACTIVITIES

- Colleen had sent an email about the pillowcase totals. There were 139 sewn on Saturday, October 13 for a yearly total of 399. Our overall total is 3,047. Nancy J. and Barbara will now chair this committee beginning in January. Since our December meeting is early, you may bring Christmas pillowcases to the December meeting.
- Colleen announced there are no more UFO's. Colleen suggested that our August, 2019 meeting be devoted to sewing UFO's.

- Colleen's quilt will hang in library for November; Dorothy's quilt in December; and Lisa's quilt in January.
- There were 6 baby quilts today and Jane E. stated that she had previously given Janet 3 baby quilts. Baby quilts today were from Sharon, Patricia, Sara P., Boni S., and two from Linda C.
- There were 5 quilts today for the nursing home. They were donated by Linda C., Sharon, Jane R., and two from Sara P.
- Lisa A. received two quilts for North Carolina from Barbara and Linda C.
- Show and Tell today was Patricia, Laura McFarland's mom, Jane R., Linda C., Boni S., Myra, and Jill.
- Birthday cards were distributed.

CLOSING REMARKS

- Next month, Brunch at 10 a.m.
- Board meeting on Wednesday, November 28.
- Sara L. stated that she was not sure if her mother was going to join the guild next year and that she has moved to Richmond but is weak. It was suggested that Sara send us her mother's new address and phone number so members could help with dinners for her.
- Janet reminded members of donated fabrics on table.
- Kay was selling raffle tickets for Powhatan Christmas Mother. The tickets are for a beautiful doll house.
- Rose Patch is having a sale starting Tuesday, November 13.
- Fran, Powhatan Library, is now in charge of the library calendar. The room can be reserved 3 months in advance.

MEETING ADJOURNED.

MYSTERY TABLE RUNNER with Sharon Rhoton. Nineteen members participated.

Respectfully
Barbara Z.