DELECTABLE MOUNTAIN QUILTERS GUILD

Minutes

June 16, 2016

The meeting was called to order by President Terri Meeks at 6:40 p.m.

Members and guests were welcomed. We had three guests; Irma Wolf, Mary Dike and Gail Nelson.

Tamie Buskirk made a motion to accept the May meeting minutes as published in the newsletter. Jackie Grimaldi seconded the motion. Motion accepted by members.

**Officer Reports**

No Treasurer’s report tonight.

Vice President Donine: Viola Colombe will be our July speaker and have a workshop on July 23. The workshop will be the New York Beauty block. Cost is $35. Workshop will be at the Selbe Apts/Scott Center from 9-4. Bring your own lunch and beverages.

**Committee Reports**

Grant Program: Peggy Hoff introduced Jody from the South Routt Middle School. Jody had 35 6th graders make batik fabrics and them sew into pillows. Jody said it was a very successful program and thanked the guild for the sewing machine.

Membership: Tamie Buskirk reported that we have 46 members

Newsletter/Website: Tamie Buskirk is looking for submissions by members of recipes, pictures, ideas, hints for quilting, etc. Please email to Tamie [*tbkcolorado@yahoo.com*](mailto:tbkcolorado@yahoo.com)*.* Cheryl Compestine is working on the links and passwords. Our new website is *www.steamboat quilters.net*

Opportunity Quilt: Amy Pedersen showed the Mat and Ruler Bag made by Cathy Gero. Tickets are $1 each or 6 for $5. Raffle Quilt: Peggy Hoff asked for more blocks. Colors are light to medium blues, aqua and an occasional yellow or orange. There will be a new picture in the newsletter. She asked that blocks be turned in by January 2017 or before.

Fall Retreat: Tina Smith announced that the retreat will be in Laramie, WY Sept 23-26 at the Hampton Inn. Room reservations this year need to be made through the committee to get our tax break. Cost is $40 for members and $50 for nonmembers. Room rates will be available as soon as some items are confirmed.

**New Business**

Jackie gave a very positive report on Spring Retreat held in Glenwood Springs. She enjoyed everything – the Hotel Colorado, the sewing room and even the piano music in the lounge area in the evening. Thanks to the Spring Retreat Committee for a job well done!

**Old Business**

Jackie needs quilts for the Routt County Fair coming up in August.

**Member Announcements**

Sew Steamboat is participating in the Nation Wide “Row by Row Experience 2016”. There are at least 1250 shops participating. For more information go to [www.rowbyrowexperience2016.com](http://www.rowbyrowexperience2016.com). Shops are also designing a license plate. You may purchase one from Sew Steamboat after June 21.

**BREAK FOR REFRESHMENTS**

**PROGRAM**

Donine introduced Jackie Grimaldi and Madeleine Vail, members of DMQG. These gals presented a beautiful trunk show and gave us lots of advice from their many years of experience. Madeleine had patterns and notions for sale and reminded everyone that she has a class every Wednesday evening. Call Madeleine at 970-879-8474 for more information.

**Show & Tell**

Terri Meeks showed her “10 Year Project”. Jeanne Spring showed two of her Contemporary Projects made from a picture of the Grand Canyon. Jo Laird showed “White Buffalo” and “Butterfly Quilt”. Cathy Gero showed her quilt entitled “And the Point Is?”

**Opportunity Quilt**

The Opportunity Quilt (bag) was won by Joanne Downes.

**Adjournment**

Meeting was adjourned at 8:25 by President Terri Meeks.

Marcia Spitellie

Recording Secretary

For Ruth Ann Mewborn and Barbara Swissler