OREGON COASTAL QUILTERS GUILD EXECUTIVE MEETING

May 19, 2022

The Executive Board meeting of the Oregon Coastal Quilters Guild was held via Zoom on May 19, 2022, and was called to order by President Meralee Wilson at 10:10 a.m. A quorum was not present.

Treasurer's Report – Janet Sylvester reported that the General Operating Account is still in the minus, but there are sufficient funds in the checking account to cover it and that she is collecting money for the 2023 Retreat. After a vote, the Treasurer's Report was accepted. Janet further reported that the disbursement of \$500.00 to three museums requires the approval of the general membership. After a brief discussion, it was decided to present the disbursement request at the June general meeting. Janet further reported that there is a new form for signers on the account to request cash by check or withdrawal slip. Committee members who want cash must request a check and bring in the form. The Secretary, Barbara Kinzel, is not a signer on the account but can approve such requests.

Community Quilters – No report.

Finishing School – No report.

Block of the Month - Viki West reported that she gave away twenty-eight house blocks at the May general meeting.

Programs – Jane Szabo reported the Programs committee needs more help in setting up the room for general meetings because of the time needed to set up the Zoom portion of the meeting. Beginning with the June general meeting, everyone can set up their own sections. Jane further reported that Laurie Dickman will present "Love of Quilting Made Easy." at the June general meeting. Viki West volunteered to be the back-up photographer when the first photographer is unable to attend the meeting. Viki further reported that the Quilt Show needs more quilts as only twenty-seven have been registered to date.

Fund Raising – No report.

Publicity – Jean Amundson reported she is preparing publicity including the following articles for the Newport News-Times; an article on the Raffle Quilt, a story on the Quilt Show's featured quilter, Jane Szabo, a report on the Small Quilt Auction, and an article on the Quilt Show with emphasis on Veterans Projects. The articles will also be sent to the online news site News.lincolncounty.com.

Documentation – Jean Amundson reported that the next documentation is on June 11, 2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in Lincoln City.

2023 Raffle Quilt – Jean Amundson reported that the packets are out and are due no later than the June general meeting.

Quilt Show – No report.

Veterans Project – Rose Shaw reported that at the last Sew-In there were nine quilters, and two Veterans quilts were presented. Rose further reported that publicity about the Veterans Project appeared statewide in the State Grange.

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Paulette Stenberg inquired about voting online for Challenge Quilts. A discussion ensued. The conclusion was that pictures of the Challenge Quilts will be online, but the quilts will not be viewed in person.

A question regarding registration of quilts for the Quilt Show was raised; specifically do the quilts have to be finished; have their hanging sleeves and their two labels. Jean Amundson noted that the quilts must be finished before they are registered and, in particular, the paper label counts for the Quilt Show.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:48 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Kinzel, Secretary.