

Carolina Pine Quilters Monthly Meeting

November 13, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by President Barb Saporito.

Attendance was: 43 members and 4 guests; Lynn O'Connor, Beth (Calloway) Odishoo, Melissa Steinkuhl, Lois Walton

Door prize Winners: Margot, Lynn

Cares & Concerns: Susan Congdon is ill, Doris Leidheiser's husband is now in assisted living. Marj C. is doing well.

Announcements: Lynn O'Connor representing *Better World Studios*, spoke briefly about this new "non-profit community arts collective". She presented a survey to assess interest in classes and teaching. Contact: info@betterworldstudios.org

The monthly, 4th Thursday, Sit & Sew for November has been cancelled.

QSC- Quilters of SC, has planned the Spring Meeting for March 9, 2024 in Camden, SC.

Treasurer's Report: Starting balance; \$5412.75, ending balance; \$3317.42

Secretary: Minutes from October are on website.

Membership: Linda- We have 76 members and 3 that will join in January.

Committee Reports:

Community outreach; Connie B. has 10 new items for Life Choices/ Welcome Baby Project. Comfort Quilts are distributed to our own members.

Quilt Show Committee: Donna- Take-down is Saturday, Nov 18, 10:00, Pick-up starts at 12:00. Also this year's quilt show judge was very exacting, and commented on finishing/binding.

Program Committee will meet in December to begin planning for 2024. See Annemarie G.

Program: Placemat Challenge: 57 mats were made and donated. The \$1.00 per vote netted \$170.00 to be donated to Meals-on-Wheels. Quilt Show winners were highlighted. (Thanks to Marolyn & Paula)

Next Meeting: December 11, Christmas party & gift exchange of sewing related items, \$20.00 limit. Board members please come early to set up.

Show & Tell: Tony G. Margot, Mary N, Tiajuana, Linda Y, Rachel W

Meeting Adjourned: 8:05 pm