

TRQG BUSINESS Meeting
FEBRUARY 11, 2021

CALL TO ORDER: Sandy Drechsler, President (10:04 AM)

Good Morning to the TRQG members on FACEBOOK LIVE, the officers and members present.

Attendees: (16 total)

Sandy Drechsler	Carolyn Hanson	Geri Reid
Laura Miller	Linda Sullivan	Donna Clark
Cathy Cox	Sue Kleeman	Emily Lewandowski
Jan Penner	Lorraine Wocel	Diana Rezap
Pat Kruger	Jenny Nebe	Sue Marra
Evelyn Bernhardt		

Board:

- The Board met last week and had a very productive meeting! The Board has been part of and supportive of everything shared today.
- Remember that all Committee Chairs are part of the TRQG Board. We have a lot of creative minds leading us!
- Some of the Chairs here today have information to share; others are here for support.
- The Chairs are in the process of writing Committee “Job” descriptions to be published for the Membership. This should be a good addition to the “New Mentoring” process. We have great participation and response.

Facebook Live:

- This was our Second FB Live! Let us know you are watching!
Jenny Nebe will be monitoring for comments or questions.
- The ultimate goal is to get back to the Church for our meetings!
- We will meet at the Glen Bernie Park again as soon as the weather permits. The two meetings we had at the Park the end of 2020 had great attendance and were a lot of fun.

Newsletter:

- Sandy Drechsler received an email from Paula Gramley right after our January FB Live meeting. Paula has experience editing Newsletters. Thanks to Paula for soaring into the Editor position!
- Thanks to the Committee Chairs who participated in the first edition of our “new” Newsletter.
- **All Newsletter reports need to be sent to Paula Gramley by Saturday. (Reports are due the Saturday after the Business meeting.) This schedule will continue every month from now on.**

Committees:

- Door Monitor – Evelyn Bernhardt
(9 - 10 for Business Meeting; 9 - 9:30 other Thursdays)
If late, call someone to let you in or knock on window.
- Member Spotlight – Geri Reid NEW
Sue Marra will be featured in the February Newsletter.
- Geri has also agreed to put a “Tricks and Tools” article in the monthly Newsletter for 2021. NEW
- Karen Hallquist and Lynn Peck-Collins are switching roles for the TRQG Website and Facebook Page.
- Updated list of Chairs, Buddies and NEEDS will be in the February Newsletter. Cathy Cox has agreed to assist with the needed positions.
- Mary Quay responded during the FB Live meeting that she will Chair the Day of Sharing.
- Jan Penner – Charity Quilts (Military, Children, Nursing Home and others)
Keep making the quilts and drop off at Church. “ Love and miss you.”
- Sally Cornford – Raffle Quilt Committee was formed.
Fabrics have been purchased for a Double Wedding Ring Quilt.
- Pat Boni will Chair the Christmas Luncheon.
- Challenges are still on. See Newsletter – Jenny Nebe
- Stitch and Chat – New ideas are in the works! Emily Lewandowski, Kathy Farrar and Sandy Drechsler are facilitators of this new committee. More details will be given later. If you have more ideas, contact them.

Community Relief Fund:

If you are unable to donate in person, you can send a check directly to Jackie Harrison, Treasurer. We will continue to work on this process. We do want to be able to continue our support for families at Christmas.

Business Meeting Plan/Focus:

- Focus for March will be **more Show & Tell!**
- Focus for April will be Pros and Cons of Quilting “Systems and “Techniques”.
- Focus for May hopefully **will be A PICNIC IN THE PARK!**
- Still unsure about when we will be able to have our regular Business Meetings at the Church!
- Send other suggestions to Board Members!

The Sue Marra “TRUNK SHOW” followed. She has vibrant, hand appliqued quilts. Amazing talent! Be sure to check out her information in the Newsletter!

Secretary Report:

Laura reminded members that the Romancing Eastern NC SHOP HOP has been extended for the entire month of February. Still time to participate.

Capital Quilters Guild in Raleigh are having a Quilt Show March 19 & 20 at the Kerr Scott Building on the NC State Fair Grounds. Admission is \$10.

Please notify Sandy Drechsler right away if you want to participate in SHOW & TELL in March. Either email or call Sandy with details.

The next FACEBOOK LIVE Business Meeting will be on Thursday, March 11 at 10 AM. If you want to join us at the Church, email or call Sandy Drechsler.

Meeting adjourned: 10:32AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Laura Miller, Secretary

