

North East Ohio Regional Quilt Council

Regular General Meeting

October 7, 2017

The regular meeting of the North East Ohio Regional Quilt Council convened at 10:08 AM at Pins & Needles Class Room, Middleburg Heights OH, President Jan Hittle presiding. All elected officers were present. The meeting was hosted by the Honeybee Quilters.

President Hittle introduced members of the board who were present, and recognized Past President, Cincy Casciato.

The Minutes of the June 3, 2017, General Meeting were approved.

The Treasurer's report was filed for audit. She also reported that taxes had been filed.

Vice President, Beth Headings, called the roll. 68 members were present representing 22 guilds. She distributed our new brochure and shop hop cards.

Katie Popadak, Fabric Challenge Chairman, announced that she has the fabric for purchase. Projects will be due at the June general meeting.

Cindy Casciato presented six (6) winners of grants for the 2018 year as adopted by the Executive Committee as follows:

1. Firestone Park Community Center, summer quilt camp, \$250.
2. Calico Hearts Quilt Guild, charity quilts and pillowcases, \$250.
3. Willoughby Hills Quilt Guild, charity quilts, \$250.
4. Quilts for Kids, Michele Merin, charity quilts, \$250.
5. Tuscarawas County 4-H FCS Committee, sewing project, \$500.
6. Friends Quilt Together Guild, teen camp, \$500.

2017 winners presented brief overviews of their programs with pictures and samples:

1. Friends Quilt Together Guild Teen Camp
2. OSU Extension Service, Tuscarawas County 4H Quilt Day, Chris Kindle, Educator.
3. Ohio Star Quilters Kids Quilt

Getaway Chairman, Barb King, announced classes and registration information for the 2018 Getaway.

Sue Straub, Webmistress, presented the new website features and our members only Facebook page.

Connie Smith, Coleen Spalding, Lea Lager and Pam England won the shop hop drawing.

The meeting was recessed at 11:10 for the program. Marcia Seifert, Hostess President, introduced the speaker, Jan Brostek and her team from Pins & Needles, who talked about the history of sewing machines and new techniques available today.

At 12:15 we broke for lunch followed by show and tell, raffle baskets and quilt, and door prizes for all.

The meeting adjourned at 2:00 PM.

Marcia Seifert, Secretary