



Silver Threads Quilt Guild Newsletter

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The mission of Silver Threads Quilt Guild shall be to further interest in quilting, promote education, contribute to community charitable causes and encourage the preservation of quilts and the art of quilting.

President's Comments

Hi Quilters,

We had a wonderful turnout for our July meeting including a new member and several guests. Shelby Bonners suggestion this winter for Christmas in July to be wall hangings (one for exchange and one for the Treasure Trove) worked brilliantly, with so many beautiful works of art which added a large pile to the selection in September.

The quilt show is rapidly approaching, and I can't wait to see all of your beautiful creations.

Plan to stay after the August meeting to help embellish some of the Treasure Trove items: buttons, ribbon, ink tense pencil painting, etc. It should be lots of fun to try something new.

See you in Creede, August 21.

Beth

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GUILD MINUTES

July 10, 2018

The meeting was opened by Guild president, Beth Kendall. There were three guests present:

Bonnie Malone, Margret Morton and Diane Swartzengruber.

Sunshine and Shadow :

Sunshine—Dawn Reitz granddaughter did not have surgery for now and is doing ok.

Sunshine—Kathie Jones daughter-in-law's last tests showed no sign of cancer in her lymph nodes

Sunshine—Audrey Schwery's grandson is doing ok.

Shadow—Penny Snyder's son was having shoulder surgery that day (July 10)

Take Note...

Meeting Location

Creede Baptist Church

Date: August 21

Time: 10:00 a.m.

August Program

Treasure Trove

(See President's Comments)

August Hostesses

Dawn Reitz, Carolyn Flood

Bonnie Malone, Penny Snyder

August Birthdays

Kathy Ellison August 18

Kathy Black August 20



Called business meeting to order:

Treasurers' Reports

- a. General account—Kristin Steed-General account balance 14,636.52
- b. Quilt Show accounts—Janice Torres- Quilt Show balance—7,582.00. Raffle balance 6,493.00.

New Business:

Sign up for August 23-25, 2018 Quilt Retreat at Beaver Creek Youth Camp.

There was a sign up sheet for the retreat and 17 ladies signed up. There is room for 20 ladies so if you want to go there is still room. This is for those who spend the night. Anyone who wants to spend the day is welcome. Some signed up for meals but this can be done at our August meeting.

Old Business:

Beth still has shirts (light and dark). Pick up yours for \$25.00.

STQG dues are payable \$20.00.

Standing Committee Reports:

A. Advertising—Sheralyn Humble. Sheralyn reported she sent out eight letters to advertisers payable by August 10. We currently have seven.

B. Community Service—Vi Koch reported they are working on where to take the quilts that we have.

C. Continuing Education—Charlotte Peacock was absent but Beth reported we will work on things for treasure trove in August and concentrate on the quilt show. Other programs will be announced then.

D. Historian—Joyce Osborn. Joyce had some very nice pictures of the June meeting's show and tell. She also made a motion that we put pictures on our web site and do away with the albums. After discussion the motion was seconded, voted on and passed. You will be able to go to the STQG web site and view all the pictures. Joyce also asked to be replaced as historian as she can't do it any more.

E. Hospitality:—Tammy Hamel. Tammy was getting hostesses for the coming months. If you can be a hostess please let Tammy know.

F. Membership:—Shelby Bonner. We have 34 members and two new members. Bonnie Malone and Diane Swartzengruber joined at the meeting.

G. Newsletter :-Pat Miller. Please send anything for the newsletter no later than the 25th of the month.

H. Quilt Show:-Penny Snyder. The ticket sales for the 4th were over \$1100.90. Well done all that worked on the 4th. Woodcarvers is coming up and hope people can help out with the sales. Penny also asked for people in the committees to write their own reports and send them to Pat. Also there will be a Modern quilt category that can be any size. (a memo about this was sent out to all the membership that explains this better) A request was made by Penny to increase the budget on signage and Treasure Trove. A motion was made, seconded and passed that we give signage and Treasure Trove a combined amount of \$350.00. Sheralyn reminded all that we can meet at Pat Miller's on Wednesdays and work on things for treasure trove. There are kits that be taken by anyone. Bring your lunch and enjoy sewing. Pat lives at seven mile marker on HWY. 149 in the house with blue roof. Beth McFadden is working on the quilt angels. Donna Reitz needs help with the trees in the cafe area. If you have five gallon buckets let her know. Also we will be baking cookies for the show. Mark on your cookies if they have nuts, if they are gluten free, sugar free or any information that would be helpful. If they are BIG maybe three to a bag. If they are little maybe five to a bag.

The meeting was adjourned.

Show and tell : Dawn Reitz a little girl quilt. Mommy and me.

Bonnie Malone a flannel RV comforter.

Sheralyn Humble afternoon delight that had a lot of needle turned appliqué.

Ann Strong had two old quilts that needed to be quilted (30's and 40's) Dawn Reitz took one and Janice Torres took the other.

We then had our Christmas in July. Small quilts were exchanged and around 13 were given to the treasure trove to sell at the show. Penny Snyder then gave us a lesson on how to prepare your quilt for the show.

We then had a great lunch by Irene Garrett, Shirley Moody, Pam Rowe, and Beth Kendall. Pulled Pork and chicken sandwiches, salads and three kinds of desserts. Yum!!!

The door prize was won by Diane Singer.

Karen Ferguson, Secretary

August Quilt Show Information

This week Tricia and I have been visiting businesses in Creede selling advertising for our quilt show program. It is amazing the excitement that our business owners have in support of the show. With your help, it will live up to their expectations.

I hope all of you have submitted your entry forms with pictures of your entry. It is now time for the final preparations for the show. We will need all of you and as many spouses as possible to assist in setting up the show.

It is time to complete the final touches on your quilt/item(s). Things to remember.

- Each item should be placed in a cloth bag. A label on the bag should have the following:
 - Your name
 - Name of the quilt/item
 - Category
 - Judged or Not Judged
- The quilt/item should have your name, category, and the name of the quilt/item sewn to the back.
- If the item is to be judged, pen a piece of fabric over the label.
- Larger quilts should have a 5” sleeve. Smaller quilts including Table Runners should have a 3” sleeve. Table runner's sleeve should be placed across the width of the table runner, not the length.
 - The sleeve should be 1-2” below the top of the quilt.
 - The sleeve should go nearly the full width of the quilt. (within 1-1.5” from the side)
- Quilted bags will be hung by their handles. Pillows will NOT be hung.

Don Flood will be selling cookies again at the entrance to the show. Members are asked to make cookies to sell. Cookies will sell for \$1.00 so we ask that you package 2-3 cookies in a bag. You can bring your cookies on Thursday of set-up. These were a big hit at the last show.

Beth McFadden will be needing your assistance as a Quilt Angel. This is a great opportunity to visit with our guests about the show and the many quilts/items displayed. Please sign up to help.

We will have raffle tickets available at the next meeting for each member to pick-up to sell or purchase. We ask that each member sell or purchase a minimum of \$25 worth of raffle tickets. Kathie Jones can use your assistance at the upcoming events the raffle quilt will be displayed. If you have not signed up to sell tickets, contact Kathie Jones.

It is amazing how many things have been made to sell in the Treasure Trove. We continue to work on Treasure Trove items on Wednesday's in Pat Miller's garage. Thank you, Pat.

I have also included the quilt show week schedule so you can plan your schedule.

Looking forward to working with each of you at the “Along the Silver Thread” quilt show.

Penny

Quilt Show Week Schedule September, 2018

Monday - Sept 10	8 am – 11 am	Quilt check-in Creede Baptist Church
Tuesday - Sept 11	8 am – finished 8 am – 5 pm	Quilt judging –judge and scribes only -Creede Baptist Church Clean show venue and hang curtains- Creede Community Center
Wednesday - Sept 12	8 am – 5 pm 8 am – 5 pm	Hang quilts- Creede Community Center Clean/prepare vendor area
Thursday - Sept 13	8 am – finished 8 am – finished 3 pm	Finish show setup-Creede Community Center Vendors arrive and set-up Quilt walk through with Diane Singer-Creede Community Center
Friday – Sept 14	9 am – 5 pm	Quilt Show- Creede Community Center
Saturday – Sept 15	9 am – 5 pm	Quilt Show- Creede Community Center
Sunday – Sept 16	10 am – 2 pm 1 pm	Quilt Show- Creede Community Center Raffle Quilt Drawing- Creede Community Center
Sunday – Sept 16	2 pm – 5 pm 3 pm – 4:15 pm	Disassemble show and clean-up- Creede Community Center Quilt Pick-up- Creede Community Center

Treasure Trove News

We would love for you to join us every Wednesday at 10:00 to meet at Pat Miller's garage to make things for Treasure Trove. Bring your sewing supplies, lunch and a drink. You don't even need to bring your machine....there is handwork and you can help put kits together. Come join us. After our August meeting we will do some embellishing (sewing on buttons, adding some bling, etc.) to some of the items already made. Bring your hand sewing supplies and your help will be appreciated. Thanks in advance for all everyone is doing. We still need more small wall quilts (10x10, 12x12) as they are very popular and sell out fast.

Sheralyn and Karen

Do you have an Antique Quilt?

We will have an Antique Quilt Turning again this year! A quilt in this category should be completed prior to 1950 and should be three layers quilted together. There is no size restriction and the quilt does not need a sleeve. These quilts will not be judged. They are already special just as they are!

The quilt should be in a bag with the owner's name and "sponsor's" name if appropriate. It also needs to have an entry form (same as the form used for other quilt entries) with a photo of the quilt attached. The owner's name and the name of the quilt, if you know it, should be attached to the quilt as well. If you know the story of the quilt be sure to include that on the entry form. The more we know about the quilt the more interesting it becomes! Let me know as soon as you can if you have an entry.

QUILT SHOW COOKIES

Ladies, now is the time to bake for the quilt show cookie table before we get REALLY busy. Bake and freeze in your zip lock bags. Bags should be marked with a black marking pen as to the type of cookie, brownie, etc. PLUS whether there are nuts in the item. If you make gluten free, please add that information. Depending on the size of the cookies, place the number of cookies in the bag that you would be willing to pay \$1 for the bag. Please bring them to the community center on Thursday (September 13) before the show opens. Thank you for all the wonderful goodies you will bring!!!

Carolyn Flood

Editor's Note: The budget is on the following page. Please excuse the weird format.
Also there are two attachments.

Name: _____

I approve the budget _____ I do not approve the
budget _____

Send to Beth Kendall at bethkendall4@gmail.com or Silver Threads Quilt Guild, P.O. 1, South Fork,
CO 81154

This is the Proposed Budget for the Silver Threads Quilt Guild current year. Please review it and notify Beth Kendall bethkendall4@gmail.com 832-526-8631 (text or call) before Friday, August 17, 2018 that you either approve it or do not approve it. Thank you.

Proposed Budget

Proposed General Funds Budget: July 1, 2018 – July 31, 2019

Beginning Balance: from July 1, 2017	\$ 14,306.52	Actual Spent	
		7/1/2017-6/30/2018	
Colorado Quilt Council	\$ 25.00	\$ 12.50	
Community Service	\$ 500.00	\$ 26.00	lots of donated fabric
Continuing Education	\$ 750.00	\$ 0.00	paid from raffle acct.
Chambers of Commerce	\$ 75.00	\$ 62.50	
Historian Supplies	\$ 60.00	\$ 52.90	
Honorarium	\$ 250.00	\$ 0.00	
Hospitality – Cards	\$ 200.00	\$ 0.00	
Hostesses & Door Prizes	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 900.00	
Library Fee	\$ 25.00	\$ 0.00	if church not available
Meeting Facilities Donation	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00	
Membership Directory	\$ 400.00	\$ 0.00	
Newsletter	\$ 100.00	\$ 63.00	
P.O. Box Rental	\$ 56.00	\$ 54.00	
Professional Accountants (Wall, Smith & Bateman)	\$ 400.00	\$ 85.00	
Storage Rental & Maintenance	\$ 800.00	\$ 724.00	
Treasurer Software & stamps	\$ 200.00	\$174.50	Quicken for Treasurer
Web-site Maintenance \$30/month + \$340 website updates	\$ 700.00	\$ 558.45	
Total Proposed	\$ 6,156.00	\$ 3,312.85	
Unbudgeted	\$ 8,150.52		

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