

Minutes from last month:

RIO GRANDE VALLEY QUILT GUILD BOARD MINUTES

Secretary, Lila Helm

January 08, 2025

Present; Marsha Santow, Lila Helm, Bonnie Hall, Mike Hall, Kathe Letulle, Marty Morrison, Carmen Avila, Florea Flores, Donna Otto, Dale Shafer, Kris Driscoll, Alyssa Gonzalez, Josey McVey, Rosemary Kramer, Diana Wolf, Leslie Lorenzo, Chris Cowan, Renee Darkis and Lynn Johnson.

Treasurer - Mike Hall - he has posted the Year End Report

Our meeting was called to order by Diana Wolf at 9:31am.

Reports.

Community Service - Chris Cowan stated she \$13,000 in value turned in in December. She mentioned the two military sew days in January.

Newsletter - Chris Cowan wants items turned in promptly.

Programs - Josie McVey - Her scheduled speakers have been posted, and she is working on getting necessary information from them so Bonnie can get them posted.

Quilt Show - Renee Darkis - She is stressing that we need to sell more tickets for the Opportunity Quilt. Sales are not as good as what she had hoped. She is still in need of volunteers. Bonnie Hall said she has 163 quilts registered as of our meeting. She will be registering quilts at the general meeting on Saturday.
Beekeeper - Florea Flores visited *Green Gate*, Mission Bee, and Fiber Arts. She has an article in the newsletter.

Facebook - nothing new

Hostess - Jean Waufle - Marti Morrison wants the tables set up, so it is easier to walk.

Nominating Committee - Diana Wolf gave some information on what is needed. We need: President, Secretary, Programs/Third Vice President

Military Service - Lucy Klaas - she has found 2 volunteers to take over her position. We donated over 100 quilts in 2024. The 2 new chairs are Nancy Malmin and Rosemary Kramer. Alyssa Gonzalez has also volunteered to help with MSQ.

Mike Hall mentioned that he was really thanked that we got the wheelchair quilts to our veterans.

Publicity - Marsha Santow - Welcome Home Expo. She needs volunteers to attend the Expo and man the tables. An article will also be in the Welcome Home newspaper.

Retreats - Kathe Letulle - no change, all are full.

Scholarships - Leslie Lorenzo - She needs more information to get the college to contribute to the fund. Diana states we will have more information at the February meeting.

Schoolhouse - Dale Shafer - She has 13 people signed up for Jean Waufle's class and 11 people signed up for Joy Paugh's class. She has 3 classes lined up for the next season.

Sunshine and Shadows - Jackie Landan has been mailing out cards.

Website - Bonnie Hall - Bonnie is working on getting Square set up without the "pay" feature. We may have to pay someone to get this set up.

Secretary - Lila Helm - The report will be filed as printed.

Treasurer - Mike Hall - The file will be placed on file for audit.

Florea Flores made a comment as the Beekeeper. She is asking the members of the Bees why they don't join the guild. They are telling her that we are not a friendly bunch.

Marty Morrison made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Marsha Santow

Meeting adjourned.

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