

**Omaha Quilter's Guild General Membership Meeting  
February 11, 2014  
Westside Community Center  
Meeting Minutes**

**President Carla Toczek called the meeting to order. She thanked members for their help at the January "Sew-In."**

**Committee Reports:**

**President-Elect Linda Holman introduced her nominating committee: Jane Fiala, Becky Draper, Tammy Magill, Lynn Doyle and Bev Adams. She informed members that she is still trying to fill the following positions: president-elect, quilt show chairman, historian, librarian, quilt mom, and small group chairman. Anyone interested should contact Linda or any member of the nominating committee.**

**Cheri Vossberg announced the dates for next year's Camp Wannamakeablankie. The dates are October 17 – 19. She needs help with designing the camp block and would like a small group to help assemble the blocks into a quilt.**

**Anne Beaty and Jan Koch reported on the quilt show. The dates are June 19 – 21. The quilt registration form will be on the website later this week. Members were informed that the number they initially receive when their entry is registered is not the number that will be given to the quilt for the show. The show numbers for quilts will be announced in May. Small items are needed for the auction. The vendor application is online and available. Someone is needed to help with publicity. Someone is also needed to make the CD. It would be ideal if that person could work with Roberta this year and then take over the job next year.**

**Cindy Erickson encouraged guild members to enter their quilts in the show. The deadline for entries is April 13. She encouraged members to read the form carefully when filling out the information requested.**

**Janelle Reed reminded members about the quilt show challenge. Size is limited to 100 inches or less and the theme is feathers.**

**Mary Schnitker talked to members about the Spring Fling this weekend. She reminded participants to check the instructions for the exchange. Mary also announced that a new chairman would be needed next year since she and Mary O'Toole will be stepping down.**

**Jeanette Podwinski presented the blocks from the block exchange to the February winner. She encouraged members to make the March block.**

**Judy Sellers introduced Ellen Lessman. Judy announced that Ellen would be the March speaker. Ellen will also be teaching a beginning quilting class for your domestic machine.**

**Visitors were welcomed.**

**Tammy Magill and her committee presented a number of door prizes. She reminded winners to send a thank you note to the donor. Tammy also informed members that the Omaha Visitor's Bureau was contacted by Ricky Timms. The Visitor's Bureau was told that the Omaha Guild had been asked and had agreed to help.**

**Show and Tell quilts were presented.**

**Judy announced the speaker for the evening. Kandi Gallup, a local quilter and designer entertained the members with her beautiful quilts and the stories that accompany them.**

**Respectfully submitted by,  
Carol Nish**