**September 26, 2017 Rohan Quilters Business/Breakfast Meeting**

**President**, Beth, called the meeting to order and new members and current members introduced themselves. Beth announced that the current Guild membership has reached 1,151 members.

Nominations are now being taken for Guild Officers. See the QGOTV.0rg for details.

**Treasurer’s Report**: $1521.00 in Rohan Treasury

**Secretary’s Report**: Refer to online minutes.

**Membership Report:** Kelly shared that we currently have 35 members. We are currently accepting new members and our limit is 40. We may want to increase that number due to the average number of members participating. Consideration include snowbirds that are here part of the year and summertime finds members on vacations. Therefore Membership is only limited by the amount of space needed for members to quilt.

**Vice President and Chapter chairperson for the Guild Program Committee**: Lynn reports there will be a Quilt Week, March 1, 2018 at Daytona. Fee is $35 and the deadline for sign-up is January 20, 2018. See flyer posted on Board and Guild website.

On February 20th, 2018 Rohan Quilters will host a Quilt as you Go class with Marie Anderson. Fee is $20 for supplies and $10 per member, since Rohan is paying the other $10 per person for the class. See our communication board for details.

The Guild is offering a class by Jan Sassman called Suns & Moons. See web site for more information.

**Old Business**:

Market Place January 19, 20, 2018: Tickets are $5 per person per day. This is a large Fund Raiser for the Guild and is held every other year.

Sign up for our responsibility of security at exit doors the 2 days of the event. Still need individuals to sign up for the evening hours on Friday 6-8pm. Talk with Bonnie Davis if you are interested.

Showcase 2019: We have been asked to have 2 members chair this event. Linda McElmurry volunteered and Bunny will be her back-up. They will share the responsibility of going to the meetings.

School Supplies: Guild is asking that members donate school supplies for schools in Wildwood and Fruitland Park. Check the Guild website for list of needed items. When donating, please include an itemized list.

Creative Quilters Market, October 7, from 8:30 – 12:30 at Savannah Center: We decided not to participate as a Chapter but tables are available at $10 each for individuals wishing to participate and sell their own things.

**Committees**:

**Hospitality**: Mary reported that we are expanding the responsibilities of Hospitality and will need more members to help out. See Mary if you can lend a hand.

**Charity**: Marge reported that we currently have 12 twin bed quilts for Hands of Mercy Everywhere. We need 6 more to reach our goal of 18. We have 6 crib (goal met) and 2 toddler, need 1 more. We are making quilts for all the residents to be received at Christmas. We also have 2 table runners with a Christmas theme and 4 Christmas placemats.

We currently have 17 pillow cases for Ryan’s Cases

**Programs**: September 19th Alice Smith did an excellent trunk show of her applique work and did multiple technique demonstrations.

Dates set for activities are as follows:

**October 17**: Kelly will host at her home a luncheon, tour of her sewing studio, pool time and other fun activities. Hospitality will organize the luncheon. More information to follow.

**November 21**: Lori will demonstrate a placemat technique. You can make them for yourself or you can participate with the Guild charity to provide holiday placemats for Veterans.

**December 19:** Holiday Party which Hospitality will be chairing.

**January 16**: (TBD) Suggestions are Quilters Bingo and invite our sister chapter or kick off a Block of the Month.

**February 20**: Quilt As You Sew with Marie Anderson.

Quilters Palate is hosting applique classes for $20 plus $10 for the kit

**New Business**:

Lynn, VP and guild programs, suggested that we change our Business Meeting to the 1st Tuesday of the month instead of the 4th Tuesday. Discussion followed about the benefits of having up to date information about programs as well as the potential options to sign up soon before classes close. A move was made to vote on this change. The membership voted to move the business meeting to the 1st Tuesday of the month and the 4th Tuesday will now be used to work on charity projects and open sew.

Our sister chapter, Patchwork Garden has invited our chapter to attend their trunk show and ice cream social on October 23 at 6:30pm. It will be held at Lake Miona.

There were numerous Show and Tell of our projects.

Respectfully submitted,

Marge Barnett, for Bonnie Davis, secretary