

St. Croix International Quilt Guild

Business meeting June 21, 2017

Meeting called to order by President Sue McIver at 6:01 PM.

Wanda Pollock presented each of the hospices, one in Canada and one in the US, with 13 quilts each.

Welcome back to snowbirds. For roll call: Would you rather sew by yourself or with someone else?

There were 34 people present.

Jane read the minutes of the May meeting which were approved as read.

We shared a thank you from the daughter of a woman in St. Stephen who was given a quilt when she was at the Charlotte County Hospital. The woman was delighted with the quilt.

Mary Ann gave the Treasurers report showing a balance of \$3,112.57.

Joline covered Saturday workshops. Jude Clark covered Wednesday workshops. See the website for more information.

Joline will have new registration sheets at the July meeting.

Lynda sent a report to Patchwork Press.

Mary Ann, head of special events, asked for volunteers to do the 2017 Christmas party.

Downeast Picnic is June 23 in Jacksonville.

Mary Louise has 23 people signed up for the Block of the Month. If you want to join, speak to Mary Louise about what pattern you want to do.

Jane did two one-minute tips. Use a well-lighted piece of white paper behind your needle when you thread it. Keep a roll of blue painters tape in your sewing room. Turn it back on itself so the whole outside of the roll is sticky. Roll the roll over your cutting mat to clean it, or over your quilt to pick up loose threads. Also use the tape to hold things down while you work on them.

Mary Louise showed some ways to use charm packs, like disappearing 4-patches and disappearing 9 patches, ideas she got by Googling things to do with charm packs.

Carmel won the fabric draw.

Sixteen people showed their work at Show and Tell.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane M. Eaton