St. Croix International Quilt Guild Business Meeting September 18, 2013

President Sue McIver called the meeting at 6:00 PM. Roll call: say your name and what would be the first thing people would see when they came into your house that would tell your guest you are a quilter. Thirty-two people were in attendance.

On motion by Liz Trouant and second by Mary Ann O'Brien the minutes of the August meetings, read by Jane Eaton, were approved.

Two thank-you notes read.

Balance reported by Pat Wyeth: 864.53

\$327.00 taken in at the auction.

Quilt retreat with Sue McIver at Seaview Campground in Eastport on Saturday. One opening—see Sue.

Thanks to Sue Dible and Joanne Spencer for refreshments.

Saturday Workshops by Mary Louise Peters see Addendum Wednesday workshops by Liz Trouant see Addendum

Membership reported by Joline: 64 people have renewed membership

Publicity by Linda Duplissea: there should be an article in the paper about the studio tour Old Business: Tonight is a bottle drive to raise money for the quilt racks.

Area 5 meeting: "Spooling Around" Oct 25 at Calais Methodist Church on Main Street in Calais. Conversation fis 5 to 6. Potluck dinner at 6. Trunk Show at 7 PM followed by show and tell. Our guild has challenged other chapters to bring anti-ouch pouches. Prize for the chapter with the most. See website for block swap. Bring place setting, food item to share for dinner, \$3.00 to pay for hall and a new spool of thread. Optional: Show and Tell and anti-ouch pouch and block for swapping.

The day after the Area 5 meeting there will be a day of sewing at the Woodland Baptist church.

October business meeting program with Mary Louise on

Quilt racks are being advertised in Patchwork Press. If not sold in two weeks, racks will be donated for the lumber. The totes of white sheets have been donated to a food pantry.

Betsy Dorr will be here next month with Quintessentials items to sell.

Wanda moved and Bev Reed seconded to give \$100 to the Christmas party committee.

Bonnie Hunter presented Block of the Month, Hummingbird.

Sue McIver presented the 2-minute tip: Use a swimming noodle and wriap your pressed blocks around the noodle and pin them

Leona Juranty presented a program showing her collection of miniature sewing machines.

Liz Trouant won the fabric draw.

Show and Tell 16 presenters

Respectfully submitted,

Jane M. Eaton

Addendum:

Saturday workshops

Oct 5 Learning Curve ruler with Sue Call Quiltessentials to order a ruler

Nov 2 Joanne Spencer will teach a Christmas tree hanging of cutout snowflakes.

Dec Christmas party

Jan Hospice quilt

Feb Valentine Party

March Patchability

April PMS Saturday Pizza, Music and sewing (catch up on unfinished projects) and

May maybe more machine quilting with Betsy Dorr

July Nancy Meriman

Wednesday workshops

Oct 2 Tie handbag

Nov 6 Mug rugs with Liz Trouant Save dots from selvage edges for this.

Dec and Jan no Wednesday workshops

Feb Scrappy shamrock hanging

March Quilt tote

April Sue McIver apron

May Beach bag with vinyl mesh screening

June Peek a View with Teresa Wright

July Celtic Knot with Lynda Coffey