

MVAQN MINUTES Nov. 18, 2023

1:30 pm Epiphany Lutheran Church

PRESENT; Ann Diller, Ronnie Doyal, Jennifer Greenup, Linda Morgan, Chris Zurbuchen and Deb Bentley

Ronnie led a short meeting:

SECRETARY REPORT: Minutes of October's meeting should be on the website. Contact Ann for any corrections.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Chris reported that we have \$1083.92 in our checking account.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: Linda researched what we would need to apply for a show at the Springfield Museum of Art. We will need the following: Artist Biographies, Resume for the group, and an inventory of 10-15 images of possible quilts. She will try to ascertain what the museum is interested in...possibly local/diversity? We would need a proposal of how we want a show to look (size) and a theme. She will get a sheet ready for February's meeting for us to discuss. She thought that this would be a 4 year plan, with the first year coming up with a theme, the second year coming up with a set of proposed pieces of art to photograph and submit. Then wait!

Start by thinking about a theme, as continuity is important. There was a motion moved, seconded and passed to have Linda start persuing this. She will bring it up again at February's meeting.

SHOW AND TELL: Linda started with her upcycling yo-yo ideas. She presented a large quilt all decorated with colorful yo-yo's, and showed a quilt she is working on that utilizes many small yo-yo's on a portrait quilt. Linda gave out a handout with yo-yo ideas and a website for ideas at: www.pinterest.com/pin/2316539745

Also see <https://shinheechin.com/human-family/> and www.pacificfabrics.com/module/class/221031/bremerton-quilting-with-decorative-threads-and-3-d-yo-yos-1-day.

Ann brought a quilt that she is framing inside a Faux-Float frame as shown in Quilting Arts Summer 2022. This was the insect quilt that she had submitted to Quilting Arts Magazine Reader challenge and was not accepted so it is now going under glass!

Ronnie showed her quilt that has been traveling with Amy Nelson's "Stretching Art and Tradition".

Deb showed a hand-stitched journal cover that she had made using a previously printed "collaborative play" cloth. She got the idea from belonging to Textileart.org.

Chris Z.'s American Gothic "revisited" quilt was featured in a Yellow Springs Newsletter. Chris reminded us about all the cool things to buy at the YSAC Holiday Jumble through Dec. 31 (Thursday-Sunday afternoons).

PROGRAM: We then had "Collaborative Play". Everyone brought cloth and we either printed our own or printed on others using a variety of materials...paints, markers, stamps, embroidery floss and the like to make unique pieces of art!

No meeting in December. We will meet in January at Sue's house for pot-luck and "Expressions with Pens".

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Diller, Secretary