

Meeting Date: April 12, 2017

Location: Fancy Tiger Crafts

Facilitator: Shelby Skumanich

Number Present: 38 people present including 9 first-time visitors

- **Programming Committee**
 - May: Shelby will review tips on how best to photograph finished quilts. We will also discuss details around photographing quilts for the Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum's "How New is Modern?" show. Prior to the May meeting, Shelby will send a survey to gather feedback on dates and locations for the photo shoot.
 - June: Lauren Lang will review the purpose of artist statements and provide tips to help guild members create their own. All members with quilts in the fall show must create an artist statement.
 - July: Social meeting with a review of the bylaws. We will also discuss the show catalog and any details that need to be decided as well as promotion plans for the show itself.
 - August: The meeting will be held at Fancy Tiger Crafts; no program has been scheduled to date.
 - September: Quilt Throwback. It's always interesting to see how one's taste and styles change over time. To see how we have all grown as quilters, we will conduct a unique "Then and Now" show-and-tell. All members will be asked to bring a quilt created early in their quilting journey as well as a recent quilt and we'll see how far we've come.
 - October: Certified quilt judge Pam Walsh will present. We also will review any details leading up to the quilt show opening and begin identifying board members for 2018.
 - November: Nominations for 2018 board members.
 - December: Party time at Fancy Tiger Crafts!
 - January 2018: A lecture and workshop with our very own Stephanie Ruyle.

- **General Business**
 - Following a guild vote, Julie Elliott will serve as guild secretary for the remainder of the year.
 - Following a guild vote, we will move forward with the creation of a catalog in conjunction with the "How New is Modern?" quilt show scheduled later this year. Shelby shared the moving introduction she has written for the catalog.
 - The 2016 charity quilt will be auctioned at the Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum. Proceeds will help offset the cost of the catalog.
 - The 2017 charity quilt will be given to the Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum for their fundraising efforts.
 - The April board meeting will be held via conference call from 7:00 to 8:00 pm on Wednesday, April 18. All guild members are welcome to participate. See the guild website for call-in instructions.
 - Going forward, odd month meetings will be held at the Broomfield Community Center, 280 Spader Way, Broomfield, CO, 80020.
 - The May business meeting will be held from 7:00 to 9:00 pm at the Broomfield Community Center.

- **Guild Outings** Two guild outings have been scheduled:
 - Two separate fabric parties will be held at the Ink Lodge Screen Printing Studio. Screen prints will be created from art provided by each participant. Each person can then print up to eight different fabric items. Cost will be approx. \$30 to 35/ person. Two dates have been identified: May 6 and June 10; up to 10 people can participate in each event. An email will be sent with additional details.
 - Costume shop tour at the CU Shakespeare Festival. While details are still being ironed out, please hold Saturday, August 5, as a potential date. In addition to the costume shop tour, participants will attend Taming of the Shrew at 8:00 pm.

- **Announcements**
 - The Boulder Modern Quilt Guild will host a workshop from 9:00 to 4:00, on July 23rd with Latifah Saafir. Latifah will lead her Design a Quilt with Bias Tape workshop; cost is \$65. Contact Cynthia at bouldermqg@comcast.net if you're interested in attending.
 - The Front Range Modern Quilt Guild will host an outdoor quilt show on Saturday, June 17, at Limbach Park in Monument.

- **Show & Tell**

25 quilts were shown; all will be displayed at the fall show. For those still working on their quilt, the final due date is April 29.

Minutes submitted by: Julie Elliott
April 18, 2017

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