

**Weaver's Guild of Greater Kansas City  
Business Meeting and Program, May 11, 2023**

Lynette Beebe called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM

**New Members and guests:**

Teddy Wiberg  
Susan Wade  
Karen Munger

**Treasurer's Report** – Kate Webb

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| Net Operating Fund   | \$12,680 |
| Scholarship Fund     | 2,222    |
| Gross Operating Fund | \$14,902 |

**Programs** - Lynette Beebe for Sylvia Crawford

Today's program will be presented by Lolly Buxton who will introduce us to Temari balls.

June: Janet Meddings will show us how to make a copper pipe tapestry loom.

July: Kate Webb will present Swedish rag rug weaving. Kate had received a scholarship from the Guild to take this workshop at Convergence in Knoxville, TN.

August - presentation on the Knoxville Convergence.

**Newsletter** - Ellen Kardell

Ellen needs to step down from doing the newsletter. Are there any volunteers?

Jacqueline Jacobson will manage the Guild's Instagram account.

**Workshops** - Erin Taylor

Susan Conover will present a supplementary warp "squid" towel workshop on August 12-13 at the Westwood City Hall. Cost: \$225

**Scholarship** - no report

**Directory** - Kirsten Kakolewski

no report on directory but Kirsten stated that Convergence 2024 needs a volunteer for logistics. This position would necessitate being at site for seven days but planning can be done remotely.

**Web** - Janet Meddings

Activity has been down this past month.

**Felting Study Group** - Leslie Helms is looking for someone to teach a felting class at the Inter Urban Art House. Compensation will be given.

**Mentoring** - Send your information to Lynette Beebe if you are interested in teaching individuals for a fee.

**Creative Hand** - Sandy Cahill has applications. August 31 is the early bird deadline with the final registration day being October 13.

**KAWS** - Cindy Lessenden

KAWS is June 9-11 in Lawrence, KS. Classes still have open seats. Susan Hoisington, who combines photography and weaving, is the Conference speaker.

The VP position is up for election.

**Community Outreach** - ScrapsKC is seeking volunteers to help teach teachers how to weave.

**Guild's 70th Anniversary** -

Our anniversary is next year. A committee has been formed and will be meeting virtually soon. It has been proposed that we do something at Convergence.

**Convergence 2024** - Sandy Cahill

Convergence 2024 will be held in Wichita, KS July 10-17, 2024.

Volunteers and people interested in planning are needed.

Sandy Cahill needs volunteers to pack 700-1000 goody bags.

It was suggested that those interested in attending should make their housing reservations as soon as registration opens.

**Hospitality** - Treats were brought today by Lynn Pias, Becky Gaskill, Kirsten Kakolewski, and Barbara Cordill.

Those bringing treats in June are Debbie Tindell, Debbie Buddish and Sandi Grayson.

**Project Linus**

Don't forget to make a quilt/blanket to donate and let the Guild know when you have made a donation.

**Baby Shower for Cynthia Smith**

The shower is scheduled for after the August meeting when the new baby can attend.