

Weaver's Guild of Greater Kansas City Business Meeting July 13, 2023

The meeting was held at Westwood City Hall

Lynette Beebe called the meeting to order at 10:00

Guests: Beth Scudder, Susan Christifano, and Denise Dugan.

Treasurer's Report - Kate Webb

Operating Cash	\$13,390.51
Scholarship Fund	\$1,782.78
Gross Operating Fund	\$15,173.29

Programs - Sylvia Crawford

August - Presentation on Convergence 2022 by those who attended.

Guild Challenge - This year's October challenge is in honor of this being the year of the rabbit.

Holiday Gift Exchange - Seeing Red Household item.

Newsletter -

We are still in need of someone to take over the newsletter.

If you do not want a photo of your show and tell items in the newsletter, tell Ellen Kardell.

Workshops - Erin Taylor

August 12-13 is a mini square towel with supplemental warp workshop. July 21st is the very last day to register for the class. There are still a few openings.

Library - Debbie Buddish

Janet Meddings suggested we purchase *Silk for the Vikings* for the library. The book costs \$50 and can be purchased from the Woolery.

Debbie said she is also purchasing a Temari book.

Felting Study Group - Barrie Mason

The next meeting is July 27th at Barrie's house. The group usually meets the last Thursday of the month at various members' houses.

Sewing Study Group - Jacqueline Jacobson

Having paused during the pandemic, the group is trying to reboot. A new time and place to meet are being sought.

Knitting Study Group - Kristen Kakolewski

The group has had one meeting. A second meeting has not been decided upon yet.

Creative Hand - Sandy Cahill

Creative Hand will be held November 17-18 at Old Shawnee Town. Forty-five artists participated last year.

Kathryn Worley asked that anyone who might be storing any Creative Hand items contact her.

KAWS - Cindy Lessenden

The 2024 conference will be sponsored by the Fiber Guild and will be held in the spring of 2024. A venue and date are being sought.

Instagram - Jacqueline Jacobson provided an instructional handout and presented a lesson on posting to Instagram. Jacqueline will be posting a couple of times each week. Let her know if you do not want photos of your show and tell items posted.

Guild 70th Anniversary - Janet Meddings and Lynette Beebe

The committee has met once and will be meeting again soon via Zoom.

Objectives will be defined.

Several sites have been contacted for displays:

- Westwood City Hall
- Johnson County Heritage Museum
- Kansas City, MO Public Art Administrator
- Lenexa City Hall
- Olathe Arts Alliance

The committee is seeking a photographer and graphic designer to create a journal featuring members' works.

A weaving pattern book is also being considered.

Lolly Braxton suggested a cookbook of member recipes.

Midwest Weavers Conference

Sylvia Crawford mentioned that the tape measures provided by us were not included in the attendees goody bag. Lynette Beebe said that she was aware of this situation.

The tape measures were received by the Association but misplaced.

Scraps KC

Lynette Beebe and Kirsten Kakolewski taught weaving to teachers at a Scraps KC workshop.