

WVQ Meeting Minutes

October 19, 2022, 10 am

- Meeting was opened at 10am by President Peggy Gelbrich.
- There were 8 visitors and 5 new members.
- MarketPlace- serving lunch then MarketPlace will open for shopping in the classrooms & gym.

- Committee Reports
 - Food Bank:
 - Normally there are 40-50 families with needs but the Food Bank is anticipating 120 families in need for the Holiday season.
 - Wineries have provided turkeys in the past. Families don't want to take the time to cook a big meal. The Food Bank wants to hand out chickens, along with donations of canned/boxed side dishes. They are accepting monetary donations to purchase chickens. Anyone can donate at the Food Bank website.
 - January-October the clothes closet has made \$20,000 for the food bank.
 - Programs/Workshops:
 - November 11: Christina Cameli workshop *"Machine Quilting at Home"*.
 - November 11: Quilt Show Committee meeting 1PM at DFBC. The committee is looking at locations for a fall 2023 Quilt Show.
 - Raffle Quilts tickets are available.
 - November 16: Arlene Sachitano: *"Quilt Mystery Series Books"*
 - December 21: Apron Exchange.
 - January 2023: Member Tips, Tricks & Techniques.

- **Today's Program** : "Preparing your quilt for the quilter – even if it is you" ... presented by the Longarm Circle- Cec Zander, Sue Capell, Elisa Corcoran, Suzie Hockett, Beryl Anderson and Jeanette Gorthy.
 - A few tips:
 - Sharp needle, good tension, pressing fabric, cutting tools, rotary cutter, cutting matt.
 - Stay consistent with scant seam, pin pin, pin, press not iron, square blocks.
 - Square quilt before taking to quilter, embellish after quilting,
 - Use quality fabric for backing, leave 4" all around for quilter.

- **Stash Table Winners:**
 - Sandy Anderson, Leslie Woods, Barbara Wyse, Rachel Stephens and Collette Page.

Meeting adjourned at 12:10 PM

Next meeting November 16, 2022 ... 10 AM

Respectively Submitted October 23, 2022

Lauri Nichols

Secretary