

**QUILTERS IN THE VALLEY  
MINUTES  
DECEMBER 14, 2017**

Meeting opened by President Ruth Miller at 6:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church in Ellensburg, Washington.

**GUESTS/NEW MEMBERS:** Guest was Laura Busby, 509-925-1943, from Olmstead State Park. She is looking for old looking quilts to put on the beds (one twin & one full) as they do not want rodents to get to the antique quilts. Laura also suggested the idea of a quilt show at the park and/or a tour for our group at a later date.

**SHOW AND TELL:** Christmas and other quilts were shown.

**LUCKY BLOCKS:** Lynda Hainer won the lucky blocks

**MINUTES:** J. B. McCrary moved and Elaine Joyner seconded a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Everyone agreed.

**TREASURER:** \$100 was received in dues. Balance is \$6,345.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**Charity Quilts:** One baby quilt was donated to WICK.

**Other Charity:** Jar was available tonight for back pack program. Lori Kutch would like to see our guild join Quilts of Valor for \$25. The cost for each guild member who would like to participate is \$5. We will discuss this further in January.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**Stack & Whack Class:** J.B. McCrary and Cindy Arp-Teasley will be team teaching the stack and whack class on a Saturday, February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Hal Holmes. Cost will be between \$40 and \$50.

**Wool Appliqué' Class/Trunk Show:** Kathy Cardiff has been contracted for a trunk show for us on June 14, 2018 at the Red Barn. She will do a class for us on Friday, June 15, 2018 also at the Red Barn. Joanne Ferry will be providing housing for Kathy at her cabin.

**Open Sew Days:** Starting on January 25, 2018 at the First Presbyterian Church in Ellensburg we will have open sew days on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of every month. Building will be open from 3 p.m. until 8 p.m. Bring a brown bag meal for January if you wish to eat.

**Good of the Order:** Lynda Hainer will be opening Purple Door at its new location on 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue next door to Ellensburg Floral mid January.

**Program:** Ruth Miller entertained us with a Christmas Story where we passed fat quarters around. Also, she created a fill in the blank quilt block puzzle that none of us were very good at, but we learned some quilt block names and won prizes. Thanks Ruth!

**Next Meeting:** January 11, 2018, 6:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Ellensburg.  
Meeting adjourned by President Ruth Miller and we visited and ate snacks.

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Cindy Arp-Teasley.