

## Minutes – February 22, 2015

### Front Range Modern Quilt Guild

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**Attendees:** 27 including 4 first-time visitors and 3 junior members

#### **Welcome Junior Members!**

- Gavin, Lania and Zoey joined our guild this month.
- One junior membership is allowed with each paid adult membership. An additional \$10 is requested for each additional junior member.

#### **Programs (Melissa)**

- Melissa reminded the group of the Carolyn Friedlander lecture and workshop March 13 and 14 at the Saddlebrook Club House. The cost of the lecture is \$15 for members; \$20 for non-members. The workshop fee is \$55 for members; \$65 for non-members. Workshop attendees must purchase Carolyn's book *Savor Each Stitch*.

#### **Colorado Challenge Quilts (Melissa)**

- The quilts will hang at the Fort Collins library beginning Sunday, March 1.

#### **Retreats (Abby and Angela)**

- The guild is not planning a fall retreat this year.

#### **Open Discussion**

- Jane R. reminded the group that judges are needed for the Douglas County Quilt Show scheduled for this summer. They anticipate 80 – 100 quilts.  
**Action:** If you are an experienced judge and would like to participate, please let Jane know.
- We celebrated the guild's fourth birthday at the February meeting. Thanks to Megan and Melissa for putting together such fun gift bags and goodies.
- Today's monthly topic for discussion was a book review. Unfortunately we ran out of time for discussion but the books were available for people to peruse after the meeting.

#### **Mini Quilt Swap**

- 10 members participated in the swap featuring creatures, critters and/or mythical beasts.

#### **March Meeting**

- The next guild meeting is scheduled from 10:00 to noon on Saturday, March 21, at the Hub. Open sew to follow until 5:00 pm.
- Our own Laurie Matthews, dresdenlane.com, will give a trunk show and share some of her beautiful quilts. You won't want to miss this one!
- Guild member Sherry donated an Accu-cut Machine to the guild. If you're interested in cutting pieces for a Flowering Snowball quilt, please bring your fabric to the March meeting. The machine and die will be available for your use.

Submitted March 13, 2015 by Julie Elliott.