

WGB Board 11/19/14
Beth Guertin's house

Dean Susan Targove brought the meeting to order @ 10:15

Nancy Barry, Annual Exhibit and Sale, presented her report. See attached PDF. Additional discussion was to add an email sign up area on the WGB website to those who want to be informed via email prior to the sale. Consider a notebook of participating show members which includes a bio/resume. Publicize stronger in the Weston center stores and restaurants. Discussion of "lost/stolen merchandise" that the guild split the selling price with the member who made the item. For items in the exhibit (they are not offered for sale at the sale) which a guest wants to purchase must be arranged with the artist for sale after the event privately. The item must remain for the entire event.

Education: Afternoon speakers are all set thru November, and 80% next year. Morning workshops are in the works with many ideas. The special workshop in March has 15 people. The speaker will stay at Beth Guertin's house. Policies relating to education discussed were: Mileage reimbursement- should be calculated on Mapquest. Meals: Lunch \$10, this should be clarified on the contract with the speaker- we either supply the lunch or reimburse their lunch up to \$10. No 'free workshop' for the chair- its part of their position responsibility. Every other year two workshops vs one. Another idea : up the salary for the workshop and not pay for mileage.

Meeting: New member's kit will include the new WGB totes. Other changes that went into effect this year: Show and Tell, eliminating most reports, Raffle, Bulletin Board, Host/Greeter, New member kits, new member nametags, Weavers Helping Weavers all seem to be working out well .

Cafe Press. Each member gets a free grocery bag tote with the WGB logo printed on it. You may also buy them for \$2 a piece. If you go to their website: www.cafepress.com/weaversguildofboston you can purchase over 70 items which can be printed with the WGB logo, and 20% goes to the guild.

A list of the classes offered are on the NEWS website. Enrollment for classes begins on February 15, 2015, and can be done online.

Plymouth letter of permission for updating the knitting monograph has been finalized and a copy was given to the recording secretary to keep with the files.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:30

Respectfully submitted,
Mara Taylor
Recording Secretary