

## **Minutes of the ANG Monthly Meeting February 28, 2005**

The chapter watched a movie on Brazilian Embroidery.

The meeting was called to order at 11:06am. by Pat Giaraffa.

**Minutes:** The minutes are posted on line. Linda Elkow made a motion to accept the minutes as written. Barbara Jones seconded. Motion passed.

**Treasurer:** Betty Rosenberger reported a balance of \$5,102.14 as of January 31, 2005.

**Membership:** Linda Elkow reported that we have 77 members at the current time and one new member. Linda also stated that she is looking for stitch samples for her stitch collage that she is creating. She has already received two pieces.

**Newsletter:** Janine Webb reported the newsletter will go out this week.

**Philanthropy and Public Relations:** One of the children's canvases is complete. Peggy is looking into a place to frame it and a place to donate it.

**Ways and Means:** Kay Schmitt was not there but wanted to thank everyone again for their support of the Borders fundraiser.

**Programs:** Linda Lesh reported that we will be playing Needlepoint Jeopardy in March. We will also be offering a class taught by Marnie Ritter on May 14-15<sup>th</sup> from 9-4 each day. The piece called Needlepoint Surprise #1 is a 9 x 14 flap for a pillow. The price will be \$60.00 for members and \$75.00 for nonmembers. The class size will be a maximum of 24 people. The signup deadline is April 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Sunshine/Historian/Social:** The Spring Luncheon and auction will be June 4<sup>th</sup> at a location yet to be determined. Please consider donating items for the auction.

**Webmaster:** Lisa Balbes would like anyone interested in working on the website to let her know.

**Old Business:** There was no business to report.

**New Business:** There is no new business to report. Linda Elkow reported that there is Embroidery as Art exhibit at UMSL, not too large but nice.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:23am.

Respectfully submitted by Brenda Ramsdell.