

**Minutes of the Gateway Chapter ANG Monthly Meeting
Thursday November 17, 2011**

The morning meeting was called to order by Donna Beaman at 10:07 AM with 12 members. The evening meeting was called to order by Donna Beaman at 6:58 with 8 members...

SECRETARY'S REPORT: **AM:** Anne Freeman moved to approve the minutes from our last meeting. Regina Mohan seconded the motion and it passed. The minutes are on our chapter web site for review by all members and should be posted a week after the meeting.

WORKSHOP: Angela Jones reviewed the spring workshop with Meredith Willet. On Thursday evening April 19, 2012, she will teach us from her book "Knots, Fur and Turkey Work". On Friday April 20 and Sunday April 22, 2012 she will be doing enhancement classes at the Needlepoint Clubhouse. On Saturday April, 21, 2012, Meredith will teach her Tantalizing Tassel project at Winghaven Country Club. There will be several color choices for the project. The price of the workshop has not been determined.

WEBMASTER: Janice is continuing to clean up the website...

SOCIAL COMMITTEE: The Winter Luncheon is Saturday January 14, 2012 from 11:30 am – 2:30 pm at Jimmy's on the Park. Please send in your RSVP to Peggy with your choice of lunch and a. check for \$20.00. The form was in the recent newsletter.

HISTORIAN: The photo album is up to date. The album looks very nice. Anyone who takes pictures at activities, please send them to her...

PHILANTHROPY: No Report

TREASURER: Carol Bosche reported that the balance as of October 31, 2011 is \$7, 897.12.

NEWSLETTER: No Report. Janice Marsh suggested we look at the newsletter on the website, Gatewayang.org. The pictures are in color.

MEMBERSHIP: Debbie reported that we have 73 members. . Gateway Chapter pins are available for \$5.00.

FUNDRAISING: No Report. Regina Mohan still has a small tote bag for \$25.00 and some accessory bags for \$27.00.

PUBLIC RELATIONS: The display at the Main Library went well. Another display will be at the Main Library in the spring. Let Regina know if you have any ideas for the theme. .

PROGRAMS: Angela explained our Show and Tell to any new members. The canvases or finished projects shown were very nice. We are continuing our Perfume Bottle project.

OLD BUSINESS: No Old Business

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NEW BUSINESS: Donna Beaman reported that our chapter was asked to participate in a pilot class. A pilot class helps a teacher solve any problems with the stitch guide of a canvas, with her teaching techniques or any hint that would help with the canvas. The canvas called "Ben's Kites" will be offered at the ANG Seminar next year in Philadelphia. Susan Hoekstra, a national teacher will be the instructor. The cost of the class is \$70.00 and her transportation is \$75.00. Donna will be contacting Susan to verify a date, between July 15 – 20, 2012, the minimum and maximum number of people for the class and any more information about the canvas. There was a positive response from the members to do the pilot class.

MOTIONS: **AM:** Regina Mohan moved to adjourn the meeting at 10:25 and Angela Jones seconded the motion. **PM:** Carol Bosche moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:20 and Donna Beaman seconded the motion.

Respectfully submitted by Nancy Feldman