

Minutes of the ANG Monthly Meeting September 15, 2005 and September 25, 2005

The membership voted for the following awards at the Drag'n Brag :

September 15th meeting:

Best Holiday: Christina Stineman – Standup Santa

Best 3D: Sally Ross – Pattie Mann Turtle

Size Matters: Donna Beaman – Ornaments

Member's Favorite: Mary Carol Kluesner – Peacocks

Creative Finishing: Peggy Nedeau – Birth Announcement

September 26th meeting:

Best Holiday: Janine Webb – Stitchers Brew

Best 3D: Brenda Ramsdell – Christmas Candles

Size Matters: Pat Giarraffa – The Princess & the Pea

Member's Favorite: Linda Elkow – Brown Color Layering

Creative Finishing: Brenda Ramsdell – Queen Bee Purse

The meeting was called to order at 10:40am by Denise Beusen.

Minutes: The minutes are posted on line on the chapter web site. Donna Beaman made a motion at the 9/15 meeting to accept the minutes as written. Mickey Knutson seconded. Motion passed.

Treasurer: Betty Rosenberger reported a balance of \$4,086.94 as of August 31, 2005.

Membership: Linda Elkow reported that we have 65 members at the current time and four new members. New rosters are being passed out; those not picked up at the Sept and Oct meetings will be mailed to members. Instead of distributing hard copies of Chapter Bylaws and Policies to members, they have been made available on the Chapter web site. Members were reminded to wear their nametags at meetings.

Newsletter: Janine Webb reported that we will be mailing the newsletter to all members and are also posting it on the website. The board will decide on whether or not we will continue mailing the newsletter or if we will offer again for people to receive the newsletter electronically.

Philanthropy and Public Relations: Peggy has received the framed Little People canvas and will be delivering it to the Ronald McDonald house.

Ways and Means: The December fundraising will be gift wrapping at Border's in Brentwood again this year. The dates are Dec. 18th from 9-6 and Dec. 19th from 9-2. A sign up sheet will be distributed at the Oct. meeting.

Programs: The 2005-2006 chapter tri-fold flyer was distributed and the next year's programs were reviewed. Members were reminded of the upcoming workshop on Nov 5 with Dawn Donnelly, and the Not-At-Seminar Retreat on October 1.

Sunshine/Historian/Social: Anne Freeman reported that cards were sent to Jane Cornue, Ellen Cooley, and Nancy Hanon. A special thanks to Ellen Cooley for serving as chairman during the last year.

Webmaster: Janice Marsh has assumed the position of webmaster. A special thanks to Lisa Bables for handling the website for the past year. The pictures from the Drag'n Brag will be posted on the website.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Anne Freeman made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 11:00am; seconded by Linda Elkow. Respectfully submitted by Brenda Ramsdell.