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Saturday, December 10, 2022.

We had a great meeting this past Saturday with quite a few people participating.

At the start Audrey wished us all a Merry Christmas.

When we met the last time, there was a suggestion about transferring the meeting to Zoom for two months, namely January and February of 2023. Aline was unable to attend this meeting, hence we couldn't ask her if she would be available to conduct them from her house using her video equipment. Should she agree to do this again, we would have to provide her with projects at least a couple of weeks before.

Kris Kerfont organized the Special Occasion Card swap for 2023.

In regards to the Christmas Cards we make for nursing homes, Kris mentioned that it would be a good idea for next year to have

'Christmas in July' on the agenda. And perhaps another Christmas card production in October if we felt that it was needed. We might get some inspiration and who knows how many cards we could have done early and not have to scramble at the last minute.

Diana Wiggins lost her husband. We extend our heartfelt sympathy.

She is sending the following note:

To The Grand Stampers:

Thank you, lovely ladies, for sending me your beautiful hand-crafted sympathy cards after my husband Don passed away. Your support and words of comfort mean so much; they go a long way in helping me carry on after such a huge loss. You are truly "Grand Stampers" in more ways than one!
Sincerely, Diana Wiggins

Dede had door prizes which were donated by Caralyn Martin, Jutta Picard and Aline Chan. Thanks so much, ladies. And the lucky winners were: Pat Freeman, Claire Price, Kris Kerfont, Elaine Smith, Etta Cryer, Susan Sholer, Pat Ottaway-Bryan. CONGRATS to you all. Next month Ellen Anscombe will have a donation for the door prize, something from 31.



Pat Ottaway-Bryan made lovely snowflakes for everyone.
Thank You, Pat.





Kris Kerfont showed me a lovely stitched card she made using one of Lois Nixon's patterns. Beautiful !

Dede and Elvira had prepared kits to create these gorgeous Christmas Cards. Thanks you two.



Here are Claire Price's and Betty Tapp's versions.

We finally got around to our Casual Stamping for winter cards. People generously brought stamp sets, embossing folders, dies etc. for sharing.

There was a separate table with cookies and other goodies to be enjoyed after all this hard work.

The gift of love, of joy, of peace...May all these and more be yours this Christmas.



