

Twilight Quilters Guild of Norfolk County

Newsletter



Meeting: September 11, 2017, 7:00 p.m.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Ahhhhh!!! September..... The air is getting fresher, the fruit and vegetables are at their peak, and we're starting a new quilting year. Life is good.

In talking to a few of you over the summer....the question was ...what do we like best about coming to guild?

Every response was the same..... to have FUN.....see a lot of FABUOUS quilts....and become FRIENDS with those who have the same passion as we do.

So....that's the plan. The program committee and executive have been meeting and working hard over the summer, all with the goal of making sure that, you just can't wait to get to the next guild meeting.

This month, you'll also get a sneak peek at the quilts made by guild members for the Norfolk Remembers Committee to honour Norfolk's contribution to WW1. The committee has a public launch planned in November. I'd certainly call them FABULOUS.

So...as the song says...."We'll see you in September".

Diane Luke

President 2017 -2019



HOSPITALITY –Heather Dew

The following members signed to provide refreshments:

Terry Anderson	Janice French
Terry Sonnenberg	Ethel Cox
Jan Mullet	Monica Thompson

SUNSHINE – Terry Anderson

Please contact Terry if you hear of an occasion or event when a member needs a reminder of our care and concern for each other. We rely on your information to reach out to our quilting friends.

MEMBERSHIP – Jan Grincevicius

REMINDER – If you have not renewed your membership for 2017-2018, please make sure you see Jan with your fee at the September meeting.

Welcome

Be sure to notify us if you change any of your published information, eg. name, address, phone number, e-mail, etc.

**PROGRAM – Stephanie Sinden
& Mary Lou Luke**

The program committee welcomes you back with a full lineup of speakers for the coming year. Recognizing that our members have a great mix of interests, experience and abilities, our lineup for the year has a little of everything. New speakers, old favourites, modern and traditional. Thank you Jan G and Mary M and Diane L for helping Mary Lou and me.

September is a busy meeting with our new executive taking over their positions. And lots of show and tell! Program will be updating you on the Accuquilt Go! Electric cutter at the Simcoe branch of the NCPL. We will have some examples of projects we have made with this great tool. Come and find out how you can get started! We will have handouts with tips on using this efficient cutter.

We will have a special show and tell for our Black and White with a pop of Colour Challenge. This challenge started with a black and white fat quarter swap last September. You can participate in this challenge even if you didn't participate in the swap. Just bring something you made with black and white fabric. No judging or prizes, just inspiration!

Our first Sit and Sew at Old Windham Church will be the Saturday after our meeting, September 16. Come for a day of sewing (there is an elevator for our heavy sewing machines!) or drop by for an hour or 2. Please sign up at the meeting. It is only \$5.

Several people want to learn how to make zippered pouches. I will repeat the workshop that I taught at the NCQG Santa's workshop last November at our September Sit and Sew. You



will learn how to work with zippers (it is not scary!) and you can make up to 4 pouches with one fat quarter sandwich. This will be an additional \$5 for the handouts. Please let me know if you are interested



Our July Natural Dyeing Workshop with Julie Sinden el Kerri was fun. And we have great colours of hand-dyed material. Will anyone have a project made using them? More show and tell!

See you on the 11th!

WINNERS' CIRCLE

50/50 winners were: Mary McKenzie and Gertrude Nicks

Fat Quarter donated by Quilt Junction was won by Edith Innes. Gift certificate from Cherished pieces won by Loreen Clark and Diane Baker.

Congratulations to all and thanks to our donors!



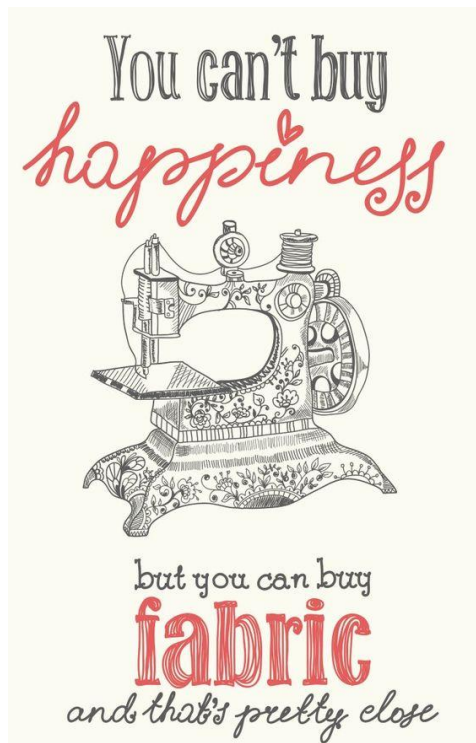
COMING EVENTS

Canada, Strong and Quilting! Quilt Show —
Halton Hills Quilters' Guild —October 13,
10am – 5pm, October 14, 10am – 4pm —
\$7.00 — Croatian Franciscan Centre, 9118
Winston Churchill Blvd., Norval

Waterloo County Quilters' Exhibit —
October 13-14, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. —
Over 300 beautiful quilts on display.
Vendors, small quilt draw, charity raffle
quilt, members' boutique, door prizes, tea
room. Accessible. — Forbes Family Hall at
RIM Park, 2001 University Ave E, Waterloo
— \$8 admission — wcquiltersguild.on.ca

NEWSLETTER – Patti Moore

The next issue of the newsletter will be sent to members one week prior to the meeting and all reports should be emailed to me no later than October , 2017. Thanks.

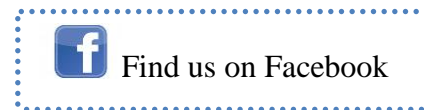


LIBRARY — Diane Crothers

If you have a book request, please let Diane know.

CHECKLIST

- ✓ Donation of refreshments if your name is listed
- ✓ Toonies for 50/50 and fat quarters draws
- ✓ Nametag (or pay 25¢ for a paper one)
- ✓ Your own coffee/tea mug
- ✓ Show and Tell items
- ✓ Library books
- ✓ Workshop fees



Check us out at twilightquiltguild.ca

- To see upcoming area quilt shows – just click on the Home Page link.
- Looking for a Longarm Quilter? – see those advertising on our website by clicking on the button on the Home Page.
- Want a better look at quilts from the last meeting? Want a better look at quilts from the last meeting or to see what's coming up at guild? Check out the home page Facebook scroll, or go to our Facebook page...and like us!
- Can't remember your user name and password for the Members Section? Email Patti Moore.
- Be sure to look under the Program tab to see what's coming up!
- Want to see if the library has a particular book. Go to the Members Only section to find the list.

Incident Weather Days

If our meeting is cancelled, the information will be posted on the Guild's website (look at the Facebook entries), an email will be sent to members, and an announcement will be made on the Simcoe radio station.

MEETING DATES

2017

September 11
October 16
November 13
December 11

2018

January 8
February 12
March 12
April 9
May 14
June 11