SUNSHINE COAST QUILTERS GUILD



Next MEETING April 29, 2017: Holy Parish Hall, 5700 Nickerson Drive, West Sechelt

April, 2017

Special Points of Interest

Next meeting: April 29, 2017

Doors open: 8:45 am No Mini workshops scheduled for April meeting

Business Meeting: 11:00 am Show & Tell Coffee/Snack Break,

Program:

Expert Panel & Merchant Mall

Executive meeting

follows 15 minutes after the program ends and all members are welcome to attend.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

April! Where have the months gone?

This just means we need to get "in gear" and get our UFO's completed, register our quilt for the quilt Show (finish it too), and do all those chores to keep us healthy and happy.

I'm glad to see our committees on task; I know they are all working hard to make our guild function well. Please think about joining one of the committees... it is one of the best ways to meet great people as well as finding your inner talents.

Remember to submit your 'Canada 150' blocks and quilts this month for CQA's 'Big Quilt Bee'.

Everyone is invited to our year-end windup on June 24th. We will do lunch (small charge), do games, have prizes, display quilts and eat chocolate.

Hope to see you all next Resource Day, April 29.

Lynda White

I CAN'T GET OUT OF THE SEWING ROOM THE FABRIC HAS ACCEPTED ME AS ONE OF THEIR OWN AND IF I LEAVE NOW I MIGHT LOSE THEIR TRUST

Hostess Schedule*

April 29th, 2017: Gone to Pieces
May 27th, 2017: Pender Harbor Piecemakers
September 30th, 2017: 1/2 Moon Crazies
October 28, 2017: Fat Quarters
November 25, 2017: Cotton Club
January 27th, 2018: Off The Wall
February 24th, 2018: Gone to Pieces
March 31, 2018: Pender Harbor Piecemakers

*When Satellite group is hosting; all members of the group are welcome to stay (no charge) and enjoy and participate in the days activities. Next NEWSLETTER
Deadline:

May 4, 2017

Things to Remember for meeting:

**Coffee/tea cup –

*** Name Tag

**Donation to hostess group for snack

Fat Quarter Draw: monochromatic blues in tints (white added)

This Month's Hostess Group: Gone to Pieces

Sunshine Coast Quilters' Guild 2016-2017 Board Membership

Position	Name	Position	Name
President	Lynda White	Vice President	Karen Biddlecombe
Past President—Sunshine	Judi Wilson	Treasurer	Helene Johnston
Secretary	Moira Sarling	Website Admin	Sheila Macdonald
Block of the Month	Sue Lowell, Helen Bailey	Quilt Show Chair	Jeannette Lucas
Comfort Quilts	Bernice Johnson, Liz Lacey, Maria Lodzinski, Andrea Kusebauch, Jeannette Thompson, Noriko Kawaguchi, Elizabeth Byrne	Quilt Show Committee	TOO MANY TO TYPE OUT! AWESOME VOLUNTEERS HAVE STEPPED FORWARD AND ARE INVOLVED
Membership & Merchandise	Pauline Weber, Linda Gant Gail Junnila	Publicity	Liz Lacey
Program Committee / Mini Workshops	Rojean Trent, Betti McGillivray, Jill Bellisimo, Marion Williamson, Sue Towers	Library	Maria Lodzinski, Liz Lacey, Sandra LeHeup & Kathleen Bezaire
Newsletter Editor/FB Assistant	Karen Biddlecombe Val Marus	Retreat Committee	NEEDS TO BE FILLED
Bus Trip Chair	NEEDS TO BE FILLED	Youth Outreach	NEEDS TO BE FILLED

Satellite Group Rep contact information:

Pender Harbour Piecemakers: Meet at Madeira Park: Lee Ewing 604-883-2620 <u>lewing@dccnet.com</u>

½ Moon Crazies: Meets at Greencourt, Sechelt. 2nd Sun. 9—5 Carol Bowie 604 885-4127 guiltscrapqueen@dccnet.com

Off the Wall: Meets at Frank West Hall—Gibsons 2nd (10-1) &4th (10-3) Thursdays Joanne Polan 604-837-7754 joannepolan@gmail.com

Loose Threads: Meets at a members home in Sechelt area—taking turns to host. Second Thursday Sonja Randell 604 885-7722 sonja2287@telus.net

Fat Quarters: Meet at Fibre Expressions Third Sundays 11 - 3 Nancy Climie 604-885-6745 nclimie@telus.net

Gone To Pieces:

Meets at Frank West Hall Gibsons. Second Sat of the month Marg Kurys 604-747-2999 mail4margi@dccnet.com

Cotton Club:

Meets at Frank West Hall Gibsons 3rd Sat of the month Linda Gant 604-886-7639 lgant@telus.net

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Please contact : Val Marus: valmarus1@gmail.com

Next Newsletter Deadline

May 4, 2017

for Meeting: May 27, 2017



S.C.Q.G. RESOURCE DAY MINUTES: March 25, 2017

Call to Order

President Lynda White called the meeting to order at 11:00 am. Lynda thanked Off The Wall for hosting.

General Meeting

It was MOVED and SECONDED that the minutes of the meeting held February 25, 2017 be approved as distributed in the Newsletter.

CARRIED

Treasurer's Report: was made available

Old Business

Sharon Roye advised that the Bus Trip to the Boundary Bay Show on May 6^{th} is sold out.

Newsletter

Karen reported that the deadline is April 7, 2017.

Nominating Committee

Judi Wilson announced that a Vice President is still needed as well as someone for Program and Publicity. She announced that Sharon Roye will take on Bus Trips.

Lynda asked for a show of hands to find out whether there would be a Pot Luck Lunch or a Catered Lunch on June 24th. More Members wished to have a catered lunch

It was decided that winning quilts from the show should be hung.

Membership:

Pauline Weber reported that there was 79 members, including 2 visitors, in attendance. Door Prizes were purchased from Fibre Expressions and were won by: Carol Dunsford, Val Marus and Sue Lowell.

Comfort Society:

Andrea Wilson reported that 10 Baby quilts were turned in. Andrea thanked Val Marus for repairing the baby quilt for the parents.

Jean Whitehead and Karen Biddlecombe were thanked for making the Poppy Quilt for the Gibsons Legion and they were invited for dinner on March 31st.

Block of the Month:

Sue Lowell reported that all kits were sold and Betti McGillvary won the previous months blocks.

Program Report:

Thanks to Cindy Buis from the Frame Shop for the mini workshops today.

Today is the Big Chair Sale of the year.

Assistance in setting up tables and reorganizing chairs is appreciated. Chairs are \$2 each.

Register at the program table.

Free table—if the items you brought are taken by the end of the sale please take them back with you.

April program will be expert panel and merchant mall. Come with your questions. Third Whisper Challenge due today—Final reveal at May Resource Day.

UFO—as at Feb resource day Carol's Team had 5018.74 and Lynda's Team 5795.20.

Final payments for Elaine Quehl workshops. Design workshop is Wed & Thurs July 5&6 and Radial Piecing workshop is Fri July 7. Spaces are available.

Program Questionnaire—Be Heard! Complete your feedback for Sept./17-May/18 planning. Fat Quarter draw—monochromatic blues in tones (grey added) - Winner is Mona McKinnon. April Fat Quarter will be monochromatic blues in tints (white added)

Looking for additional Program Committee members—without additional members the Program contents may have to be reduced.

Ouilt Show:

Members were reminded to pick up Raffle Tickets.

All forms will be on the Website this month. Registrations can be dropped off at Sew Easy, Fibre Expressions and Carolas.

Sign-up sheets for Volunteers are at the side table.

Show and Tell: There was a great Show and Tell.

Adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Program:

A Chair Garage Sale was held. Lots of great deals were to be had.

S.C.Q.G. BOARD MINUTES: March 25, 2017

Present:

Lynda White, Gail Junilla, Karen Biddlecombe, Judi Wilson, Nancy Clime, Sheila MacDonald, Andrea Wilson.

Ada Yeo, Carol Bowie, Marg Kurys

Call to Order

Lynda White called the meeting to order at approx. 1:00 pm.

There was a discussion regarding changing the time of the Executive meeting, however it was decided that this would not be workable.

The issue of Program making money on classes, this issue was tabled to a later date.

Lynda announced that she wished to have the Executive organize the June meeting. Andrea and Carol will obtain food costs.

Lynda reported that she has a few games in mind but wanted more ideas from the Executive.

Policy review documents will be emailed to the Executive.

There was discussion regarding reducing Mini Workshops to one each meeting.

Rep Reports:

Halfmoon Bay Crazies doing a project with the

SELF HEALING CUTTING MATS: TIP: MOISTURIZE:

Did you know your cutting mat needs moisture and this will make cutting easier and your rotary cutting blades won't dull as quickly? To moisturize your mat now and again place it in a bath of **cool** water with approx. 1/4 cup of white vinegar to every gallon of water. Let it soak for about 20 minutes. Using a soft mushroom scrubbing brush and a splash of gentle liquid soap you can clean the surface at the same time. Rinse and air or towel dry (no heat or direct sunlight!). If your mat smells this should really help.

Submitted by Lois Anderson

Ruby Slipper Group in memory of Fran Neville. Fat Quarters are having a sale April 8th at the Davis Bay Hall from 9:30 to noon.

Gone to Pieces are looking after the Silent Auction at the Quilt Show.

Meeting adjourned at 1:45 pm

I do not run from my problems.

I get out my rotary cutter and start cutting a new quilt (no matter how many unfinished quilts I already have).

Just like any responsible adult.



NEXT MEETING APRIL 29, SUNSHINE COAST QUILTERS GUILD PAGE 5

PROGRAM: APRIL 2017

Program Committee:

Fat Quarter Draw for April is Monochromatic blues in tints. (white added). So pastel blues.

There are no mini workshops for April.

April Program will be an experts panel of local merchants. They will be setting up shop in the am. So bring some extra cash for purchases! After the business meeting they will be available to answer your questions. The merchants booked at this time are:

Wool Penny Rugs

Lisa's Framing and Art Supplies

Woodpecker Studios

A Threaded Needle

Sewers are all like,
"My Stash
is getting low"

The fourth and final Whisper Challenge is due. We had planned to display all the quilts in May. I would like to display them at the April meeting and register them all for the quilt show. So please bring your Whisper Challenge to the April meeting. Thank You!

Final payment for Elaine Quehl class is due. We still have room in both classes. I have opened the classes now to non-members. Please visit her website for more information. We are offering In Full Bloom, 2 day class or Liberated Radial Piecing, 1 day class. 100\$ per day. July 5,6&7, 2017. Seaside Centre. 9 to 5.

Remember to finish up those UFOs and win points for your team!

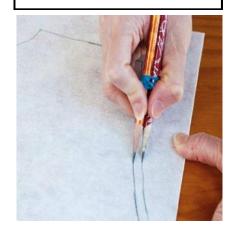


"Oh, THIS fabric stash..."

See ya April 29th!

Rojean Trent ktrent@telus.net
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Betti McGilvery
betti_mcg@hotmail.com
Marion Williamson
marianwilliamson@hotmail.com
Sue Towers

Tape 2 pencils side by side to create seam allowance Vary the seam allowance by the thickness of the pencils by



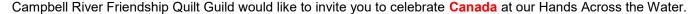
Monochromatic colors are all the colors (tints, tones, and shades) of a single hue.

Monochromatic color schemes are derived from a single base hue, and extended using its shades, tones and tints (that is, a hue modified by the addition of black, gray (black + white) and white.



Campbell River Friendship Quilters Guild

Hands Across the Water 2017



When: September 30th 2017 10 am – 3:30 pm

Where: Fraternal Order of Eagles Hall 1999 14 Ave, Campbell River. Park at the front of the building, the

hall is around the back. Not a huge parking lot so carpool if possible.

Cost: \$18.00 includes lunch, a truck show by Dapne Greig, merchants and some great take homes!

How: We invite you to wear red and white. Our guild members are making Fascinators to wear and we would love to see lots of other people wearing them too!

Please register by the 15th of June. We will open registration to anyone not a member of the five hosting guilds after the 15th of June.

Your registration should include your name and guild affiliation and a cheque made payable to CRFQG. If you require a gluten-free sandwich please indicate this on your registration. Send your registrations to:

Sandy Widen 252 River City Lane Campbell River BC V9W 8H2

Please find attached the pattern for the block exchange and the challenge quilt specifications.

Island Sewing has very generously donated a Pfaff Creative 1.5 sewing and embroidery machine. We will be only offering \$5.00 raffle tickets for the machine to our guests at this event. The raffle will be drawn that day. All proceeds from the raffle will go towards CRFQG's Community Projects Fund.

If you have questions about this event please email Lois Kelly at dandlkelly@shaw.ca or Nancy Johnstone at nancyjo@telus.net

Canada 150 Quilt Challenge

The theme of the challenge is Celebrate Canada 150. We are hoping to get lots of entries this year and hope you have fun depicting an aspect of Canada that you enjoy! The challenge is for quilted wall hangings.

Your quilt must:

Include a maple leaf in either the design or the quilting. It could be a Canadian Flag.

Measure less than 150 inches around the perimeter (all sides added together). Examples of largest measurements are a 37.5 inch x 37.5 inch square or a 30 inch x 45 inch rectangle or other shape adding up to less than that.

Contain at least two of these features – ocean, mountain, lake, tree, prairie, river, or beach.

Please do an information sheet with the quilt name, your name, phone number and Guild name. Include acknowledgements (e.g., designer if not an original)

Judging will be by viewer's choice.

The quilts will be displayed at Hands Across the Water on September 30, 2017 in Campbell River.

Have fun!

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TIMELY INSTRUCTIONS FOR 'D' SLEEVE CONSTRUCTION

MAKING A HANGING SLEEVE(S) FOR YOUR QUILTS

Fabric for a hanging sleeve can be the same as the back of the quilt, muslin, or other compatible fabric. If the sleeve is to be placed permanently, wash and test for colourfastness.

These instructions will produce a "D" shape sleeve, when looking at the either end end, with the straight part of the "D" stitched onto the quilt back. The rounded part of the "D" accommodates the dowel without putting strain on the sleeve or distorting the quilt you wish to hang.

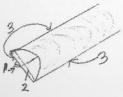
Method:

- 1. Using a piece of fabric 6 (8)" wide and the length of the quilt, minus 1" will accommodate any dowel used. If you are hanging larger quilts make two sleeves with a couple of inches between them in the middle so they can be supported at both ends and in the middle.
- 2. Press under 3/8" of fabric on each end of the sleeve. Stitch.
- 3. Fold each long edge 1-1/4" (1-1/2") toward the middle. Press the folded edges firmly. I draw a pencil line to guide me.



Sleeve showing 3/8" ends sewn and 1-1/4" pressed

4. Open the sleeve, putting wrong sides together long ways, sew a ¼" seam the full length. Press the seam to set the stitches. Be careful not to remove the pressed folds.



- 1. Raw edges of 1/4" seam outside sleeve
- 2. 3/8" ends inside sleeve
- 3. Folds and ends to be sewn to quilt.

Pin the hanging sleeve to the top of the quilt, keeping it level across. . Make sure the rounded part of the "D" doesn't extend beyond the top of the quilt when you flatten the "D" upwards. If it does, adjust it downward until it is level with the top of the quilt. Hand stitch all sides along the folded edges, with the seam facing the quilt back.

Getting Ready for our Quilt Show: JUNE 17-18, 2017

Plans are coming together for our 2017 Show! You will be hearing from me at Resource Day on April 29th. What we need from you are a couple of important commitments. The first is to have a quilt or 2 to enter into your show. These can be functional, decorative/ art, and/or an entry in the 2017 Challenge. The next commitment that we are looking for is to volunteer for one of the many jobs that are part of making a quilt show happen. Many of you are among the best volunteers on this coast, and we do appreciate your efforts. But I must ask again!

Some areas have been covered by Satellite Groups however, they also need volunteers to help. There will be many Sign Up opportunities at Resource Day. If you will not be there, or, if there is a particular job or time that works for you, please contact any member of the Planning Committee, and we will put your name down just where you want it to be.

Thank you for your participation in our Guild's big event. Jeannette Lucas

COMMITTEE: Jeannette Lucas, Anne Willis, Jean Whitehead, Judi Wilson, Noriko Kawaguchi, Liz Lacey, Karen Biddlecombe, Lynda White





SCQG QUILT SHOW 2017 QUILTS IN OUR COMMUNITY

General Show Registration Form

*Registration Deadline: April 29 2017

*One form per Entry/quilt completed since 2015

*Picture of your quilt is required/Digital OK. (quilt in progress is ok for photo)

•	eve or facsimile, appropriate for size of quilt for dowel hanging.
	ation Label to bottom/back of quilt in addition to your Quilt Label
	Phone
e-mail	
Title of Quilt	
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(please advise width by le	ength) MEDIUM between 101 to 199 inches around perimeter
(please advise width by le	ength) width by length) SMALL up to and including 100 inches around perimeter
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Pattern/Class (give credit)	
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Check all that apply to this	s entry:
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machine pieced _	machine appliquedmachine quilted
*Item for sale: Yes	No Price \$ (Guild retains 20% of selling price.)
	approx. 50 words or less description to appear beside your needed. We will edit if necessary.
Sunshine Coast Quilters Guild wi for any loss or damage sustained sponsible for any insurance covel	pted will be displayed for the duration of the show. I understand that the ll take all reasonable precautions to safeguard my entry, but I assume all risks during the entire show period from collection to return of entries. I am rerage on my entry. I hereby give permission for my work to be photographed and materials. I understand it may also be published on the Sunshine Coast
Signature	Date

Always new. Always inspiring.



THE CLOTH SHOP

Granville Island

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Fibre Expressions Quilt Shop

Sign up Now!

Playing with Paper Piecing! Sunday April 21st 10am-1pm

New Arrivals!

Ocean Tides – Beautiful Teal & Green Line Surf's Up – Beach Theme On the Green – Golf Theme prints Come in before they're Gone!!

Row by Row- On the Go!

Coming soon!

Start planning your Row'd Trip now!

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e: seweasy@dccnet.com

www.seweasy.ca

Unthreading the machine incorrectly

When you change a spool color, the first thing we normally do is just pull the spool off the machine and pull the thread backwards through the tension discs. Easy? Yes. Bad for your machine? Yes. Time to break the habit and cut the thread at the spool and pull it out through the needle.





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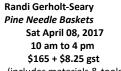
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Maderia Park, BCGallery/Studio Hours: Wed-Sunday:11am to 5pm and by appointment



Please mark the special opening dates for our exhibition season:

April 01 to 30 - Shamina Senaratne. Shamina will be the artist in residence April 25th to April 30th. The public is welcome to visit Shamina as she works on components of her art. Detailed information will be on our website closer to the date. www.fibreworksgallery.com



(includes materials & tools

Donna Goulette: Sculptured Needlefelting Sat April 15, 2017 10 am to 4 pm \$95 + \$4.80 gst (materials fee tba)



This workshop is a one-day beginner introduction to creation of pine needle baskets. You will learn the skills to create your basket centre and work up the sides to create your container. All materials and tools will be provided.

This workshop is a requirement to the two-day advanced session planned for later 2017.



This is a beginner needlefelting session – learn how to sculpt with fibres, how to create armatures, how to build animals from different shaped parts.

Fibres and needlefelting tools will be provided for all materials.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Coastal Colours & Connections—Strathcona Stitches

April 28-30/17 Campbell river, BC
Contact: stitches@strathconard.ca

Boundary Bay Quilters guild—Quilts by the Bay South Delta Rec Centre 1720—56th St, Delta May 6-7/17 (10-4) \$6.00 www.boundarybayquiltersguild.ca or Kathy Chambers 604-782-6671

Comox Valley Schoolhouse quilters Guild—Empire
Days Quilt Show—May 20-22/17 Sat &Sun 10-5 Mon 10-4
Cumberland Cultural Centre 2674 Dunsmuir Ave,
Cumberland. \$5 (under 12 free)

Fabricated: Works of the North Star Quilters Society— May 25—June 7/17 Mon-Fri 1-5 Sat-Sun 11-5 64 Deer Park Ave, Kimberley, BC Contact: medean@shaw.ca

Grouse Mountain Day Quilters' Guild:
Quilts in the Chapel—St. Martin's Anglican Church
195 Windsor Road East, N Van
June 10, 2017 9:30am to 5:00pm \$5.00

CQA: Canada's Big Quilt Bee - June 14-17, 2017 at Quilt Canada 2017 in Toronto, ON. See prior newsletter for 'Slab Block' info

Sunshine Coast Quilters Guild—"Quilts in Our Community: June 17-18/17 Sechelt Indian Band Hall 5532 Sunshine Coast Hwy (behind McDonalds) Sechelt

Fraser Valley Quilt Guild—June 23—24/17
George Preston Rec Centre 20699-42 Ave, Langley
Admission \$7.00 gentlemen free
Contact Liz Aubert 604-538-3505

Chilliwack Quilters' Guild—Oct 20-21/17 (5-8:30pm and Sat 9-4) Chilliwack Alliance Church 8700 Young Rd, Chilliwack Admission \$5 (husbands free) Contact: Lynne Thiessen 778-808-0624

Comfort Society

Raffle Ticket Sales Update:

Hello Wonderful Quilters! As of March Resource Day, we have sold almost 500 tickets. Only 2000 more to go! We are just starting so it's looking very promising for selling all of our 2500 tickets. We are looking for volunteer ticket sellers to work in 2 hour shifts for the following locations and dates:

Sechelt (Trail Bay Mall) - Wednesday, June 7 and Saturday, June 10th;

Gibsons (Sunnycrest Mall) - Thursday, May 4th and Thursday, June 1st.

Quilt Show - Saturday, June 17 and Sunday, June 18.

We really need people for the Gibsons location. Sign up sheets will be at Resource Day or email Noriko at norik.kaw@gmail.com

Reminder: Please bring in your sold ticket moola Resource Day.

The Gibsons legion thanked the members who worked on and donated the "Poppy" quilt by treating us to a wonderful dinner March 31/17. The Quilt looks amazing where it is hung and well appreciated by all who see it.

Another 11 quilts were taken to the hospital. They are certainly delighted to have the quilts to give out. I gather they all enjoy the decision making process of which one is selected for a baby. Sumac Place has some still on hand so, we will hold the new ones from Feb. and Mar. until needed.

Happy sewing from your **Committee**: Bernice Johnson, Liz Lacey, Maria Lodzinski, Andrea Kusebauch, Jeannette Thompson, Noriko Kawaguchi, Elizabeth Burns

JOY THROUGH GIVING = CREATING MEMORIES FOR OTHERS TO ENJOY!

SCQG - Quilt Show Challenge 2017

Your quilt is to be inspired by a traditional block which may reflect one of the many features of your community.

Your interpretation of the block could be a traditional format, modern, pictorial, collage or other. However, the original traditional block must be recognizable somewhere within your quilt.

Examples: Log Cabin Flower Block

Bears Paw
Flying Geese

Pine Trees Drunkard's Path Maple Leaf Arrowhead Courthouse Steps Ocean Waves Lady of the Lake Storm at Sea

- Your quilt must have three layers.
- The finished size must be 24" by 24".
- The edge of the quilt has to be finished but no specific technique is mandated/required—you choose.
- The name of your traditional block must be on your label.

Imagination recommended but not necessary – Have Fun!

Registration Form is on page 12 of this newsletter, on the guild website and at the next guild meeting.

What is a quilt challenge?

It is generally a contest designed to inspire a quilter by setting a theme. The theme consists of a start-off idea; here being a traditional block. Any questions call Lynda White

GUILD VOLUNTEERS NEEDED—2017-2018 YEAR:

I need two volunteers to help me with the Nominating Committee. List of Position to be filled for our Board Meeting in Sept/17 are:

Vice President — O/S

Programs and Mini Workshops – 2 more would be great 3 would be Better (Rojean will stay behind to help). So far we have: Sue Towers, Ellen Fullerton, and Marian Williamson.

Bus Trips: POSITION FILLED!

Publicity: O/S
Retreat: O/S

Quilt Show 2019: O/S

There is no better way to meet members. It seems always difficult to get Volunteers. Hopefully we could get some of our new members to take a position, and share their ideas. Please send an email or phone. It would be great to have these positions filled by next meeting. Then you wouldn't have to hear me get up and beg! Hugs, Judi Wilson, Past President

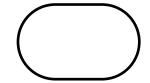
The Volunteer

Many will be shocked to find When the day of judgement nears That there's a special place in Heaven Set aside for volunteers. Furnished with big recliners Satin couches and footstools There there's no committee chairman No group leaders or car pools No eager team that needs a coach No bazaar or bake sale There will nothing to staple Not one thing to fold or mail Telephone lists will be outlawed But a finger snap will bring Cool drinks and gourmet dinners And rare treats fit for a king. You ask: 'Who'll serve this privileged few and work for all they're worth?' Why, all those who reaped the benefits And not once volunteered on earth.

Whatever worthwhile endeavor you choose, get involved, you will be glad you did.

SCQG - Quilt Show Challenge 2017

QUILTS IN OUR COMMUNITY



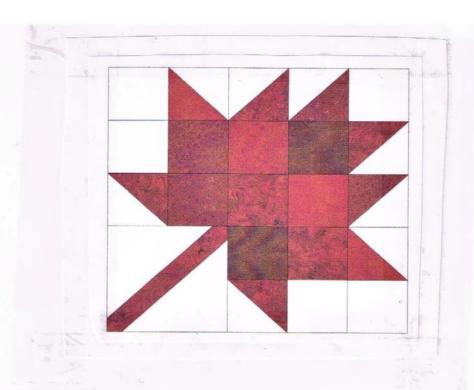
Registration Form *DEADLINE APRIL 29

Your quilt must have three layers. The finished size must be 24"x24".

Signature_____

The edge of the quilt is to be finished, technique of your choice. Quilts must have 'D' sleeves /facsimile for dowel hanging The name of your traditional block must be on your Quilt Label on back. Remember to add Registration Label to bottom, back of your quilt. A picture of your quilt is required. Digital is OK. NAME: PHONE: E-MAIL: ***ENTRY INFORMATION: One form per entry. Title of Quilt_____ Name of the traditional block_____ Top made by______Quilted By_____ Check all that apply to this entry. __ Hand Appliqued __ Hand Quilted Hand Pieced __ Machine Pieced ___ Machine Appliqued ____ Machine Quilted \$ Price (20% to Guild) Not for Sale For Sale Tell about your quilt in approx. 50 words or less. We will edit if necessary. I understand that all items accepted will be displayed for the duration of the show. I understand that the Sunshine Coast Quilters Guild will take all reasonable precautions to safeguard my entry, but I assume all risks for any loss or damage sustained during the entire show period from collection to return of entries. I am responsible for any insurance coverage on my entry. I hereby give permission for my work to be photographed for possible inclusion in promotional materials. I understand it may also be published on the Sunshine Coast Guild website.

HAW BLOCK FOR 2017



CUTTING INSTRUCTIONS

WHITE (NOT Cream or Beige, can be white on white as long as it shows as white)

Cut 5 squares 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"

Cut 4 squares 3" x 3"

Cut 1 square 4 1/2" x 4 1/2"

RED

Cut 8 squares assorted reds 2 1/2" x 2 1/2"

Cut 4 squares assorted reds 3" x 3"

Cut 1 rectangle 1 1/2" x 7"

DIRECTIONS

Draw a diagonal line on white 3" x 3" squares. Place right sides together with red 3" x 3" squares. Sew a scant $\frac{1}{2}$ " on both sides of drawn lines and cut on drawn line. Press and trim to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Turn under $\frac{1}{2}$ " on long sides of red 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 7" rectangle. Place diagonally on white 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " square. Applique by whatever method you like.

Assemble maple leaf as per diagram.

Block should measure 10 ½" x 10 ½" unfinished.

SUNSHINE COAST QUILTERS' GUILD

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Guild memberships are renewed each year starting in September, and are valid until the end of May.

Memberships cost \$40 if you choose to access the newsletter on our web site.

Additional charges imposed if you prefer to have printed copies mailed to you. We welcome guests (there is a drop-in fee) and love to have new members join us.

HISTORY

In 1982 a group of women on the Sunshine Coast got together to share their love of quilting. Pat Crucil, an accomplished quilter and teacher, established this first quilt group on the Coast.

Today the Sunshine Coast Quilters' Guild is the "umbrella" organization for seven local community quilt groups from Pender Harbour to Gibsons, with a membership of 175. The guild promotes the joy of quilting on the Coast by providing enjoyment through quilt shows, classes, demonstrations and displays. We continue to meet eight days throughout our Guild year, from September to May at the Holy Family Parish Hall in West Sechelt (5700 Nickerson Road). Our meetings consist of Mini-Workshops, Business Meetings, Show and Tell, and a Program.

S.C.Q.G. LIBRARY:

A big thank you (from the Library Crew) to our membership for supporting the book sale with their generous donations and purchases.

There was an additional \$45.00 raised!

One more sale this year and what is not sold will be donated to Thrift Stores.

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