



Next Guild Meeting/Resource Day

September 28th, 2013 at the HOLY FAMILY PARISH HALL 5700 Nickerson Rd. West Sechelt

NOTE THE TIMES:

Doors open: 8:45 am **Mini Workshop**: iPad or Tablet Use for Quilters Sue Lowell – **start 9:15 am Show & Tell Business Meeting**: 11:00 am Coffee/Snack Break, Show & Share **Program**: Quilting Your Top: Sherri Coultard

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

Next NEWSLETTER Deadline:

October 9th, 2013 for the November 2nd, 2013 Edition

Things to Remember:

- Coffee/tea cup *** Name Tag
- Donation to hostess group for snack
- Library book(s)
- > Fat Quarter Draw theme: ORAN GE

This Months' Hostess Group: Off the Wall

Hostess Schedule:

September 2013: Pender Harbour Piecemakers November 2, 2013: Gone to Pieces November 28th, 2013: ¹/₂ Moon Crazies January 2014: Fat Quarters February 2014: Cotton Club March 2014: Off the Wall

Presidents' Report – September 2013

Hello Guild Members and Friends,

September is on the way and our editor is keen to get the newsletter on track; so here are my thoughts for our 2013-14 year.

After seeing our wonderful Quilt Show in May, I know that this is a marvellously talented group of fibre artists! I am very pleased to be your president, and my goals for the next year include: stimulating meetings, continuing our community outreach through the Comfort Society, lots of new ideas in classes and mini-workshops that will allow all of us to become even better quilters. To accomplish this we all need to be involved as active members of our Sunshine Coast Quilters Guild. There are many ways to do this, and "Many hands make light work" (quote from my Mom). I encourage all who have not taken the opportunity to participate in a committee, or take a position on the executive, to consider the options available this year. It is such a great way to meet many new friends!

There are many activities coming up this fall, including our Retreat, Hands Across the Water in Comox, and Gathering of the Guilds in the Fraser Valley. There will be a lot planning in our September meeting. I look forward to your involvement.

I am writing this note to you from South-Western Newfoundland, having been to the eastern-most point of the continent. I am looking forward to returning to our lovely corner of the world. See you in September! Keep on stitching,

Jeannette Lucas

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Sunshine Coast Quilters Guild Annual General Meeting

Holy Family Catholic Church Hall, 5700 Nickerson Road Sechelt BC

In accordance with the Societies Act, I hereby give notice that an Annual General Meeting will be held September 28, 2013, at 11 am. at the above address. You will have received written notice of the financial statement 21 days prior to the meeting. The agenda is:

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Adoption of the agenda
- 3. Adoption of the minutes of the last AGM
- 4. Annual report from the President
- 5. Report from the treasure
 - Report on last year's financial statement as circulated
 - Budget presentation for 2013 2014 adoption
- 6. Installation of elected executive
- 7. Question period
- 8. Adjournment

Thank you - Lois Anderson

This will be followed by the regular Guild Meeting.





September Program Event

Notes from your Program Committee...

The kids (grandkids) have gone home, a few yellow leaves settle slowly onto the dusty path, the blackberries are rich with colour and flavour, and you know it's the BOE, the beginning of the end of summer. It's time to think again about quilting.

Your Program Committee has put their heads together to come up with an enticing fall and winter program for the Guild. We decided this year to focus on colour and design principles, applicable to all, whether you're a traditional quilter, an innovative art quilter, or someone testing the waters of "modern" quilting.

And ... we're beginning at the end!

September 28: Your quilt top is finished, now just how in the heck are you going to quilt it? Sherri Coulthard is joining us to talk about just that subject: what do you need to consider; how do you prepare the "sandwich"; what do you want the finished quilting to do for the top? We'll also continue the Fat Quarter Exchange and Septembers' colour is ORANGE.

October is busy with Hands Across the Water and another fabulous Retreat, so our usual October meeting has been shifted to November 2nd. We're delighted to be able to present Judy Villett who will guide us through an interactive exercise on "Bending the Rainbow". Dress head to toe in your favourite colour, and be prepared to play with your colour and those of your friends and fellow quilters.

November 30: We're working on a Seasonal Surprise Event! Think winter, think Christmas, be ready to mix it up in a social context.

January, 2014: A new year, a new approach as we present Lorna Shapiro. Some of you saw her at Quilt Canada in Penticton; now get up close and personal with ideas for incorporating Asian designs in your quilts. You'll also have the opportunity to get started on a new mystery quilt, led by our own Sandy Barrett.

February 2014: Are you ready for some entertainment in your quilting? Have you heard of "Joe the Quilter" Cunningham? Check him out on the internet, and be ready to join a "Rock the Block" class.

There's lots more to come, but before we reveal all, we want to check that we're in tune with what interests you. It's been five years since we "took a read" on the overall interests of Guild members, so we're asking for your input. At the September meeting, and to be included in a future newsletter, we are asking you to complete an Interests Survey. This will help us design programs to maximize your pleasure and participation in our Sunshine Coast Quilters' Guild.

S.C.Q.G. Resource Day Minutes May 25, 2013 Holy Family Church Hall, Sechelt, BC

President Lois Anderson called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m.

President's Report: Lois welcomed members and guests, and asked for a motion to accept the April minutes as printed: moved by Eileen Evans, seconded by Judi Wilson. Carried.

Lois announced that our Treasurer, Priscilla, was absent today but will have a full accounting of the Quilt Show for the September meeting.

**Reminder: The October meeting will be held on November 2nd, and we will have our regular November meeting the last Saturday of that month.

Old Business:

 We have been awarded over \$800.00 from the Sunshine Coast Arts Council with a request for a donation to their Silent Auction and Fundraising Dinner. Lois asked for a motion to send a letter stating that we will provide a quilt. Moved by Anne Cragg, seconded by Donna Thompson. Carried.

2. Quilt Show:

- Fay has had very positive feedback regarding our recent show and thanked Elizabeth for the positioning of direction signs. Over \$4,000.00 was made from raffle tickets, with approximately \$1,000.00 in workshops, \$500.00 in the judged category and over \$1,100.00 from the tea room.
- The batik basket winner, from Vancouver, was overjoyed with her windfall.
- Approximately 900 visitors attended the show. Fay won the "Viewer's Choice" prize with her fabulous bargello quilt.
 - Carla thanked everyone for their food contributions to the Tea Room.

Lois presented flowers to Fay for all her hard work and much appreciated efforts as Chair of the Quilt Show. Fay received a standing ovation from the membership.

Secretary: Merilee read correspondence from CQA, Campbell River Art Gallery, LaConner Quilt and Textile Museum, Ruby Slipper, Anne Selder and Holy Family Church.

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New Business:

- 1. Comox Valley Schoolhouse Quilters need billeting numbers by their September meeting.
- 2. Lois asked for suggestions regarding storage for our new quilt frames. The storage area must be heated, safe and long-term.
- <u>Retreat</u> Helen reminded members that the date for the fall retreat is Thursday, October 24 to Sunday, October 27. Confirmed instructors are Paul Krampitz, Vivian Kapusta and Sandy Barrett.
- 4. <u>Elections</u> Fay provided the following names for elected positions:

President – Jeannette Lucas

Vice-President – Lee Ewing

Secretary – Merilee Martell

Treasurer – Priscilla Hendriks

Program Chair – Joan Harvey

Membership - Nona Fellows, Sandra LeHeup, Kathleen Bezaire (Chair unknown at this time)

Newsletter – Linda Kummer

Web Administrator - Sheila MacDonald

And, of course, Lois Anderson, Past President

All were voted in by acclamation.

The following names were put forward for appointed Committees:

Archivist – (chair empty at this time)

Block of the Month - Debbie Scott

Bus Trips – Eve Quigley

Comfort Quilts - Carol Adams and Karen Biddlecombe

Librarian – Maria Lodzinski

Merchandise - Gail Reichert

Publicity - Val Marus and Linda Gant

Quilt Show – Lois Anderson

Retreat – Helen Bailey

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Comfort Society: Sue Lowell and Marion Williamson have agreed to join the committee. Karen reported that over \$4,000.00 was raised from the sale of raffle tickets, with the raffle quilt being won by Lucy Stewart of Sechelt with ticket #0140. To date they have received 82 charity quilts, with 42 having gone to St. Mary's Hospital, leaving 40 quilts on hand.

Block of the Month: Won by Corrinne Newman.

Membership: Sue reports 81 members and 2 guests have signed in today. Our membership total for this year was 144. Door prizes from Carola's and Cynthia Frenette, were won by: Carol Bowie, Arlene Harmon, Bernice Johnson, Beverly Vanzant and Penny Lightbourne.

Newsletter: Deadline for the next issue is August 29th. Linda is looking for her replacement, as her home is for sale with the intention of moving to Parksville.

Library: Maria reports that 2 books and 1 disc remain outstanding.

Program: Fat quarter draw winners were: Mary-Ellen Turner, Andrea Wilson, Corrinne Newman and Roberta Foxall.

Elizabeth Nordlund announced that Susan Willamett has stepped forward to start a new chapter of Appliqué Quilters. Three members have signed up to date. If anyone is interested in appliqué quilting, please contact Susan, who would like to meet on a mid-week evening. The Round Robin was a lot of fun and was very challenging and rewarding.

Judi Wilson, winner of the CQA \$1,000.00 award, gave a short talk about her winning quilt and promised to bring it to the September meeting for all members to view.

Lois thanked Off the Wall for providing today's coffee and goodies.

Show & Tell

Lunch provided by the Guild



In attendance:

S. C. Q. G. EXECUTIVE MEETING May 25, 2013 Holy Family Church Hall, Sechelt, BC

m attendance.		
Lois Anderson	Karen Biddlecombe	Gail Reichert
Merilee Martell	Jeannette Lucas	Linda Kummer
Fay Bullock	Carol Adams	Debbie Scott
Ada Yeo	Joan Harvey	

Moved by Fay Bullock, seconded by Debbie Scott that minutes of the April meeting be accepted as printed. CARRIED

Old Business: The Comfort Society has chosen the quilt we will donate to the Sunshine Coast Foundation for their silent auction and fundraising dinner. Carol Adams will contact Sandra Cunningham at the Foundation.

Carol reports that the Comfort Society has donated a quilt to KidSport for the past two years.

Lois has continued to gather information regarding the Guild Insurance Policy. This item of business will be held over until next term.

Also continuing is our search for a new space to house the Guild's quilt frames. Sue Lowell is checking a storage facility in Madeira Park.

Hands Across the Water – Jeannette reported that she would be interested in attending this yearly event in Cumberland in October.

New Business: Fay moved and Gail seconded that all monies be funnelled through the Treasurer and she will write all disbursement cheques. CARRIED

We currently have an account at Sew Easy and will set up accounts at Carola's and Fibre Expressions.

Meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

SUNSHINE COAST COMFORT SOCIETY September 2013 Newsletter

2013-2014 – Comfort Quilts: Carol Adams, Karen Biddlecombe, Sue Lowell, and Marian Williamson

Inventory of donated quilts: 72 Quilts distributed throughout 2012-2013

55 = St. Mary Hospital: 8 = Yew Transition: 1 = Kidsport: 1 = SCC Foundation: 1 = SC Victims Services

We do have some quilts on hand for St Mary's (10) however, we will need more handed in very soon so that we can continue to meet the commitment needed for calendar year 2013.

Please give a thought to what you would like to focus on for the 2013 – 2014 year. Shall we do a second year donating quilts to the babies? OR? Please see one of the committee members with your suggestions so that we can represent the majority.

The Capilano University Fibre Arts program is in jeopardy. Current information advises that it has been cancelled, therefore, once that has been confirmed we will need to find a replacement to receive the annual bursary. We will bring you more information on this when we are updated from Capilano.

We had great success last year with some members bringing fabric to the meetings for others to take home and produce a quilt for the Comfort Society – so if you have any fabric you aren't going to use, please consider the Comfort Society to donate it to. Additionally, the Comfort Society has purchased 2 rolls of batting for members to use for those quilts being made for the Comfort Society. We will continue to do this and will have some on hand at the September meeting.

The expectation is that the quilt you create is of the same quality you would make for yourself. Cotton material is the preferred fabric. All sizes of quilts are welcome including wall hangings.

"JOY THROUGH GIVING = CREATING MEMORIES FOR OTHERS TO ENJOY"

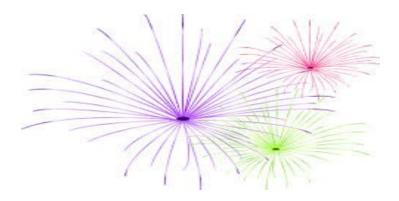
MINI WORKSHOPS – SEPTEMBER 28, RESOURCE DAY.

Mini Workshop fee is \$5.00, payable at the door.

Workshop: iPad for Quilters. Instructor: Sue Lowell

Do you have an iPad or Tablet? Learn some tips and tricks using your ipad to enhance your quilting experience. This will include: screenshots, photos, file downloading and management, saving videos and documents, how to determine fabric values, annotating documents and much more. There will be a \$1.00 charge for class materials on top of the \$5.00 workshop fee.

Cathy Collins – (Mini workshop committee)



Reminder to all our membership that due to our retreat on the last weekend in October our October Resource Day will take place on Saturday, November 2nd, 2013. The November Resource Day will take place on Saturday November 30th, 2013 MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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Mission Statement

• The purpose of the Sunshine Coast Quilters' Guild is to promote the joy of quilting to the Sunshine Coast, and to provide for the community's enjoyment, through quilt shows, classes, demonstrations and displays.

• To provide an umbrella guild for the various satellite quilting groups offering resource days which include workshops, demonstrations, education and guest speakers.

• The guild shall be a non-profit society.

• The Guild's mission is to provide members with ongoing education, opportunities to share quilting experiences and knowledge, and an opportunity to provide community service. The smaller quilting groups on the coast also provide a strong focus for the many quilters with regard to these goals. Maximizing connections between the Guild and the small groups helps share some of the energy and enthusiasm

QUILTING

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September 27/28, 2013	Legacy of Quilts VIII – Vernon Sliver Star Quilters, Vernon Recreational Centre, 3310 - 37 th Avenue, Vernon. Contact Joyce at 250-542-3251 or jevanishen@shaw.ca
October 4 – 6, 2013	Quilt & Fibre Arts Festival, La Connor Quilt & Textile Museum Contact: <u>dennyfox@laconnerqtm.com</u> or <u>www.laconnerquilts.com</u>
October 18/19, 2013 Alliance	Our Quilted Treasures – Chilliwack Quilters' Guild, Chilliwack Church, 8700 Young Road, Chilliwack
October 19, 2013	Hands Across The Water, Theme; "The Wheels Go Round and Round" hosted by the Comox Valley Schoolhouse Quilters. Contact Margaret Yells – 250-339-2227 or email: margaretyells@gmail.com., website www.schoolhousequilters.com.

	Name	Position	Name
President	Jeannette Lucas	Merchandise	Gail Reichert
Vice President	Lee Ewing	Bus Trip Chairman	Eve Quigley
Past President - Sunshine	Lois Anderson	Block of the Month	Debbie Scott
Secretary	Merilee Martell		
Treasurer	Priscilla Hendriks	Comfort Quilts	Carol Adams Karen Biddlecombe, Sue Lowell, Marian Williamson
Mini Workshop	Cathy Collins	Publicity Assistant	Val Marus
Membership	Nona Fellows, Sandra Leheup, Kathleen Bezaire	Archivist	Chair empty at this time
Program	Joan Harvey - Chair	Library	Maria Lodzinski Liz Lacey & Christine Richardson
Website Administrator Assistant	Sheila MacDonald Merrilee Baldock	Retreat Committee	Helen Bailey - Chair Jean Minch, Fay Bullock
Newsletter Editor	Linda Kummer		

Sunshine Coast Quilters' Guild 2013-2014 Board Membership

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Cotton Club: Beverly Butchart 604-886-8449 <u>babutchart@eastlink.ca</u>

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> Please contact : Val Marus: valmarus@dccnet.com

Next Newsletter Deadline October 9th,2013

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FOR SALE

Pfaff Grand Quilter 1200 comes with Cruise & Stitch Control & a Laser Pointer **plus a** Gracie Next Generation Quilter's Frame - King Size \$2100.00



Contact: Betty Tilley: castleinthecreek@hotmail.com - 604-885-5105

Does anyone have a used serger for sale that can sew terry towel?

Iva Kimberly makes items for the baby baskets that are sold in St. Mary's Gift shop.She needs a serger but does not want to spend too much to purchase it.If you have one you would like to sell please contact her at 604-740-9963.



Join the Sunshine Coast Quilters Guild for their 18th Annual Quilt Retreat At Camp Sunrise, Langdale, BC

REAP WHAT YOU SEW

Thursday, Oct. 24th to Sunday, Oct. 27th, 2013

The Quilt Retreat this year is featuring the following instructors: Paul Krampitz - The Modern Quilt ... Gees Bend Style Quilt Vivian Kapusta - Designing an Original Journal Quilt Sandy Barrett - Star Surprise - Mystery Quilt (sort of) D.Y.O.T. - Do Your Own Thing Fee: \$275.00

There are still places available in each of the classes. Come and join us for a few days of learning, quilting, fun and friendship.

For further information and/or to register contact:

Helen Bailey 13257 Deller Road, Garden Bay, BC VON 1S1 (604)883-2086 email: <u>bobhelenbailey@gmail.com</u>

Sunshine Coast Quilters Guild 18th Annual Retreat 2013 Camp Sunrise - Langdale, BC October 24 -27, 2013

SCQG members have priority until June 31, 2013. No refunds after August 31, 2013. Early registration will ensure your workshop preference.

Non-refundable registration fee is \$50.00, balance of \$225.00 to be paid by August 31, 2013.

WORKSHOPS

Paul Krampitz	The Modern Quil	t
Sandy Barrett	Star Surprise	
Vivian Kapusta	Little Gems	
- Design	ing a Journal Quilt	
Do your Own Thing		
Name:		
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Roommate Preference	:	
I prefer a pi	rivate room (limited n	umber; first come, first served)
Cabin Preference:		
Early to Bed	Early to Rise	
Later to Bed	Late Riser	
FEE: SCQG Members	\$275.00	
Please make cheques	payable to Sunshine	Coast Quilters Guild
Registration and payn	nent can be mailed to	: Helen Bailey 13257 Deller Road, Garden Bay, BC VON 1S1 (604)883-2086 e-mail: <u>bobhelenbailey@gmail.com</u>



Sunshine Coast Quilters' Guild 2013-2014 Membership Form

Name:	Phone: (604)	
Mailing Address:		
City:	Postal Code:	_
E-Mail Address:		
What other Satellite Qu	ilt Groups do you belong?	

<u>Please check if you wish (at no cost) to be a member of Sunshine Coast Quilters' Comfort</u> Society so that we, as a non-profit organization, can apply for and hold a raffle in accordance to BC law when we wish to raise funds . . .

Membership Fees: SCQG Website \$40.00 _____ or Canada Post \$50.00 _____

Members with internet access are strongly encouraged to get their newsletter @

<u>www.scquiltersguild.com</u> If you have internet access and wish to continue getting a copy in the mail we will require the additional \$10.00 to cover some of the postage plus copying costs.

Please fill out form and submit it along with your dues (cheques made payable to Sunshine Coast Quilters'Guild or SCQG) at the September Resource Day or mail directly to:

Your new membership card and receipt will be available at the regular Guild meeting or you may enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for mailing back to you.

Please indicate if you would like a current membership list, which will be available after the November Resource Day.

Membership List via e-mail _____ November Resource Day _____

Please tell us how you can help the Guild: _____

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Congratulations to Lucy Stewart the winner of the Raffle Quilt at our Sunshine Coast Quilter's Guild "Festival of Quilts and Quilting Arts May 2013"

FIBRO WORKS

Exhibition Schedule for FibreWorks Gallery:

<u>August 17 – September 29, 2013</u> "Primitive Elegance" Marilyn Foubert (<u>www.marilynfoubert.com</u>) Tribal weaving

October 05 -November 17, 2013 Elin Noble: "Vox Stellarum"

An Installation of Silk Itajime Panels (<u>www.elinnoble.com</u>)

"Meet the Artist" Reception – Saturday, October 05, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Workshop Schedule for FibreWorks Studio & Gallery:

September 06 to 08, 2013 - Weaver Summer & Winter 8-shaft with Mary Bentley

September 13 to 15, 2013 - Weaver Summer & Winter 8-shaft with Mary Bentley

(these two workshops are full and we are taking a wait list)

<u>September 25 to 28, 2013</u> - Folds (clamp resist dye workshop) with Elin Noble (<u>www.elinnoble.com</u>) (We have 4 spaces available for this workshop).

September 30 to Oct. 02, 2013 - Alternative Marbling with Elin Noble (www.elinnoble.com) (We have two spaces available for this workshop).

October 26 & 27, 2013 - Colour Play: Low Immersion Dyeing with Fibre Reactive Dyes with Jennifer Love.