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We are into November already, time sure does fly by when we are having fun. Welcome to all the new members to our guild. Next month is our Christmas Luncheon and a short meeting starting at 10. Watch for all the information in our December newsletter.

I have found a few apps to make your quilting easier. These were shared on our Facebook page, but I know many are not added to the page. This link has many apps both for apple or android phones. Lots to help make your quilting experience not just good but fantastic.

<http://quiltingdigest.com/time-saving-apps-for-quilters/?fbclid=IwAR04ih1yck8kKFjeyH-Z791nx62U-6IMZ1IP-tPuhSsnw4vNg18khX32EGM>

What needle should you use? Yes there is an app for that, It is by Schmetz Needle

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/de...> or for your Apple here

<https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/schme...>

See you November 14th. Diane

Meeting scheduled - November 14th Things to remember for the meeting:

- Debra is receiving applications for our annual retreat in February. Forms were attached to this newsletter.
- Your show and tell.
- Coffee cup
- Name Tag
- Bring a friend!

**-Reminder Early Coffee at 8:30,
meeting begins at 9am**

The Social Committee will continue to charge 25cents for coffee on regular meeting days, no charge for class days. A sign up sheet is available for those who would like to bring goodies.

***If you have signed up for November treats remember to bring them for our coffee break.



what happens
at Quilt Retreat...



7th ANNUAL WALNUT BEACH RESORT RETREAT

9:00 am Thur., February 14 to 4:00 pm Sun. February 17, 2019

4 days, 3 nights, Cost of \$330.00

Walnut Beach Resort has many amenities such as:

A large workroom with a view of the lake & mountains
King size beds plus a couch that becomes a bed,
Kitchen facilities heated outdoor pool, hot tub,
exercise room, sauna & steam room

Meals included are Friday and Saturday, Lunch and
Dinner and Sunday Brunch. Thursday meals and
breakfasts are up to each individual and we usually make
a group reservation at Campo Marina on Thursday night.

Application forms and information sheets are attached,
and some will be available at the November meeting.

There is room for 26 quilters, the first 26 forms and
payments received will be able to attend, the others will
go on a waiting list.

Plan to come and enjoy a great, fun, productive few days

Any questions? Please ask Debra

email debraquiltslots@gmail.com or phone/text 250-304-8287

2018/19 Schedule for Meetings and
class dates:

(8:30 am start times unless noted.)

Meeting Day	Workshop day
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Nov. 14	Nov. 28
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Dec. 13- Christmas luncheon	
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Jan. 9	Jan. 23
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Feb. 13	Feb. 27
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Mar. 13	Mar. 27
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Apr. 10	Apr. 24
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May 8- Windup Luncheon 10:00am	
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Your support of our Babies First program
is amazing. We look forward to seeing all
your lovely creations each meeting. I know
that those receiving the quilts will cherish
them, sometimes the only new item they
have for their babies.

44 x 54" maximum or 42 x 54"

GATHERING OF THE GUILDS – 2019

Orchard Valley Quilters Guild in Kelowna will be hosting the next Gathering of the Guilds on Saturday, April 13, 2019. For those of you who have attended these in the past you will know that they can be well attended and entertaining. It's all about sharing ideas, making new friends and renewing old acquaintances. Keynote speaker will be Judy Leslie, award winning quilt artist.

The Gathering will be held at the Capri Hotel in Kelowna on April 13, 2019 from 8 am to 5 pm. Cost is \$60.00, which includes lunch, 2 coffee breaks, a commemorative pin and a gift bag. The agenda includes some interesting speakers and a vendor's market.

If you are interested in attending, please sign up with Pati at the next meeting in November. Registration fee of \$60.00 must be handed in at that time as Kelowna wants this money in December.

Detailed information on Capri Hotel accommodation will be shared with those registering, in addition to the Challenge Block instructions. They are asking for Emoji blocks which will be used to make charity quilts for the Kelowna hospital NICU. Some cute patterns have been provided for our use and we will schedule time to work on these at the Guild.

Month	Meeting / Class	Workshop Day
Nov	Nov 14 – meeting day/Community Quilts sewing	Nov 28-Woven Fabrics with Rae Salkeld
Dec	Dec 12 – Christmas luncheon/ meeting at 10 am	
Jan	Jan 9 – meeting day/ sewing	Jan 23
Feb	Feb 13	Feb 27

Programs with Pati

We had a fabulous turnout for Debra's class Drawing for Machine Quilting - lots of fun and great ideas. Our next class coming up on November 28 will be Woven Fabric with Rae Salkeld. We still have room for a few more if you are interested. If you have not got your supply list yet, Pati will have them at the meeting on the 14th. For our After-Meeting project, our Christmas Baubles wall hanging is coming along, and we will continue with that after the meeting in November if you are not working on placemats. Some of you have completed this project already and it will be interesting to see the different variations when they start showing up at Show & Tell. No classes in December as we take a little break after our pot luck luncheon. Stay tuned for what's coming up after Christmas.

Pati



PLACEMATS for Meals on Wheels

Each year the Guild works on making placemats for the Meals on Wheels program. These are handed off in December so that each recipient on the program gets a new placemat for the year. We make them with a general theme on the front side and a Christmas fabric for the back, so they can be used year-round.

We will be working on these after the meeting on Wednesday, November 14th, however if you cannot attend, we would appreciate any placemats you might like to make at home. As simple or as complicated as you want to make it - accepted size is around 13 x 17.

Some simple samples will be available at the November meeting for those that need an idea. Supplies to bring if you are staying to help are:

4-5 fat quarters or pieces of yardage that go together

1-2 neutral lights or tone on tone

1-2 Christmas prints for backing

pieces of batting

matching thread

some of our members were interested in the batik courthouse step pattern for the placemats - this will be demo'd at the meeting and for this you will need:

2 1/2" batik strips by WOF - 3 light in one colorway

4 dark in one colorway

Pati

Community Quilts

Meals on Wheels - they will need 90 place mats. We have 30 so I feel 60 should cover it. Just remind the new members they need to have Christmas on one side and something colorful on the other.

Our members have been fantastic. Eleven finished quilts were turned in last meeting. We donated two quilts to the fire victims in Kaleden who lost everything.

Thanks Peggy.

Check out this fabulous tour on their website.



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Registration is now open for

✿ Just 10 women per tour ✿

Tours in April and May

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Stop by the library on a regular basis. New quilt magazines arrive every few months. If you are looking for a specific book and it's not on the shelves, ask our Librarian Kathy to possibly order it in for you.

A Word from our Co-President:

By the time this message is published, I'll be enjoying an extended trip to the southern hemisphere. We'll split our time between New Zealand and Australia. We return on Dec.12, our meeting day, but unfortunately too late to take part in the holiday festivities. I'm sorry to be missing all the fun and food.

Fall looks to be slowly creeping into the valley. The last few weeks have been stellar; the perfect combination of cool nights and warmer, sunny days. So enjoyable but I know the wet and windy weather is not too far in the future. By the time I return we should be well into frosty nights and perhaps snow, though hopefully not too much of that. After the summer heat of central Australia, I think I will welcome a little cool. I'm looking forward to it helping kick start me into Christmas. Have a wonderful November and December as you get all your projects finished for holiday giving and decorating. Stay healthy and take time for yourself. Have a joyous holiday season.

I'll see you in 2019,
Nonie.

This stunning sight in downtown Calgary can be viewed at The Cathedral Church of the Redeemer, Anglican Church of Canada, commemorating the 100th Anniversary of the end of the Great War (crocheted poppies picture credited to Erin Wilde)



Hope you are enjoying this incredibly lovely autumn/summer that we have been having. I think it has just about made up for all that smoke we had in August! I did quick trip over to Nelson on the weekend and the colors were spectacular! Most of the trees were still carrying their leaves. I don't want to shock you, but despite this lovely weather lulling us into complacency, Christmas is less than two months away! It always seems there are more ideas for Christmas quilting than there is time left to finish before Christmas and this year is no different. Thank you to Patty for getting us started with the Christmas tree project. I'm looking forward to finishing that one. I am also looking forward to the next project and the opportunity to practice free motion quilting on it. Speaking of free motion what a delightful class Debra put on for us last week. I learned so much! Can anyone else even begin to imagine teaching a class on the day before you move? Congratulations on the new house Debra.

I plan to register for the quilting retreat at the November meeting, will you join me? It is always such a fun time.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the November meeting.

Beth Kingzett, Co-President

Penticton Quilt Guild Meeting Minutes

2018-10-10

9:00 am Meeting opened by Co-President Beth Kingzett.

Motion to adopt minutes from Sept. 12th meeting by Syd Hughes
& seconded by Marg Jacques.

Welcome to all, with 57 ladies here today.

1 visitor today: Gail Walford

2 new members: Sue Willard, Jeanie Horton & Michael Selinske

(Therese's husband) **Beth Kingzett introduced:**

Val Fenn, Christmas Kettle Coordinator, Salvation Army Penticton

250-492-6494

email: PentictonKettleCoordinator@shaw.ca

Val spoke about their Kettle Campaign, which is the biggest fund raiser,
and their need for volunteers to do 2 shifts with the kettles.

Nov. 22 - 24 Nov. 29 - Dec. 4 no Sunday shifts

10am - 6pm 2-hour shifts

Please email Val or call the Salvation Army office, as listed above.

Sale of items from Quilt Show Boutique & member's stash ongoing at breaks.

Kudos:

Thank You card received by Babies 1st Program, from Christine.

Announcements:

Introduction of 3 Executive who were away at the Sept. meeting:

Past Presidents Helen Lawrence & Holly Stengel

Secretary Bobbi Bodden

Mentors:

Bobbi Bodden Kathy Hofmann

Bev Mattila Lorna Cruickshank

Diane Schlamp Nonie Cornell

Eileen Zornes Rae French

Helen Lawrence Sue King

Holly Stengel Syd Hughes

Ingrid Ovenden Yvonne Mottishaw

Shown & Tell, with Marilyn Smith as Vanna.

Reports:

Sherry Badger, Treasurer

-gave balance as of today.

Eileen Zornes, Membership

-68 members, with 2 new today.

Lorna Cruickshank, CQA

- Fiber Art Network, with 47 members, met in Alta.
- Trend Tex challenge is online
- CQA Member Online Challenge

Kathy Hofmann, Library

- new American Quilter magazine arrived today
- asked if any interest in machine embroidery, negative.
- request to advise any book titles of interest for library.
- Library volunteers:
Penny Lipsack Marlene Robinson Marg Jacques
- discussion on 5 magazines have now been discontinued.

Kathy Hofmann, Quilt Show

- tentative dates for our next show in 2021:
 - March 18/19 booked at TCC & later cancelled
 - April 23/24 date on hold, we are 2nd on list
 - Sept. 25/26 possible
 - Oct. 2/3 possible
 - Oct 23/24 possible

Joyce Rich, Social

- sign-up sheet for bringing goodies
- items left at hall: 2 travel mugs & 4 coffee mugs

Diane Schlamp, Newsletter

- deadline is Oct. 31st
- query about Sept. meeting minutes not on the website, Penny Dellameter.
 - thoughts of taking over the website & doing it ourselves with WEEBLY online.
 - volunteer?

Debra McCracken, Retreat

- booked Feb 14, 15 & 16th Thursday thru Sun noon
\$330.00 with shared room
meals, including Sunday Brunch. Breakfast will be do-it-yourself.
- online form, complete & bring to Nov. meeting, with payment

Peggy Swerdfeger, Community Quilts

- 60 Christmas placemats will be required

Rae French, Babies 1st

- Thank you for quilts made & donated.
- request for 6, then good till January
- suggested size:
44 x 54" maximum or 42 x 54"

Coffee break & more shopping. Meeting resumed with Co-President Nonie Cornell.

Demo:

- Penny Dellameter
 - small drawstring bag with pockets
- Instructions to be sent out by group email to Guild members.

Marg Jacques, Art Girls

- meet 1st Thursday of the month 9:30 am
- next is at Beth Kingzett' s on Nov. 2nd

Pati de Broekert, Programs

- Oct. 24th 9am Drawing for Machine Quilting Debra McCracken
bring pad of paper, pencils & markers, lunch
- Nov. 28th 9am Woven Wall-hanging Rae Salkeld

Old Business:

- 2021 Quilt Show** with Kathy Hofmann
 - Discussion of dates available & vote taken:
 - 1st choice **April 23/24**
 - 2nd choice **Oct 2/3**
 - suggestion to book for the following show in 2024,
 - 1st weekend in May

-Nonie shared info on the **Gathering of the Guilds:**

- Saturday April 13th, 2019 8am-5pm
- Capri Hotel, Kelowna
- cost: \$60.00
 - lunch -2 coffee breaks
 - pin -gift bag
 - speakers -vendor market
- Group registration form, with slots for 25.
 - name
 - email
 - \$60.00 payment
 - see Pati to register

New Business:

- nil

Motion to adjourn by Rae French, seconded by Debra McCracken. Carried.

Next meeting: Nov. 14th

Co-President: Beth Kingzett Nonie Cornell
Secretary: Bobbi Bodden

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In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields.

John McCrae (1872-1918)