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Our final meeting of the season is upon us, our windup luncheon. What memories we have had this season. I have picked up so many new tips through the demo's that have been presented at the meetings. Great job to all who have participated. Hope that more members will step forward to show us new techniques or maybe easier methods of making our quilts great. This year I called myself a dabbler - I didn't make a quilt but created a few small projects - a wall hanging, little gift bags, a messenger bag for my granddaughter, large bags for the daughter -in-laws, pillowcases and placemats and other small gifts with the grandchildren. Feel rested and ready to jump into a project or two. The fall schedule looks interesting, looking forward to September!

I hope that you enjoy your summer with family and friends and maybe even some time to create with fabric. Post pictures on our Facebook site for all to enjoy and if your travelling and find an interesting quilt shop or quilt show share to the site as well.

*See you in September...Diane*

### Meeting scheduled -May8th Things to remember for the meeting

- Your show and tell.
- Coffee cup
- Name Tag

A short meeting and election of new officers. Potluck luncheon and social time to follow!

Bring:

A main course, salad or dessert dish of your choice. Please label your containers with your name and instructions for re-heating if needed!

Bring a plate, cutlery, cup, placemat.

Come and have fun at our windup day before the summer .

### Executive for our Guild—

One more position to fill. Our final guild meeting of the year is quickly approaching....an event that we all look forward to.... great fellowship, amazing show and tell items and delicious food to share at our potluck.

At this May meeting we will vote in our new executive. To date, we have had members put their names forward to fill most of the positions. Thank you! We do, however, have a vacancy in the position of Vice Chair.

Being on the executive is a wonderful way to have a voice in how guild decisions are made. Our executive team works so well together ....and without them we would not exist! Please think about filling the role of Vice Chair for the upcoming term. I am happy to discuss the duties with you.

Helen, [helenolawrence@gmail.com](mailto:helenolawrence@gmail.com)

Month	Meeting / Class	Workshop Day
May	May 8 <sup>th</sup> - Windup Luncheon & AGM	No workshops - see you in September!
Sept	Sept 11 - Meeting Day, Demos and Sewing Memberships Due	Sept 25 - Triangle Tricks with Kathleen Noble
Oct	Oct 9 - Meeting Day, Demos and Sewing	Oct 23 <sup>rd</sup> .- Paperless Paper Piecing with Debra McCracken

### Program

Wow!! What a great workshop Eileen put on last Wednesday. Good useful information and I think of all the members who were there came away with some really good tips for finishing up those tricky little details like putting binding on weird angle corners and making a strip pieced mitered border. Look for Part 2 in the upcoming season next year.

Our workshops are all done for this year, but we have started planning for next year and sign-up sheets for the first few workshops will be available at our luncheon meeting in May so come prepared.

September - Triangle Tricks with Kathleen Noble

October - Paperless Paper Piecing with Debra McCracken

November - Seasonal Winter Birds with Toques and Boots (see header on front page of newsletter)

Programs will try to have a new demo for each of our meeting days so if you have a suggestion or an idea that you would like to share with us please speak up. Helpers are always appreciated.

We have tried a new workshop table layout recently and we will continue with that format for the new year as well. Just a reminder to those that come and sew on workshop days - sew quietly and if you need supplies such as irons, cutting boards etc. please use supplies from the storage cupboard and not those set up for the class. Thanks.

Diane Schlamp has some information about something new that the Oliver and Osoyoos Guilds are working on of which Penticton Guild will also be invited to. She will provide some additional info at our upcoming meeting.



With the passing of Rae French, it was announced that myself and Shirley Wild would continue with the Babies First program at the Guild to keep that relationship with Interior Health going. We've had such a great time over the years that Rae oversaw this portion of our Guild that we just couldn't imagine that it would come to an end with her passing away. Yvonne Mottishaw has now offered to take this on as she is no longer working with our library and believes very strongly in the program. We are good for now in our supply of baby quilts but in the new season coming up in Sept., I will step down and Yvonne and Shirley will be speaking more about what "Babies First" is all about and how we can all help.

Pati

Karen Ann of Interior Health has told us that she probably has enough quilts to last until the new year. If you want to work on a baby quilt this summer, please be sure that it is about 42 x 54 inches. Thanks.

Shirley & Yvonne

Last chance to donate to Samaritans Purse water project in Rae's memory - May 8<sup>th</sup> @ the guild.

## *Farewell from our President Nonie;*

Another month has passed, and May is coming on strong. Spring, finally, after many back steps and side trips, appears to be on its way. The orchard blossoms look so lovely. Sadly, they don't last long enough for me. On the plus side, they do give us juicy fruit to enjoy in only a few months. A fair trade off, I guess. Looking at weather in eastern parts of the country, we are blessed.

May brings us to the end of another quilting year as we break for the summer. The potluck is always such an enjoyable way to finish off. Talented quilters make for talented cooks! Yum!! Bring your offering and appetite. I know, too, Pati has a special trunk show on tap for after our business meeting. Two great reasons to attend.

May brings my co-chairing to an end. The past two years have sped by and I want to thank everyone for their help and support, especially these last months without Beth. It's been an honour to serve such a tremendous group of ladies and man. I look forward to settling back into a side row next year, offering support where needed but welcoming new ideas and new organization. The guild will be in capable hands with the new executive directing its business.

Have a super summer. Let the warmth of the sun wash over you. Take time to get sand between your toes and let peach juice drip from your chin. A valley summer is meant to be enjoyed, so don't waste a day. Do what makes you happy. See you relaxed and rested next September, ready to quilt up a storm.

*Nonie*



This is the quilt that Kathleen will be teaching in September at our guild.  
Triangle Tricks



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## Gathering of the Guilds



On April 13th of this year, a few members of the Guild attended the Gathering of the Guilds hosted in Kelowna by the Orchard Valley Quilters Guild. It was a long day of fun, running right on schedule from 8:00 am registration to closing time at 4:30 pm. The vendors were great, varied and with bargains to be had. There was a lot of opportunity to shop as the vendors were open pretty much as we got there and stayed open until 6:00 pm. The coffee and lunch breaks were right on time and more than long enough. It was fun to see what some of the other Guilds in attendance have been doing over the last year with their Charity programs and workshops. There were at least 200 people there from guilds all over the interior of B.C. We were all mixed up at our tables, so we got to meet up with many individuals from all over. We all got a wonderful goody bag when we first got there so there was lots of rustling through our bags as the opening remarks took place. Guest speakers for the day included Colleen Baptiste from Oliver, speaking about how she came to be included in making a block for the wonderful Quilt of Belonging. If you are not familiar with it, you need to look it up as it is quite spectacular. Lynette Barnes, a local Fiber artist had some interesting samples of her work on display. We had a great talk and slide show from Molly Thurston, a local organic farmer from Lake Country. She was so passionate and enthusiastic about her journey to where she is today, that she had so many people waiting to talk to her once she was finished. She is located close by the Jammery in Lake Country and her farm is called Claremont Farms if you are up in that area.

The keynote speaker was Judy Leslie who has won many awards for her Art Quilts. Her work was stunning in its creativity and exquisite detail. Many of her Art Quilts were based on nature photographs, with lots of stitching detail and 3D effects using felting or layered fibers.

Towards the end of the day, there was a talk about JoeAnna's House in Kelowna, a facility close by the hospital where out of town families can stay while family members are going through treatment at the hospital. It is in its final stages of completion and expected to open in the fall. I don't have the name of the speaker telling us about JoeAnna's house, but again she was very articulate and passionate in the telling of the story of the family behind the project and how it all came about.

And finally, to close out the day, Endy Turner from Batik Korner in Oyama, gave a talk and slideshow on the making of batik fabrics. She has such a wonderful sense of humor. Great descriptions about the different types of batiks available and the processes used in their making. The samples that she had on display were varied in their look and feel making it easy to understand what she was saying about the processes used. Endy has a great selection of batiks in her shop so if you have not had the chance to visit, take a road trip and go see her. There were lots of great door prizes given out, including a huge gift basket from Trend Tex fabrics and a sewing machine donated from Cottage Quilting in Kelowna.

The next time a Gathering of the Guilds rolls around, don't miss out. They are usually a day packed full of fun.

# Minutes

## Penticton Quilt Guild Meeting

### 2019-04-10

9:05 am Meeting opened by President Nonie Cornell.  
Motion to adopt minutes from March 13<sup>th</sup> meeting by Syd Hughes  
& seconded by Edna Robinson.

**Welcome to all**, with 52 in attendance. No Guests or Visitors today.

#### **Announcements:**

#### **Memories of Rae:**

By Kathy Sweeten, shared lovely stories of Rae's involvement in the Guild,  
How she started Babies 1<sup>st</sup>, with Karen Ann Atkinson, health nurse. At the completion of an 8-week course, the new Moms received a quilt from the Guild. Pati de Broekert & Shirley Wild will continue the program.

Rae started Annie's Girls, at Ann Brown's and they would baste member's quilts together, ready for quilting. Rae was always happy, she was upbeat & kind, generous & caring and always had beautiful painted toes!

Donations: to the Samaritan Purse Water Project, will be taken by Sherry Badger and send forward.

**Show & Tell**, with Marilyn Smith as Vanna.

**Reports:** with Nonie & Marilyn Smith  
Sherry Badger, Treasurer, away no report.

#### Eileen Zornes, Membership

-78 registered members

#### Lorna Cruickshank, CQA

-nothing new

#### Kathy Hofmann, Library

-4 new books received

- Addicted to Scraps by Bonnie Hunter
- Free motion Quilts by Angela Water
- Walking Foot Quilting by Leah Day
- Child's Play by Stacey Day

-doing inventory

-Rosa Brady donated a 20.5 x 20.5" square ruler

#### Joyce Rich, Social

-next meeting is our Grand Finale. 10am start

-everyone to bring a dish, put your name on it & a note if it is to go in the oven please indicate the temperature & length of time.

-bring your own dishes

Diane Schlamp, Newsletter -deadline is April 30th

Debra McCracken, Retreat away, no report.

Peggy Swerdfeger, Community Quilts

- have 99 unfinished tops
  - 6 are ready to go
  - 10 new volunteers will take one each over the summer to finish
- 9 quilts are out now
- looking for someone new to head up this program next year.
- Peggy & Cheryl will have done 3 years.

Pati de Broekert, Babies 1<sup>st</sup>

- have been in touch with Karen Ann & she will check, but believes she has enough quilts till the end of the year.
- Pati will update the Guild in Sept.

Dianne Birnie, Artsy Girls

- working along & doing their thing.
- anyone interested in joining come & see Dianne.

Helen Lawrence - Past President

- Elections
  - Thanks to Marg Jacques for volunteering to Co-chair with Marilyn Smith.
  - Secretary still required
    - Marlene Robinson volunteered.

Pati de Broekert, Programs

- April 24<sup>th</sup>                      The Devil is in the Details                      Eileen Zornes
  - get supply list from Pati
- May 8<sup>th</sup>                      AGM & Windup Luncheon
- Ideas for next year requested, so far, we have:
  - Debra McCracken                      Paperless Paper Piecing
  - Kathleen Noble                      Triangle Tricks
  - Diane Schlamp                      Birds & Boots
  - Pati de Broekert                      Making Stitched Cards

**Old Business:** Nonie,

- AGM will begin at 10am on May 8<sup>th</sup>.
- Bring your food contribution & dishes, utensils & placemat for yourself.
- Elections will be formalized.

**New Business:** Nonie,

- Guild Executive meeting was held on April 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - Budget discussed & approved.
  - Website
    - Judy Ritcey recommends switching from our current U.S. host to a Canadian company 'Hostpapa.' Payment then would be in Canadian funds. Agreed & the switchover will be on June 1<sup>st</sup>, which is the end of our contact.
    - Judy was invited to our luncheon but will be in Ireland.
- Passing of & Recognizing of Guild members:
  - card will be sent from the Guild

- members could attend the *Celebration of Life*
- Treasurer could take voluntary donations.

- question from the floor, what if members is currently *service executive*.
- Nonie replied, it would be on an individual or a case by case basis.

Coffee break. Thanks for today's goodies, to Tammy Brennan & Alice Vander Molen.

**Demo**

'T Ruler' used on half-square triangles by Sue Willard.

Meeting resumed.

Clarification from minutes of Executive meeting, from Marilyn Smith & Bobbi Bodden, to Nonie, who passed on to the Guild.

- Passing & recognizing of Guild members:
- "All members to be treated equal, regardless if currently serving Executive & be sent a card."

10:30 am: Motion to adjourn by Marlene Robinson & seconded by Kathleen Noble, Carried.

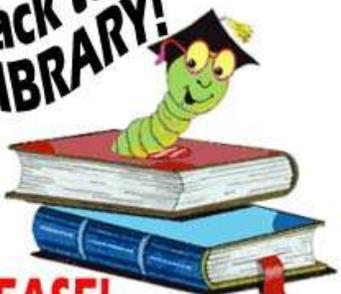
Next meeting: **May 8<sup>th</sup>**                      **10:00 am**                      **AGM & Luncheon**

President:	Nonie Cornell
VP:	Marilyn Smith
Secretary:	Bobbi Bodden





Back to the LIBRARY!



PLEASE!

A REMINDER: Please return any books/magazines at MAY meeting! *THANK YOU!!*  
Kathy Hofmann

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# 2019 Quilt Shows

May 4/5 - **Boundary Bay** -Tsawwassen, BC at the South Delta Rec Center

May 10/11 - **Fly into Spring**, Prince George Golf and Curling Club

May 17/18 - **Fraser Valley Quilt Guild Langley** -George Ferguson Rec Center

May 18 - June 23 - **It's A Fine Line Art Quilt Show** -Peachland Art Gallery

June 12 - 15 - **Quilt Canada 2019**, EY Center, Ottawa, On

June 7-9. - **Quilting with Confidence Retreat**. Maple Leaf Quilt Company (Kelowna)  
<https://mapleleafquiltingcompany.com/pages/quilting-with-confidence-details>

July 13 - **Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show** - 9:00am to 4:00pm

Aug 31 -**The Highland Stitchers** in Molson WA hold a quilt show the last Sat. in August

Sept 27/28 - **Legacy of Events X** - Vernon Recreation Centre



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<https://www.sewcanshe.com/blog/2017/5/30/the-card-kitty-card-holder-for-playing-card-games-free-sewing-tutorial>



This little messenger bag is a great size for any little girl. My granddaughter uses hers all the time.

<https://www.merrimentdesign.com/kid-sized-messenger-bag-free-pattern-and-sewing-tutorial.php>



Paper Pieced feathers

<http://shape-moth.blogspot.com/search?updated-max=2013-03-15T07:46:00%2B01:00&max-results=7>

Scrappy Log Cabin Heart Quilt pattern

<https://neverlandstitches.blogspot.com/2018/01/a-scrappy-log-cabin-heart-quilt.html>