

## **Nine Patch News**



Woodstock Quilt Guild

**March 2019**

### **2018-19 Executive**

**President- Janet Wright**

**Vice President - Kathy Boone**

**Past President- Ellen Armour**

**Registrar - Colleen McKee**

**Secretary - Sandy Corey**

**Treasurer- Trisha Robinson**

**Website: <http://www.woodstockquiltguild.weebly.com>**

### **Committees:**

**Community Quilts - Kathy Boone, Georgina Cantrill & Joyce Richard**

**Fat Quarter Draw : Krystyn Davis & Catherine Sutherland**

**Web Site: Marilyn Sarchfield & Jolene Clark**

**Phone Committee: Linda Markey & Terry Dickinson**

**Refreshments: Joyce Richard**

**Sunshine: Linda McAfee**

**Photography: Dorothy Davis**

**Library: Ann Grant**

**Program: Janet Melanson**

**Newsletter: Janet Wright**

**Quilt Show: Betty Doherty**

**Booking Instructors: Ellen Armour**

**Retreat: Diane Scott & Janet W**

**Legacy - Suzanne Hunter but still OPEN**

**Super Saturday: Betty Doherty & Susan Hayden**

**Chairperson of Words: Jolene Clark**

**CQA Guild rep - Sandy Corey**

## President Message

I have been quilting up a storm. I am ready for our quilt show, are you?? This month I will be looking for people for the nominating committee. A reminder that all annual reports are due to me for the May meeting. Please include your money in these reports. The CQA "going viral" challenge will be displayed and voted on at the April meeting. More of my words as an editorial ☺

President, Janet Wright (AKA Our chattiest quilter according to the survey :P)

## Meeting agenda

Opening Remarks, Welcome

- Introduction of new members & guests
- Correspondence

M- Approval of Agenda, as published in March 2019 newsletter

M- Approval of Feb 2019 minutes, as published in March 2019 newsletter

M- Treasurers Report - as published in March 2019 newsletter

- New Business
- Nominating committee

M- Committee Reports, as per March 2019 newsletter

- Community Quilts - Kathy Boone
- Library - Ann
- Quilt show - Betty
- Super Saturday - Betty & Sue
- Senior Quilting - Trish
- Instructors - Ellen
- Break will be at 8 o'clock
- Program
- Show and Tell
- Fabric Draw

Next meeting Monday April 8th, 2019 **\*\*\*\* second Monday of the month**

Meeting Adjourned

M- Means motion, discussion and vote

Woodstock Quilt Guild  
Minutes, February 4, 2019

Meeting called to order at 7:05 pm

**Opening remarks, welcome**

There were no guests, new members, or correspondence.

**Approval of Agenda, as published in the February 2019 newsletter**

Moved by Catherine Sutherland , seconded by Linda McAfee, to approve the agenda. Additional items to be included - Legacy and Retreat. Amended motion approved.

**Approval of minutes, as published in the December 2018 newsletter**

Moved by Catherine Sutherland , seconded by Gale McElwain, to approve the minutes. Motion approved.

**Business arising from the minutes**

There was no business arising from the minutes.

**Correspondence**

There was no correspondence.

**Treasurer's report, as published in the December 2018 newsletter**

Moved by Trish Robinson, seconded by Ellen Armour, to approve the Treasurer's report. Motion approved.

**New business**

There was no new business.

**Committee reports, as published in the December 2018 newsletter**

Moved by Vickie Ellis, seconded by Gale McElwain, to approve the committee reports. Motion approved.

### **Legacy, Suzanne Hunter**

The Andrew and Laura McCain Library held a literacy event. Suzanne and a few other quilters from Florenceville were invited to tell stories about the history of quilting, especially a quilt from the Isle of Mann. She also had quilting books and items to display. Her efforts were greatly appreciated.

### **Quilt Show, Betty Doherty**

To date, four vendors have confirmed. Lofty Stitches (Holly), Keswick Ridge (Andrea Rennick), Victoria Corner (Charlotte Cook), and Square Edge Quilting from Miramichi.

Please see the newsletter for important dates and deadlines.

The advertising has started. Please see Diane Lawson for posters to be displayed at shops, businesses, community halls, etc.

Please submit your raffle ticket money to Jackie as soon as possible. The sign up sheet for Sobeys volunteers was sent around, and quickly filled. Thank you ladies!

### **Super Saturday, Betty Doherty**

February 16th is the date. The project is a table runner or small quilt called Magic Pinwheel. It is designed for a jelly roll, but you can always cut your own fabric strips. You need obvious lights and darks. March 16th is the iron caddy/pressing mat. Nancy Colpitts will buy the heat resistant fabric for us, at 20% off, so please let Betty know if you are interested. Also, as a courtesy to all, please call/email Betty if you have signed up but cannot attend.

### **Community Quilts, Kathy Boone**

Five quilts were sent out this month, a family suffered a devastating house fire. Kathy has kits available.

### **Library, Janet Wright**

Ann was away so Janet presented the latest acquisitions. There is a Judy Niemeyer book and 3 patterns. Members must purchase their own papers. They cost about \$2 per sheet.

### **Riverside Quilting, Trish Robinson**

Quilting dates for 2019 are established. Please see Trish to sign up as she needs 4-6 volunteers each time.

### **Sunshine Box, Colleen McKee**

The box for Elaine Gullison was greatly appreciated by Elaine. Thank you to all who contributed.

### **Instructors, Ellen Armour**

Ellen told the membership that the net cost to the guild for the Desert Sky workshop was \$120-130. Perhaps she will come back in 2020.

### **Retreat, Janet Wright**

Janet, laughingly, announced that Sherida would be attending our 2020 retreat (October 1-4)!! She will be there to give assistance to anyone working on a project. The cost will be an extra \$30. The retreat will be capped at 40. Signups for the 2019 retreat (October 24-27) will start at the April meeting. Janet and Diane will be hosting 2019-2021 AND the message therapists are already booked!

### **Program, Janet Melanson**

Janet has continued to show even more layout variations beginning with two 10" squares. Handouts were available.

Members were asked to fill out a survey for Keswick Ridge.

Janet, lastly, handed out directions for the first row of the Christmas Row by Row.

### **Show and tell**

Another great display of work by the members.

### **Fabric Draw, (I forgot to note who was doing it, sorry)**

Winners were: Joan Anderson, Geni McEwen, and Sandy Corey.

Meeting adjourned, 8:20 pm.

### **Next meeting March 4, 2019.**

Respectfully submitted, Sandy Corey



**Treasurer's Report for March 2019, Newsletter**

Submitted by Trisha Robinson

**Balance February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019** **\$ 11,028.86**

Income:

F.Q. Draw	\$ 93.00
Teachers/Workshops	300.00
Quilt Show 2019(ticket sales)	<u>180.00</u>

**Total Income** **\$ 573.00** **\$ 11,601.86**

Expenses:

2019 Quilt Show/Advertising	146.63
Community quilts	24.51
Program	30.48
Office (Bank Charges)	<u>4.50</u>

**Total Expenses** **\$ 206.12**

**Balance, March, 4th, 2019** **\$ 11,395.74**

Submitted by Trisha R

**Program**

Tip of the month. Keep metallic threads and or specialty threads in a plastic bag. This keeps them from drying out so it does not snap or break when you use it. If you cannot find the color of thread to match , use a shade darker, as this will act as a shadow and not show as much. Did you know Gutterman Thread spools have a storage space in them for needles. I will show you this at the meeting. Betty Doherty will show you a Row by Row for machine quilting. This is a free site under Jeanne Harrison Free Motion Quilting. Next row by row Christmas quilt is Wreaths. Bring you stocking row and you might win a prize. See you on March 4th. Janet M  
see me . thanks Janet M

### **Retreat Dates**

- October 24-27, 2019
- October 1-4, 2020 \*Special retreat\*
- October 21-24, 2021
- October 6 - 9, 2022
- October 19 - 22, 2023

Janet W and Diane S

### **Super Saturday**

March 16, April 27, May 11

(please note that some of the dates are not on the 3rd Saturday!)

### **Super Saturday March 16, 2019**

Project: IRON TOTE/MAT or “Do Your Own Thing”!!!!

We have found free patterns for this project and will have them ready for you.

This is the supply list:

19 ½” x 25 ½” cotton fabric of your choice

19 ½” x 25 ½” Insulbrite

19 ½” x 25 ½” Silver Iron Board Fabric (Betty and I are sourcing this for you and will subsidize with SS funds – amount depends upon #'s)

Elastic – (2) ¼” x 4” long pieces- Don’t be afraid to improvise ie. hair elastic

Thread of choice

Bring all of your regular sewing supplies and a pencil. Be sure to bring your rulers too!

See you on the 16th!

Sue and Betty

## **Quilt Show**

Things are coming together for our quilt show. Advertising is going well...registration forms are posted on line...limited hard copies will be available at the March meeting. If you have your entries ready forward the forms to Sue Hayden.

Ticket money should be submitted to Jackie Walker.

Volunteer sign up sheets will be available...please consider how you would like to participate in the show .If you have questions feel free to contact me.

Keep stitching

Betty

## **Quilting at Riverside Court**

Two quilts were completed in the month of February. We have enough volunteers for March 12th (Gail Lawrence, Charlotte Cook, Kim Reeleder and Ellen Kee) but do not have any volunteers for March 26th. The upcoming dates are listed below, and I will bring the sign up sheet to the March 4th meeting.

Tuesday, March 12th and 26th, 2019

Tuesday, April 9th and 23rd, 2019

Tuesday, May 7th and 21st, 2019

Tuesday, June 4th and 18th, 2019

We meet in the dining room at 1:00 p.m. and are usually done by 2:00 p.m. in time for tea/coffee and cookies. If any members could find time to volunteer for even one session in 2019 that would be appreciated. Thank you again to all those ladies who have given their valuable time to date.

Trisha R.



## Library Report

Hello all,

This past month of February I have been travelling around a couple of the Hawaiian Islands and got to visit quite a few quilt stores! My husband has been a good sport :)

The selection of batiks is almost overwhelming!! I did manage to pick up a couple new small project patterns for the library so I will have them ready for lending at the March meeting.

I will be placing one last order soon so let me know of any wish lists for new books.

See you next week!  
Ann Grant

## Sunshine Report

Sent a sympathy card to Doreen Antworth, a get well card to Elaine Gullison and a thinking of you card to Linda Steeves in January.

Linda M

## Instructors

What are we interested in doing next for a class. . . applique.. . wonky quilt blocks like churn dash. . . log cabin etc????

Let me know some time and I will see about getting something set up later  
Ellen

## Community Quilts

This month we gave out one quilt. At the moment, we have 4-5 quilts on hand for each group (women, men, children) so everyone can relax about quilt kits. However, we only have two larger quilts. These are more suited for a group to do so am wondering if we could have a quilting day & what day would be good?? Kathy Boone

Editorial Notes

Shout out to quilty business this month!!!!

Victoria Corner Sewing Machines

**Hurry Limited Quantity available!!!  
Memory Craft 6600P (damaged box)**



The Memory Craft 6600 Professional has the speed and precision critical to advanced sewing. The 6600 contains loads of features created especially for quilters, including the AcuFeed system. AcuFeed: Layered Fabric Feeding System ensures your sewing and quilting are even, smooth and precise on all types of fabric. The AcuFeed foot is integrated with a unique seven-point feed dog system, so your fabric is guided perfectly from the top and the bottom. AcuFeed is a unique and innovative feature - once you try it you'll wonder how you ever lived without it!

**MSRP ~~\$2499~~ / Our Reg. price ~~\$2295~~**

**Damaged box Special \$1795.00**

Charlotte Cook

Victoria Corner Sewing Machines

375-4396 / 325-8926

Lois' Morin's husband, Roger repairs sewing machines in Houlton.



## Ridge Machine Quilting

Ron and Andrea opened Ridge Machine Quilting in 2017 after their purchase of a manual longarm. They carry a selection of batting and backing fabrics for longarm customers. Andrea does a lot of freehand custom quilting starting at 2.5 cents per square inch.

In January of 2018, they opened an accompanying fabric shop in their home, after the Christmas Crab Quiltery shut down. Since then they continue to bring in new fabrics, which can be seen in their online shop at <https://shop.ridgemachinequilting.com>

The shop is open Monday thru Friday, 10am to 5pm. On Thursdays they are open until 7pm. On the weekends, you can find Andrea at The Northside Market in Fredericton if you happen to be in town. She can also bring requests since the booth at the Market is small and has duplicate items, remnants, end of bolts and precuts. They also do pick up and drop offs for the quilting services.

Find us at <https://www.ridgemachinequilting.com> or on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/RidgeMachineQuilting/>

Sign up for the weekly newsletter to get the latest news and notices of sales!

**EXCITING NEWS!!** This shop is signed up for [Row by Row Experience](#) for this year.



I finished a scrap quilt and I would like to now do a charm swap to replenish.

**5" charm swap**

1. Choose a good quality fabric that is in the guidelines, preferably pre washed. Square up. Cut one 5" strip from the width of fabric. Cut off all salvages. Sub cut into eight 5" squares. Set one aside for yourself. Place 7 charms into a ziplock bag and place your name and the name of the swap in or on the bag. ie Janet W blue

You may do multiple sets within each section. Only good quality fabric cut accurately.

April - white/beige - all colors is to be white or beige (no other colors in the charm) no muslin but tone on tone is allowed

May - black - all over color is black, prints allowed, lights to darks

June - blue - all over color is blue, prints allowed, lights to darks

Sept - pink - all over color is pink, prints allowed, lights to darks

Oct - pastel - all over color is pastel, prints allowed, lights only

Nov - green - all over color is green, prints allowed, lights to darks

Dec - red - all over color is red, prints allowed, lights to darks

Jan - gray - all over color is gray, prints allowed, lights to darks

Janet W swap hostess

**Maine Quilts** is July 25-27, 2019 at the Augusta Civic Center  
[www.mainequilts.org](http://www.mainequilts.org)

I have been sewing a lot lately and I have been listening to You Tube. Angela Walters' Midnight Quilter has proven to be amazing. I love her sense of humor and her "piecing potion"!! "A finished quilt is better than a perfect unfinished top!!" She also has a show called True Up. She visits Tula Pink, and it was a very good listen. Tula pink has a series of videos on how she creates her fabric. I had no idea of the crazy process. What do you like to listen to????

April 8th is our next meeting at 7 pm

*The end*



