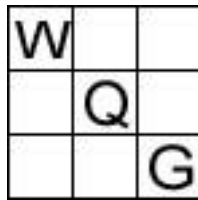


Nine Patch News



Woodstock Quilt Guild

May 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

With a quilt show on the go, don't forget to bring your 5" black charms for the swap Monday night. Feel free to do more than one set, but each set needs to be a different fabric. We will be having our annual meeting and the nominating committee will be finding our next round of executives. A big thank you to Betty and the rest of the quilt show committee. There is a lot of work into this show and I am sure the results are going to be wonderful. Thanks for all the hard work!!! June meeting is Pot Luck!! YUMMY
President, Janet Wright

Meeting agenda

Opening Remarks, Welcome

- Introduction of new members & guests
- Correspondence

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

M- Approval of April 2019 minutes, as published in May 2019 newsletter

M- Treasurers Report - as published in May 2019 newsletter

- New Business

- Nominating committee - Ellen

- Sandy Corey - wool mats

M- Committee Reports, as per April 2019 newsletter

- Quilt show - Betty

- Community Quilts - Kathy Boone

- Library - Ann

- Retreat - Janet W

- Super Saturday - Janet M

- Senior Quilting - Trish

- Instructors - Ellen

- Break will be at 8 o'clock

- Program

- Show and Tell

- Fabric Draw

Next meeting Monday June 3rd, 2019

Meeting Adjourned

M- Means motion, discussion and vote

Woodstock Quilt Guild

Minutes, April 10, 2019

Meeting called to order at 7:03 pm by President, Janet Wright.

Opening remarks, welcome

Welcome to our visitor, Tara Wark, a fashion technologist at Woodstock High School. Welcome also to our two new members, Nancy London and Wendy Henderson. Wendy is also a member of the Friends and Needles Guild in Houlton.

Approval of Agenda, as published in the April 2019 newsletter

Moved by Ellen Armour, seconded by Janet Melanson, to approve the agenda. Additional items to be included - CQA reveal and Retreat. Amended motion approved.

Approval of minutes, as published in the April 2019 newsletter

Moved by Ellen Kee, seconded by Ann Grant, 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 April 2019 newsletter

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

New business

There was no new business.

Committee reports, as published in the April 2019 newsletter

Moved by Diane Scott, seconded by Judy Jackson, to approve the committee reports. Motion approved.

Nominating Committee, Ellen Armour, Victoria Theberge

Nominations as follows:

President, Sandy Corey
Secretary, Georgina Cantrill
Registrar, Trish Robinson
Treasurer, Kim Reeleder

Voting is at the May meeting, which is also the AGM. Nominations are welcome from the floor.

For the AGM, Janet needs all Committee reports one week prior to the meeting. The report must include a financial statement.

Community Quilts, Kathy Boone

Thank you to the members who helped make the work party at St. James United Church a great success. 4 quilts were completed and 2 were sent home to be worked on.

Senior Quilting, Trish Robinson

Please see Trish to sign up as she needs 4-6 volunteers each time.

Library, Ann Grant

The library section on the website is up to date. Ann presented the latest acquisitions. There is a Rob Apell pattern and 3 books Splendid Samplers II, Text It, and Free Spirit Block Party.

Retreat, Janet Wright

Janet announced that only our members will be able to sign up until May. In May members of other guilds will be allowed to fill any empty spots. Get your registration in if you want to assure yourself a spot. Thank you to the web master for making the retreat signup available through the website.

Charm Swap, Janet Wright

Janet reviewed the guidelines for the swap. Next month's colour is BLACK.

CQQ Challenge, Janet Wright

There are 3 entries. Please vote for your favourite during the break.

Super Saturday, Betty Doherty

April 27th is the date. Debbie Flewelling will be teaching a beginner free motion quilting class. All information is in the newsletter.

May 11th will be the next Super Saturday. Janet Melanson will be teaching a charm square star quilt. Information is in the newsletter.

Quilt Show, Betty Doherty

Racks: the maximum length of quilts on the racks is 96". Longer quilts will be hung from the balcony. All hand quilted quilts will be hung on the main floor. Anyone with quilt racks or wooden drying racks they can loan for the duration of the show, please bring them with your name clearly attached.

Joyce Richard has made a lovely welcome banner that she showed to the members.

We need 2 dozen cookies per member for the refreshment area. They need not be homemade. Could they please not be sticky or gooey (we don't want stuff on our quilts).

Registration forms need to be in ASAP.

The volunteer list was circulated at the meeting.

As was done in 2017, challenges, Super Saturday projects, etc. will be hung together.

Laundry baskets are needed. Please clearly mark it/them with your name, and your items will be returned in them.

Sandra Culberson and Linda McAfee are setting up the 20 year display. Please get in touch with them if you have items for the display.

Trish is creating a photographic slide show that will run on the TVs in the AYR Motor Centre.

Gail Lawrence is organizing a hand quilting demo. Volunteers are needed. If you prefer your own thimbles and needles, please bring them.

Any questions call Betty Doherty or Shari Gillis.

Please submit your raffle ticket money to Jackie as soon as possible.

Instructors, Ellen Armour

Ellen told the membership that Bev Day will be doing a workshop in September. It is amNutcracker fusible appliqué. Further workshops are being investigated.

Cat Beds

Betty took them. Please no denim.

Program, Janet Melanson

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

Last month's row by row, wreaths, were displayed. Judy Boyd was the winner of the participation draw.

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

CQA Results

First, Kathy Boone, second, Joyce Richard, third, Janet Melanson. Well done, ladies!

Show and tell

Another great display of work by the members.

Maxine showed everyone her new light table. What a great addition to your sewing room. Check out the website fo Cutter Pillar Glow Premium.

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

Winners were: Maxine O'Donnell, Bonnie Sproull, an Estelle Wilson.

Condolences to Nadine Bolton. We sent flowers.

Meeting adjourned, 8:38 pm.

Next meeting May 6, 2019

Respectfully submitted, Sandy Corey



Retreat Dates

Sign up for this year's retreat is open tonight for our members. I have included the sign up sheet at the end of this newsletter. It will also be available on our website and I will have a couple hard copies at the meeting

- **October 24-27, 2019**
- October 1-4, 2020 *Special retreat*
- October 21-24, 2021

- October 6 - 9, 2022
- October 19 - 22, 2023

Janet W & Diane S

Treasurer's Report for May 2019, Newsletter

Submitted by Trisha Robinson

Balance April 8, 2019 **\$ 11,183.26**

Income:

F.Q. Draw	\$	65.00
Membership		10.00
2019 Quilt show (ticket sales)		232.00
2019 Retreat		<u>810.00</u>

Total Income **\$ 1,117.00** **\$ 12,300.26**

Expenses:

2019 Quilt Show/Adv., etc.		240.25
Community quilts		83.33
Program		60.09
Library		104.04
Miscellaneous (Flowers)		57.50
Office (Bank Charges)		<u>4.50</u>

Total Expenses **\$ 549.71**

Balance, May 6th, 2019 **\$ 11,750.55**

Treasurer's Year End Report (Interim)

September 2018 to May 2019

	Proposed 2018/2019	Actual – to May 2019
Revenue		
Membership	1,890.00	1,950.00
Fabric Draw	900.00	867.00
Quilt Show	6,000.00	1,192.00
Instructors	1,000.00	975.00
Retreat	0	919.00
Total Revenue	9,700.00	5,903.00

Expenses		
Chair of Words Person	30.00	0
Community Quilts	600.00	418.91
CQA membership/Insurance	370.00	239.78
Fat Quarter Draw	400.00	337.90
Gathering of the Guilds	500.00	0
Instructors	2,000.00	1,184.00
Legacy	1,184.77	0
Library	600.00	603.31
Membership	300.00	183.29
Miscellaneous	50.00	57.50
Office	125.00	31.50
Program	600.00	230.39
Quilt Show	7,600.00	811.23
Refreshments	200.00	81.99
Rent	500.00	250.00
Sunshine	100.00	19.55
Total Expenses	15,159.77	4,449.35

Notes:

- Retreat monies are an in/out amount....not part of our yearly income
- Legacy - \$1184.77 – Previously allocated by motion – reduce amount by what is spent each year
- Rent – current rent is \$25. X 10 months (pd) – to be paid is \$15 x 10 – table/chair setup is yet to be paid
- Quilt Show – 20 new quilt racks and storage to be purchased in 2019 (1700.00 + storage + advance)
- Office – proposed budget for new ledger which will have to be purchased in 2020
- There will still be expenses incurred for the months of May, June, July and August, 2019

Program

Tip of the Month. Clean your machine our regularly. If you are sewing with flannel or scraps the lint needs to be cleaned out for better sewing. The lint can jam your machine and then you can get uneven stitches or missed stitches.

This month's Row is Trees with only one more row to go. The finishing instructions will be in June with the last row. Bring you ornament row and you might win something. Anyone missed last month's meeting and you need April's row please see me.

We will again see a block dismantled and put back together in a new design.
Thanks Janet M

Year End Report for Program 2019

This year we showcased half Square /Triangle Quilts, Squares cut apart and put back together and rearranged blocks to create new looks. We received a booklet for needles from Schmidtz Needles and discussed Batts. I gave a tip of the month in the newsletter. We had a UFO Challenge where many members finished a quilt or more. We made 3D Pinwheel Table Runner and a 3D Dresden Plates. I introduced the pinwheel block that when cut in 3 equal parts you can rearrange into a Churn dash, Friendship star, Spinning Star, Arrows and 4 patch stars and more. We are doing a Row by Row Christmas quilt.

Budget was \$600.00, I spent \$120.00 on prizes and \$265.00 on copies. I have about \$215.00 left in the budget.

Thank you Janet Melanson

Super Saturday May 11th LAST ONE!!

Here is the supply list that you can get ready early .

For the Star Quilt you will need 75, 5 inch squares or 2 charm packs.

Star Fabric 1/2 yard - cut into five - 5 inch squares and forty -3 inch squares

Border Fabric 1 1/4 yards if you do not want to piece it, or 2/3 yards

Optional 2nd Border 1 1/2 or 2 yards

binding 1/2 yard. Size is 41 x 50 or bigger with 2nd Border

Thanks Janet M

Quilt Show

Full report will be in June's Newsletter Betty

Quilting at Riverside Court

We continue to complete a couple of quilts each month. There are four sessions remaining and the upcoming dates are listed below. I will bring the signup sheet to the May 6th meeting. Gail Lawrence, Charlotte Cook and Gaynelle Sharkey are signed up for May 7th. Charlotte Cook, Ellen Kee, and Crystal Brown have signed up for May 21st. There are no sign ups for June at the moment.

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.

Riverside Quilting 2018/19 Year-end Report

Twenty quilts will be completed by June 2019. Members volunteered to assist residents on a bi-weekly basis to complete lap-sized quilts for the Community Quilt's committee chaired by Kathy Boone. Her committee put together kits that consisted of tops, backings, battings and bindings during the summer of 2018. These were then delivered to Trisha Robinson who arranged for volunteers and the schedule for tying/quilting of each kit.

At the end of each session, we were invited to stay for coffee/tea and cookies and socialize with the residents. This is a beneficial event for both the Guild and Riverside by providing a productive activity for the participating Riverside residents and completed quilts for distribution by the Community Quilts committee to Woodstock Community residents in need (i.e. Fire, illness, etc.)

Thank you to all those Guild members who have assisted with this task.....Jean Cummings, Jackie Walker, Maxine O'Donnell, Charlotte Cook, Crystal Brown, Gail Lawrence, Kim Reeleder, Ellen Kee, Susan Linkletter, Kathy Boone, Joan Prosser, Judy Jackson, Gaynelle Sharkey, Janet Nichols, Betty Butler, Doris Barrie, Shirley Dunphy and Suzanne Hunter.

T. Robinson

Library Report

Three new books and one pattern were presented at the April meeting. They were "**The Splendid Sampler 2**" by Pat Sloan and Jane Davidson, "**Text**

It" by Sherri Noel and "**Free Spirit Block Party**" by Free Spirit. The new pattern is called "**Stars, Stripes and Diamonds**" by Rob Appell.

The complete and updated list of library books is on our website which is pretty handy if you are looking for a specific title.

This month nine books were borrowed and we have **15**overdue. Please make arrangements to return them. If you can't attend in May perhaps a neighbour or friend can help you out.

That's it for new books this term, I have successfully spent the entire budget :)

See you in May,
Ann Grant

Library Annual Report 2018-2019

This past term for the library saw lots of interest from most of the guild members. Many books were loaned out and for the most part returned on time.

The budget this year was \$600 and I spent a total of \$603.31. For that amount we got one magazine subscription , eighteen books and several new patterns. We also received several new patterns and books through donations.

The list of new purchases are as follows;

Quilters Connection Magazine

Sleigh Bells

Animal Quilts

The Textile Artist, the Art of Felting and Silk Ribbon Embroidery

Tula Pink's City Sampler

Modern Quilts Block by Block

Quilted Bags,Throws and Accessories

Sew a Modern Halloween

Merry Makers

Jelly Roll Bargello

Quilts in Ireland

Quilts in Morocco

Picking Pumpkins
It's Sew Emma
Christmas Figs Block of the Month
Geese Migrations
The Splendid Sampler 2
Text It
Free Spirit Block Party
Rhombus Dance Pattern
Checkered Dresden Pattern
Nine-Patch on Point Pattern
Tea Time Placemat Pattern
Dahlia Placemat Pattern
Poinsettia Table Topper Pattern
Flipping the Waves Pattern
Fish Tails Pattern
Stars, Stripes and Diamonds Pattern.
The website has been updated with all the new purchases for the year.
Submitted by Ann Grant

Sunshine Report

I sent a "thinking of you " card and flowers to Nadine Bolton, and a sympathy card to her family.

Sunshine Year end report

Sent 3 get well,11 sympathy and 3 thinking of you cards. Spent \$90.55

Linda M

Instructors

I am investigating bringing an instructor to come for a 3D quilt block quilt. The possible date is December 7th. He is also looking for other quilt guilds along his route from Ontario to share the cost. We will probably put him up in the motel and pay for it as well as a couple meals.

I have posted a note on Facebook to see if there is any interest and there are 20 or more members interested.

If you are interested and do not have Facebook please let me know.

This is a sample of the blocks:



Year end instructors

Nov 30 and Dec 1 2018

We had Sherida Gibbons in to teach us Desert Sky paper piecing the Judy Neimyer way.

Sherida is from Ottawa and Grand falls and Keswisk shared the cost of travel.

She put on a trunk show that was amazing. So many beautiful quilts and other quilted items .

39 members signed up at \$25.00 = 975.00 income

Travel and Class fee \$1174.80 expense

Cost to the Guild is \$199.80

The workshop was well received and many thanks for bringing Sherida to us.

Ellen

Retreat annual report

Retreat was a total success this year. Most arrived at the Villa Madonna around 11 am Thursday Oct 17 and left Sunday after lunch. We had 34 retreaters for the whole time. We had 2 ladies that had to leave early and 4 that came after lunch. 2 ladies arrived Friday. That makes a total of 40 retreaters!!

We had Massage Therapists Susan Jackson and two of her associates massage 16 of us. Janet Melanson showed us how to make the cutest fabric baskets and everyone was excited because of how easy they were.

There were prizes given out Friday, and Saturday everyone received a triangle bag. We played a dice game Saturday night and we all had a hoot! We had a group picture taken. There had been some challenge fabric given out before retreat. We showed off what we made from that fabric. Diane Scott was voted the winner and Lucille Kearney was voted runner up. Grand prize was a quilt book and charm pack and second prize was a calendar donated from Holly (Lofty Stitches).

We had show and tell Saturday night. Barb L gave a very personal devotional service for us. We collected a tip for the staff and presented them with a thank you card signed by all and \$500 in cash. We paid \$90 for the rooms for massages (\$75 paid by them and \$15 by hostess). Including that we paid the Villa \$12,056.00.

Janet W and Diane S

Registrar's Annual Report 2018-2019

September 2018: We had 74 members sign the attendance sheet including 10 new members.

October 2018: We had 63 members sign the attendance sheet including 3 new members.

November 2018: We had 59 members sign the attendance sheet including 3 new members.

December 2018: We had 56 members sign the attendance sheet.

January 2019: We had 56 members sign the attendance sheet.

February 2019: We had 42 members sign the attendance sheet.

March 2019: We had members 45 sign the attendance sheet.

April 2019: We had 37 members sign the attendance sheet including 1 new member.

Throughout the year we had 17 new members, 3 returning members from previous years, 14 members that did not return from 2017-2018 and sadly 1 death – for a total of 103 paid members for the 2018-2019 year.

Respectively submitted by Colleen McKee

Community Quilts

This month (March) we have given out 3 quilts to a family burned out. We had a very successful quilting day at St. James United Church. There was a great turnout & we got 3 double & one queen (for the Food Bank) done. Two more were taken home to be worked on. Thank you so much, to those who attended, for all the help given. We now have lots of quilts for all areas. There are a few kits to give out - requests from donors to have quilted rather than tied. We will try to get these out at the Annual meeting to be done over the summer.

Sincerely, Community Quilt Committee

Community Quilts Year End Report:

Since May 2018 the committee has given out a total of 32 quilts which included 13 baby quilts to the URVH; 2-3 sets to victims of fires; 2 to the St. John Hostel as well as our usual requests.

We have had two quilting days to complete some larger quilts. Thank you to all who attended. On hand as of the end of April we have 38 quilts : 4 double/ queen sized, 8 lady's lap quilts, 8 man's lap quilts, 5 child's lap quilts, and 13 baby quilts.

Our committee (consisting of Joyce Richard, Georgina Cantrill and myself, Kathy Boone) took over from Gail Lawrence in June, 2018. Thanks to Gail for doing such a fine job. It took three of us to replace her & then we could have used more people!

Last summer we decided to create all the kits for the Riverside Court project at once..that is two quilt kits each month from September to June. This program is under the guidance of Trisha Robinson.

Thank you to all who lent assistance in helping seniors to tie quilts. The seniors certainly seemed to enjoy the activity & fellowship plus the satisfaction of helping their community. The quilts are tied by the

seniors then taken home by one of the volunteers to be bound & given to the comfort quilt committee at the next meeting.

We also have a series of quilts made for the Valley Food Bank. For those who don't know the story behind this project...I, myself, volunteer at the Food Bank each week. Two years ago, a mysterious box appeared on their doorstep. In it were all these painted blocks plus a couple of finished quilt tops. Nobody recognised what a find this was (looked like someone's life's work) and were going to throw them out!! Luckily, I was working that day & rescued them. Since then I've put them together into quilt tops & with the help of members of our guild have produce (so far) 18 quilts to be raffled off.

They are usually raffled off in groups of 2-3 as are mainly lap/twin size. They have on hand 5 more quilts. This year they have raised over \$1,000 so far. There is another raffle started this week.

I have completed one to show at the Quilt Show. That leaves 7 left to complete - one queen, one double, a lap quilt and 4 twin sized. Thanks to all who have helped complete quilts.

The money goes towards buying food staples for those in need.

Finances :- We started with a budget of \$600. As of the end of April, we've spent \$418.91 leaving a balance of \$181.09. A great help was the "stash" donated by the family of Muriel Moorcroft, a member who passed away last year. We seriously depleted that source so may be more expensive to run next year. Just a head's up for those who will do the budget next year. Anyone who comes across a really really good sale of fabric over the summer, please keep us in mind.

The quilts are being stored at my house but requests can be made to any member of the committee. We require the name of the recipient (in case of duplicate requests) and person making the request.

We do not deliver so requester must pick out the quilt from us & deliver it.

Sincerely Submitted,

Mrs. Kathy Boone - member of the Comfort Quilt Committee

Refreshments

Coffee and tea was made at each meeting. As of now we have spent \$98.94 of my \$200 budget. Joyce Richard



As the quilting year draws to an end I would like to get as many bags as we can to the recipients before summer. Emptying the basement would be good as well. I still have many bags made and have received some material to make more. If you have any material/scrap not bagged please feel free to bring it along as well as any made bags. I will make this season's final deliveries at the end of June.

The season for 2018 - 2019 has been great for the cats. We have produced 165 beds to the end of April. Dun Roaming and the Debec shelters have received the beds. I hope we will be able to add to this number in the next two months and to continue with the donations in the next guild year. We are a very busy group considering the bags contain pieces too small to use anywhere else!! Have a wonderful summer and I look forward to collecting the bags again next year.

Terry Harcombe

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, but each set must be a different fabric. Only good quality fabric cut accurately.

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
Feb - Anything goes, any color
March - novelty - any color

Janet W swap hostess

Editorial Notes

Please Note Victoria's Theberge phone number is wrong in the directory. Her correct phone number is 277-1090

Fredericton Quilt Guild Show. May 10th, 10-6 pm and May 11th, 10-4 at the New Maryland Rec Centre. take New Maryland Highway to the Centre.

Maine Quilts is July 25-27, 2019 at the Augusta Civic Center
www.mainequilts.org

June 3rd is our next meeting at 7 pm POT LUCK!!!!

The end

