

## **Nine Patch News**



Woodstock Quilt Guild

**May 2020**

### **2019-20 Executive**

**President- Sandy Corey**

**Vice President - Kathy Boone**

**Past President- Janet Wright**

**Registrar - Trisha Robinson**

**Secretary - Georgina Cantrill**

**Treasurer- Kim Reeleder**

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

### **Committees:**

**Community Quilts - Kathy Boone, Georgina Cantrill**

**Fat Quarter Draw : Krystyn Davis**

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

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

**Refreshments: Suzanne Hunter**

**Sunshine: Linda McAfee**

**Photography: Dorothy Davis**

**Library: Ann Grant**

**Program: Doreen Antworth**

**Newsletter: Estelle Wilson**

**Booking Instructors: Ellen Armour**

**Retreat: Diane Scott & Janet W**

**Legacy - Suzanne Hunter but still OPEN**

**Super Saturday: Janet Melanson & Victoria Theberge(612-2225)\*NEW**

**Chairperson of Words: Jolene Clark**

**CQA Guild rep - Sandy Corey**

WQG has a new e-mail address. [woodstockquiltguild100@gmail.com](mailto:woodstockquiltguild100@gmail.com)

Make sure you are getting your messages.

### **AGENDA**

Call to Order  
Welcome  
Guests and new members  
Correspondence  
Approval of Agenda, as published in newsletter  
Approval of Minutes, as published in newsletter  
Business arising from the minutes  
Approval of treasurer should report, as published in the newsletter  
New Business - Nominating Committee  
Approval of committee reports, as published in newsletter  
Super Saturday  
Senior Quilting  
Library  
Instructors - Ellen Armour  
Upcoming events  
Marketplace  
Any other business  
Program  
Show and Tell  
Fabric Draw

**MEETING CANCELLED**

Adjournment

\* Break will be at 8:00 pm, unless announced otherwise

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**Zoom meeting May 4th at 7 pm, NORMAL Meeting time :) You can get there through this link <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/993017882>. This meeting is only 30 minutes long due to the zoom free restrictions. We all take a turn talking and doing show and tell. It was nice to have members that were not local at the April zoom meeting. This meeting will be run the same way. Try to set yourself up so you can show your "show and tell". Also we will be revealing our one block challenge, which has to be made but not quilted. I can't wait to see them.**

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**President's Message:**

This has been a strange time. Most of us have spent more quality time with our sewing room than we ever thought possible. Others have quietly gone to work as essential workers. And still others are working from home. When will this end? No one knows. Will we have a June meeting? Unlikely. Will we have a September meeting? Maybe, maybe not. It is unknowable.

So, until we can meet again, we need to keep in touch. Our worlds have shrunk to tiny versions of our pre-Covid lives. Please join the Zoom meeting so we can see each other.

Stay inside, stay safe, and save lives. **Sandy**

**The Nominating Committee** will be presenting Janet Wright as Vice President, and Diane Scott as Secretary. All other members of the executive have declared themselves willing to serve another year.

On the other hand, because we are all confined to our residences, I have yet to hear about committee chairs. I am requesting that every committee chair email myself sandycorey@gmail.com, Doreen Antworth d.antworth@hotmail.com, and Krystyn Davis kjdavis@live.ca with whether or not they wish to continue or not. As of now, the following committee chairs are open: Library, Program, Super Saturday, Fabric Draw, Refreshments, and Community Quilts. If you are interested in any of these positions, please let us know.

**Sandy Corey, Doreen Antworth, Krystyn Davis**

### **Registrar's Year End Report**

Due to the development of the COVID-19 Pandemic, the April and May meeting have been cancelled. Janet Wright has been able to offer virtual meeting formats through the use of internet technology (ZOOM). It is likely that the June meeting will also have to be offer in the same format.

Sadly, two of our octogenarians (Mary Dimock and Lois Morin) passed away in late March and early April. Our membership total stands at 105 members.

Membership budgeted for \$1,800.00 for the 2019-2020 quilting year. As of March, 2020, actual dollars collected for dues was \$1,957.08. The odd amount is due to the U.S. exchange differences for membership dues that were collected in U.S. dollars.

**Trisha Robinson**

Treasurer's Report for May Newsletter

**Submitted by Kim Reeleder**

<b>Balance March 30, 2020</b>			<b>\$ 11,966.80</b>
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Income:	FQ Draw	\$	-	
	Membership	\$	-	
Total Income			\$	-

Expenses:	Office	\$	43.05	
	FQ Draw	\$	89.54	
	Library	\$	192.30	
	Membership	\$	202.77	
	Refreshment	\$	21.85	
Total Expenses			\$	(549.51)

<b>Balance April 20, 2020</b>			<b>\$ 11,417.29</b>
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**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 selvages. Sub cut into eight 5" squares. Set one aside for yourself. Place 7 charms into a ziploc bag and place your name and the name of the swap in or on the bag. i.e. 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 - Purple

June - Orange and returned in September

**Janet W swap hostess**

## HOME

Don't forget to make and finish something that reminds you of HOME!! Due at June's meeting. We will have a viewer's choice vote and there will be prizes

Janet W



## Sunshine: (Year end Report)

I sent 3 Get well cards, 5 sympathy cards, 2 thinking of you cards and one thank you card to Darcy. My expenses were \$30.

I sent one Get well card in April to Lois Morin.

Linda

## Community Quilt Report:

Community Quilts:-

This year we have given out 19 quilts - none for this month. That really is not a lot so if anyone needs one please let me know (Kathy Boone).

As you have read there are 10 quilt kits with Trisha Robinson for the Riverside Court Quilters for the next year. They usually do two a month. There seems to be one missing from those done this year. Could the volunteers check to make sure you haven't taken one (#21-23) home & just not finished binding it. You can drop it off at my place anytime. Thanks.

In stock we have a total of 53 quilts - broken down as follows:-

Ladies Quilts - 13; Men's Quilts - 9; Children's - 11; Baby's - 15; Large (Double - Queen) - 5. They are all in bins so storage is no problem. We also have fabric & tops to make more kits/quilts.

Our budget this year was \$600.00 & we only spent \$115.40. We probably spent more but I keep losing slips. Oh, Well. We will need to invest in more material for backings.....if things ever get back to "normal".

As you can see, even if we can't meet this fall, there are still lots of quilts to give out. We are still looking for someone to take on this committee.

Sincerely submitted,  
Kathy Boone

### **Retreat**

**-October 1- 4, 2020 \*Special retreat\***

**-October 21- 24, 2021**

**-October 6- 9, 2022**

**-October 19 -22, 2023**

**Janet & Diane**

Next years retreat is Oct 1-4, 2020 and we will be bringing Sherida Giddings (Judy Neimeyer Certified Instructor) for the weekend. You may paper piece or not, up to you. There will be an additional cost of about \$30 that will be charged to all retreaters. We will take sign ups starting in May. Janet W & Diane S

### **Quilt Retreat Year End Report**

2019 Retreat was successful as always. Most people arrived around 11am on Thursday and departed Sunday after lunch. There was a total of 35 retreaters this year at \$305 each. Susan Jackson's Massage Therapists came again this year and 18 people had a relaxing massage. There were prizes again this year and we also played the Fat Quarter game Left Right Center. Nancy Colpitts had her shop Lansdowne Studio set up in the basement so fabric was readily available to purchase. Show and Tell was held on Saturday night. Barb L led a spiritual service assisted by Debby and Lucille. A tip was collected for the staff of \$560 which was presented on Sunday.

2020 Retreat is scheduled for 1-4 October. We are not taking names at the moment until we have more information regarding the availability of the Villa Madonna.

Thanks - Janet M and Diane S

### **May Library Report**

The final order of books for the library has arrived and I'm really hoping by June I will be able to share them with everyone! Fingers crossed!!

The list of new books are as follows;

**Acorn Cottage**

**Christmas at Buttermilk Basin**

**Sew Layer Cake Quilts & Gifts**

**Simple Patchwork**

**Sisterhood of Scraps: 12 Brilliant Quilts from 7 Fantastic Designers**

**Treasure Hunt: 13 Quilts Inspired by Antique Finds**

**Two, Four Six, Eight: Fat Quarter Quilts You'll Appreciate.**

I will be sending the revised list off to Marilyn so it will be updated by the end of this term.

Thank you to all who helped with the Library while I was away in February and March. Since I will be done in June I will be able to help anyone who wants to take over, it really is a fun and easy job. I will ensure everything is organized and ready for the next person.

**Thank you, Ann Grant**

### **Library Annual Report for 2019-2020**

This term for the library was busy with lots of interest in all the new books. Many books were borrowed and most were returned in a timely fashion.

The budget for this term was \$600. and I spent a total \$637.80 on 27 new books, 4 patterns and one magazine subscription. I was over budget a bit due to a higher exchange rate than anticipated converting USD to CAD.

The website with the complete list of books in the library will be updated as soon as is possible to reflect the final new purchases.

Submitted by,

**Ann Grant**

### **Cat Pillows: (Year-end Report)**

As the quilting year draws to an end I would like to thank all those who donated beds, material and pillow cases.

I still have many pillow cases ready to fill and some material to make more. We were able to donate over 150 bags again this year. Unfortunately I fear the next delivery won't happen until September.

From the cats - thank you. Stay well. **Terry**

June 2020

### **Refreshments Committee (Year end Report)**

Refreshments of tea and coffee were provided at each month's meeting. As of the end of April 2020, a total of \$104.19 of the budgeted \$200.00 was spent.

I wish to express a sincere thank you to all those who helped with the Christmas dinner!

Respectfully submitted by **Suzanne Hunter**

### WQG Instructors Report (May)

**UPDATE: cancelled due to Covid 19 virus guidelines**

**Rescheduled for September or October 2020**

I have asked Darcy Stewart Hunter to teach her birds on May 30th. At St Gertrudes at 9am to 3pm. Come early to set up. I think we can handle 20 people. I will need your money when you register by the May meeting as I need to let her know how many to plan for and I will have her bring all her patterns with her so that all are available to be purchased by anyone who wants them.

She has 4 birds available a chickadee, cardinal, blue jay, and a hummingbird. The cost is \$25.00, which includes the cost of the class, a pattern and a matting board. Other patterns are available for \$12.00 and the board is \$3.00.

If you are interested in her patterns and do not want to take the course please let me know so that she can bring them for you and prepay for them as well.

Unknown if this will happen, we are hoping that the virus guidelines allow gatherings of 10 or more.

Sherida Giddings will be here September 30, a Wednesday to teach the Judy Niemeyer paper piecing workshop.

The Cost of the workshop will be \$25.00 . The Workshop will be at St Gertrude's from 9am to 3pm (come early to set up). I will only be able to take 16 people so it will be a first come with money basis.

She will teach the basics of paper piecing for any Judy N patterns. You will need a 12" add a quarter inch ruler. She will bring them with her if you want to buy them the day of the workshop. She will also bring patterns that you can buy then. Please look them up on the internet for materials needed. The library has some patterns but you will need to buy the papers for the pattern. If you need more information please contact me at 276-1014 or ellenarmour63@yahoo.com or on Facebook.

I have someone to do appliqué some time in the fall.

Any suggestions for an instructor to come and teach us a technique? Would you like an appliqué workshop? A mystery guest with mystery project?

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### Instructors' Yearly Report

Bev Day joined us for Super Saturday and we gave her the profit as payment. Approximately \$60.00

Paul Leger joined us in August with 15 members \$360.00 was the balance income in August deposited in the current year.

### Program: May Report

Hi everyone your one block challenge is due for May. Janet Wright has taken on this with you folks doing video. Read her report it will tell you what to do. There will be a first, second and third placing. Also there is still four flower blocks to go for our provincial flowers. Haven't decided yet how I can do this but I'll let you all know. In June I'll pull a name from the bag for a year end thank you gift. Take care **Doreen**

### **Program (Year end Report)**

I have spent the year passing out flower blocks of Canadian provinces. (There is still 4 more to go) putting these blocks together will be up to you. Also I challenged you all to a one block challenge due in May quilted or not. Thank you all. **Doreen**

### **Riverside Quilting with the Seniors -Year End Report, 2020**

As mentioned in the April Nine Patch News, due to the Corona Virus pandemic, Riverside Court has closed its' doors to the public. Therefore, regrettably, I have postponed any further quilting sessions with the Seniors until further notice.

This means that that we were able to complete 14 quilts with the seniors and our volunteers before all this happened. It is hoped that we will be able to get back to these sessions in September, but that is a "wait and see" situation at the moment. I want to thank Kathy Boone and Georgina Cantrill for preparing the quilt kits that we used to quilt with the Seniors. We will have 10 quilts ready to begin the 2020/21 quilting season whenever it may start in the fall.

I thank all those members who have donated time to work with our seniors on quilts to date. I will be looking for volunteers in September, should the situation we are presently in improves.

Meanwhile, stay safe and stay home. Trisha R.

### **Fons & Porter Tips of the Month:**

- to test to be sure your marking pencil is removable, mark on the selvage of the fabric before your pre-wash. If the mark is gone after washing, you know the pencil is safe to use on the fabric.
- to clean permanent marker from the edge of your ruler, use a cotton ball dipped in rubbing alcohol.

To save time when preparing for workshops, make a permanent Class Kit. Put all the basics, essential tools or supplies into it. Just grab the kit when heading out to a workshop.

### **Super Saturday Report:**

In Sept 2019 we shared with Teachers and had Bev Day do Nutcracker wall Hanging



3 did own project \$15.00

Bal forward from last year \$72.45

7 did Nutcracker \$105.00 total \$120.00 less teacher \$60. bal \$60.00

-4.50 milk

-45.00 rent = \$10.50

\$82.45

Oct Thread Painting 5 members paid \$25.00

-1.44 milk

-45.00 rent = (21.44)

\$61.51

Nov Party Hat Quilt 23 signed up

only 10 showed \$50.00

- 21.16 copies

- 5.22 milk

-45.00 rent = (21.38) plus \$ 26.00 Pattern only = \$4.62

\$66.13

Dec nothing

Jan 2020 Scrap Quilt

15 signed up

11 showed \$55.00

-4.60 copies

-1.40 milk

-45.00 rent = \$4.00

\$70.13

Feb cancelled on Friday night Furnace broken Snowman Wall Hanging

\$3.22 copies = (3.22)

\$66.91

March cancelled Faux Log Cabin due to Covid 19

April cancelled Selvage Bag due to Covid 19

May cancelled Machine Quilting due to Covid 19

**Balance of \$66.91 will be forwarded to the next Super Saturday committee**

**Thank you Janet Melanson**

**We hope you support Super Saturday because we need a minimum of 10 members to break even each month.**

# **The end**