

Nine Patch News



Woodstock Quilt Guild

March, 2022

2021-22 Executive

President- Sandy Corey

Vice President - Janet Wright

Past President- Ellen Armour

Registrar - Trisha Robinson

Secretary - Diane Scott

Treasurer- Kim Reeleder

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

Committees:

Community Quilts: Susan Smith

Fat Quarter Draw: Krystyn Davis

Web Site: Marilyn Sarchfield & Jolene Clark

Phone Committee: Linda Markey & Terry Dickinson

Refreshments: Ann Grant

Sunshine: Linda McAfee

Photography: Dorothy Davis

Library: Ellen Armour

Program: Judy Boyd & Bev Ketch

Booking Instructors: Ellen Armour

Retreat: Diane Scott & Janet W

Legacy - Suzanne Hunter but still OPEN

Super Saturday: Nancy London

CQA Guild rep - Sandy Corey

Cat Bed donations - Jane Carlisle

WQG: e-mail address. 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
- Approval of committee reports, as published in newsletter
- Quilt Show- Registration, Tickets, Scheduler, Refreshments
- Super Saturday
- Senior's Quilting
- Library
- Retreat
- Instructors –
- Upcoming events
- Any other business
- Program
- Show and Tell
- Fabric Draw
- Adjournment

* Break will be at 8:00 pm. * * * * *

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President's Message'

So glad that Estelle has had her surgery and is feeling well! I regret that I will not be at the March meeting. I have been advised to not go to any public gatherings even if everyone is masked and has proof of being vaccinated. Sigh!! I sometimes wonder if I will lose my ability to be social. I will be with you all in spirit. Until I am allowed out in public, I miss you all. Sandy

Vice President's message

Dear Quilters,

Unfortunately our president Sandy is having some health issues that prevents her from attending meetings currently. Let's hope she bounces back quick.

We are having an in person meeting at St Gert's Hall March 7th at 7 pm. Please come with your mask. Proof of vaccination is not needed but I sure hope you did!! We are 2 months out from our quilt show so we will be highlighting the information on that at the meeting. Please have your verbal reports ready and keep them to the point. If we talk all night about reports we will not have time for show and tell. I am so excited to see everyone again!!

Janet W

Vice President

Instructors—

I will be getting Darcy Hunter to come and do her Birds soon. Watch for more information.
Ellen

Library—

Please remember to bring any books back that you might have from 6 months ago.
If there is a book you feel we need in our library please let me know.
I have some new books that I mentioned before to put out.
Ellen

Treasurer’s Report:

Treasurer's Report			
Submitted by Kim Reeleder			
Balance January 20, 2022			\$ 12,316.52
Income:			
	Membership	\$ 80.00	
	Quilt Show	\$ 75.00	
Total Income			\$ 155.00
Expenses:			
	Office	\$ 4.50	
Total Expenses			\$ (4.50)
Balance February 20, 2022			\$ 12,467.02

Retreat Dates; (Revised)

- October 6- 9, 2022
- October 19 -22, 2023 (looking for a new hostess)
- October 3-7, 2024
- October 2-6, 2025

Super Saturday Program:

Nothing to report.

Home Challenge

What seems like a decade ago, I issued a challenge called HOME. Make anything that reminds you of "HOME". We did have half a dozen people participate. Our quilt show is now being planned and the theme is HOME (surprise surprise!!)

So, the “Home” display at the quilt show is going to be very, very, small. So, to try to rectify that I am issuing another HOME challenge and calling it **X2 LOL**.

THE CHALLENGE: Make anything “quilty” that reminds you of home. Have the item completely finished for the MARCH meeting. They will be put on display at the meeting and members will vote on them. Prizes will be awarded 😊. Previous HOME items cannot be re-submitted.
Janet

5” charm swap - MARCH REPORT

I stopped the swap until we started getting together. I have Septembers ready to give back. We will finish out the year with the following and I will start again in the fall.

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 ziploc 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 (up to 3) within each section, but each set must be a different fabric. Only good quality fabric cut accurately. You may turn in the whole year at once if you wish also.

Sept – novelty – any color any print, lights to darks
March– yellow - all over color is yellow, prints allowed, lights to darks
April – orange - all over color is orange, prints allowed, lights to darks
May – Purple - all over color is purple, prints allowed, lights to darks
Sept – pastel - all over color is pastel, prints allowed, **lights only**
Oct – green - all over color is green, prints allowed, lights to darks
Nov – red - all over color is red, prints allowed, lights to darks
Dec – gray - all over color is gray, prints allowed, lights to darks

Thank you, Janet W.

March Sunshine Report:

I did not send any cards in February but will send a smile out to all.

“Quilters know all the angles”

“Quilters have pressing matters “

“A fat quarter is not a body part “

Linda McAfee

Registrar’s Report, March, 2022

Our membership now stands at 73 quilters with 3 more renewals in February.

Members wishing to pay their dues in February will be able to drop off membership dues (\$20.00, check or cash) in an envelope to Janet Wright at Don’s Pawn shop, 454 Main Street, or by e-transfer it to Janet. Last year’s membership cards and receipts, along with this year’s cards and receipts will be distributed to members at the next meeting whenever we are able to have it.

Just a reminder, anyone planning to exhibit in the 2022 Quilt show must be a member in good standing. This means the \$20.00 membership fee must be paid before being able to participate in the show.

Stay safe, wear your masks, wash your hands often, remember to distance and be kind to everybody and if you are not fully vaccinated, please do. You are not only protecting yourself but also those around you. Looking forward to seeing many of you at our “in person” March meeting....Trisha R.

Quilting at Riverside, March, 2022

We have been able to attend four times since September and have completed 4 small lap quilts with the assistance of participating seniors. Please consider volunteering at least once during the remaining quilting season.

If any member is interested in volunteering to quilt with the seniors at Riverside, please contact me, a.s.a.p. at trisha.robinson@bellaliant.net. or call me at 328-6878. **The dates for March are Tuesday, the 8th and 22nd.** At the moment, there are no volunteers from the membership for these dates. At least 2 to 3 additional people would be very helpful. **Please, please, consider giving an hour and half of your time for this worthwhile activity.** Now that we are at Level 1, we are allowed to volunteer at Riverside.

Volunteers need to come to the main dining room at 12:50 p.m. and work with the seniors until tea time which usually begins around 2:00 p.m. We usually finish around 2:30 p.m. or earlier and are not staying for tea and cookies due to the present covid situation.

Thank you for your help in making this activity possible for our seniors.

Trisha R.

FOR SALE

A wooden, locally crafted (in Nackawic) quilting frame is for sale. The quilt rolls on it so it doesn't take up as much space as a full size frame would. It is 95 inches (wide). Anyone interested or wanting more information or pictures, please contact: shelley.murray@gnb.ca

2022 Quilt Show

Your quilt show committee had a meeting at Ary Motor Center in Feb. The following was discussed:

Show dates April 29, 30, 2022

Ticket sales on raffle quilt were sold for 2 days at Sobeys. We are looking for volunteers for upcoming ticket sale dates. Please bring your tickets to the meeting that you have sold and give to Doreen Antworth. This is important as this is our major revenue generator.

Scheduler is Ellen Kees. She will have a sign up sheet at the meeting for volunteers

Advertising has started with emails and on Facebook. Physical flyers to start being put out at the first of April.

Pre-registration forms of your quilts will be sent out as a special email to members. It will also be put on our website. Please fill in and send to Susan Hayden as soon as possible. PLEASE NOTE

SUSAN HAS A NEW EMAIL ADDRESS

More racks are being made.

Hanging of quilts would like some more help. Even if you can come for an hour would be of help. We can use husbands or older kids to set up racks.

Vendors are contacted and we have 4 confirmed.

Refreshments - Two dozen cookies from each member needed, wrapped or bagged and dropped off with your quilts at registration

More info will be made at the meeting

Thank you

Janet W, Diane Scott and Janet M

Raffle Quilt

There are still LOTS of tickers for the raffle quilt that have not been picked up. We have 3 ½ months to sell these. You need to pick them up at Don's Pawn Shop on Main St. Woodstock. Every guild member is obligated to sell 5 books of tickets for the Raffle Quilt. Currently we have not had enough turned in to even pay for printing. Thank you – Diane S, Janet M and Janet W.

Program:

Judy and Bev will be teaching the Celtic Knot at our March meeting.

Prizes for this year's projects will be given out at June meeting. You still have time get them completed.



“HOME”

The Woodstock Quilt Guild is gearing up for its biennial Quilt Show. Due to Covid we had to postpone in 2021 and are looking forward to bringing our Quilting Friends and Family back together to celebrate “HOME”

What does “HOME” meant to you?

Is it curled up on the sofa with a good book and a cozy quilt made by someone you love? Is it sitting on the porch watching the quilts flutter on the line in the breeze? Perhaps it is tucking in the kids or grandkids with the quilt you slept with as a child.

Please join us, April 29 & 30th as we share with you what “HOME” means to each of us.

WHERE: AYR Motor Centre

WHEN: April 29 & APRIL 30

Please see our website for all details. Times, admission, listing of Quilting Vendors and for tickets on our 2022 Raffle quilt.

<https://woodstockquiltguild.weebly.com/>

Mystery Quilt: Conclusion

Cut 4 1/2" squares of one fabric or variety of fabric of same tone.

You will need 40 squares for table /Wall size

54 squares for lap size

84 squares for twin size

You are the designer!

Sew alternating pieced and square blocks (above) or create a unique pattern or color combination with your blocks. Add more if you wish.

The wall/table size will be 9 blocks \times 9 blocks

Lap: 9 blocks \times 12 blocks

Twin: 13 blocks \times 13 blocks

Add borders if you desire.

There will be some samples put on the guild Facebook page



Judy Boyd's example of her layout possibility.....

Proposed Changes to the WQG Constitution

IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ

Current Constitution – Updated and signed June, 2018

ARTICLE II: Aims and Objectives

1. To provide a forum for quilters to meet, exchange ideas and develop technical skills and artistic expression.
2. To organize workshops and seminars on quilting and related activities.

ARTICLE III: Membership

Members in good standing pay the membership fee set at the annual meeting.

PROPOSED CHANGES:

Please see all that is bold as new additions.

ARTICLE II: Aims and Objectives

1. **To foster a fellowship**, providing a forum for quilters to meet, exchange ideas and develop technical skills and artistic expression.
2. To organize workshops and seminars on quilting and related activities.
3. **Using Quilting, to respond to the needs of the community, and promote the art of quilting.**

ARTICLE III: Definitions

Member in Good Standing: a member who has paid the annual membership fee, as set at the annual meeting and complies with Aims and Objectives of WQG.

Lifetime Member: a member who, at the discretion of the Executive Committee, is deemed deserving of special recognition. A Lifetime Member is entitled to all privileges of membership and is not required to pay annual fee.

Membership Year: The membership year shall be from September Meeting until August 30 of the following year.

ARTICLE IV: Terms of Membership

1. WQG shall classify its membership, as defined in Article III.
2. Every member shall uphold this Constitution.
3. Each member shall conduct themselves with decorum and display respect for fellow WQG Members.
4. A Member in Good standing is entitled to the following privileges:
 - a. Vote on any matter brought to the WQG membership
 - b. Hold any office on the Executive Committee
 - c. Receive any benefit conferred on WQG members as a whole; and

- d. Enter work in any show sponsored by the WQG, following all registration requirements.
5. The Executive Committee shall be empowered to remove the privilege of membership from any member who in the determination of the Executive Committee fails to uphold the WQG's Constitution, provided that the member is granted the opportunity to be heard.

With the addition of this ARTICLE, I propose that all remaining Articles be renumbered.

Jolene Clark
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Quilting Tip: Moisturize your self-healing cutting mat.

- **WASH:** Fill your bathtub with room temperature water. This is important - not cold, hot or even warm.
- **ADD CLEANSER:** Pour the following into the water: $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of white vinegar and a quick squirt of dish soap for lather
- **SCRUB:** Use a soft bristle brush to gently scrub your cutting mat. Work up a healthy lather—remember to be gentle.
- **RINCE:** Use cold water to rinse your mat. Remember to make sure you get all the soapy residue off your mat before drying.
- **DRY:** Your options: a) use a cotton towel or: b) let it air dry. Either way, keep your mat out of direct sunlight and lay it flat when drying and storing to avoid warping.

Introducing Buttermilk Creek Quilts Located in Florenceville-Bristol

For as long as I can remember, I've dreamed of owning a little shop. When I was younger, it was a quaint small-town nook like The Owl Bookstore which I remember so fondly. Later, as an adult, my dream business morphed into a cozy little quilt shop. I even had the perfect heritage building in mind- one I drove by every day for the last 17 years.

Though we are starting small and in our own home, my dream is coming true, quilty friends! We opened our virtual doors in November and aspire to provide a great selection of high-quality fabrics from top brands with small-town personalized customer service.

With restrictions easing, we are excited to announce that in-person shopping by appointment will begin on Tuesday, March 1st! Appointments can be scheduled by calling 392-0912. Contact-free pick-up will continue to be available 6 days a week.

Visit our Facebook page to peruse our current selection and be informed of new arrivals. Though we are definitely a small shop, we are adding more stock regularly.

We currently carry an assortment of yardage from Riley Blake, Andover, Robert Kaufman, Timeless Treasures, and Dear Stella. Last week, a small shipment of Riley Blake precut 5" Stackers (charm packs) arrived.

Thank-you "sew" much for your patronage of our fledgling family business. We are very grateful.

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Shop Hours: by appointment
Tuesday-Friday 10-5
Saturday 10-2

