

Thanks to everyone who came out to the June Guild evening meeting. We acknowledge we are meeting on traditional Blackfoot Treaty 7 Territory.

Donna Kendall (President) welcomed everyone.

**Reminders:**

- Sue Secretan reminded us that she is currently the keeper of the orphan blocks. Please bring any of your orphan blocks to the September Guild meeting.
- For workshops – please see Val and Barb at the workshop table.
- Surface Arts Show at Helen Schuler Nature Centre

**Committee Reports:**

a. Community Quilts & Community Supply

Keeping our records up to date:

- there is a sign out/sign in sheet when you take out supplies for batting and backing. Enter your name, phone number and which size of batting and backing your removed from our inventory, and labels. Please put your name on the label so that we know who made the quilt. We're standardizing to 50x60" and 60x72" batting pieces.
  - When you check in with your completed quilt, come to the Community Quilts and note that your quilt is complete.
  - Check in with Lynn at Community Supply so that she can assign a number to the quilt label, your name and the size of the quilt. Lynn will also measure your quilt and provide a description of it for the guild records.
- 18 quilts received last month; 20 quilts donated to the hospital, 10 quilts to Coaldale. Lynn found that there are multiple contacts in the hospital for taking in donated quilts.

b. Retreats (Bonnie Boulton)

- At home retreat being organized for Nov 4 (3pm-10 pm) Nov 5 (9 am-10 pm), Nov 6 (10 am – 4pm) at CASA Community Room. Parking free at CASA
- Friday to Saturday – Fee \$50
- Saturday to Sunday – Fee \$50
- All three days – Fee \$55
- Supper catered Saturday evening
- Sleep away retreat – looking at Pincher Creek, Crowsnest Pass or Mountain View (stay tuned)

c. Bylaws and Library (Connie Chaplin)

- We plan to review the bylaws over the summer and have a draft ready for September. The draft revised bylaws will go to the Guild Executive and then to the members for comments and feedback in the fall.

- Library – Plan A
  - The books will be sold to the members, some books offered for silent auction, and we're working on a minimum price for books
  - There will be one meeting set aside to sell all the books.
- d. Other items – Raymond Quilt Show
  - They are looking for any ethnic quilts – if you have any that you could contribute for display, please contact Cherilyn Jorgensen.

### **PROGRAM – Judy Barnett**

- Make your “I found a Quilted Heart” and walk around and hang them in public areas
- September – Connie will have a presentation on the hanging of the quilts at the Vancouver CQA show
- Christmas – perhaps we could have a seat sale to sell stuff
- Quilt room tours – take some pictures of your sewing room and email to Sue Nagy. We all love seeing each other's sewing rooms!!
- Judy presented the short video from Heirloom Creations.net on the one yard batik exchange! Please make something from your Batik exchange for the September meeting.
- Feature: Chicken Feed Quilts. In addition to providing us with marvelous items for sale at the meeting, they also featured many of the quilts made from Sunday Best Quilt Book and other patterns and the fabrics which they have available in their store. One of the projects was a table runner using the Cats Cradle Creative Grid Ruler; Popsicle Runner; and other beautiful table runners, and pillows!
- We were in awe – thank you ladies!!

### **PRIZE DRAWS:**

- Prizes were purchased from Sewing Lane
- Door prize: 6.5 x 12.5” ruler and Silk Clover pins – winner: Maie Wills
- Loonie Draws:
  - 80/12 Schmetz Needles & Rotary Cutter Blades – Sharon Selwyn
  - Mini Stash & Store, and Jumbo Bobbin Saver – Susan Caruso
  - Magnetic Pin Cushion, and 90/14 Schmetz Topstitch needles – Pat Panchmatia.

### **SHOW & SHARE**

- Again such a beautiful array of quilting projects! Again I hope I have recorded all the participants correctly.
  1. Dolores Schilling – beautiful flue stars quilt
  2. Maie Wills – Lovely green/magenta pieced quilt

3. Lia Britton – 8 projects: Bag; traditional quilt and hand embroidered blocks; matching lap quilts, trailer quilt featuring vehicles/campers; sew day panel/quilt; trailer camping quilt in reds, teals and white; traditional quilt, and a groom's quilt – fishing theme.
4. Trudy Walker – lap quilt in reds/creams and a table runner from a kit
5. (sorry I did not get the name) – Habitat Quilt – quilted by Maie Wills
6. Janet Alexander – brought a number of beautiful quilt projects!!
7. Liz Pinches – Covid Quilt – row by row
8. Donna Kendall – One Block Wonders for Priddis/Millarville fair fundraiser quilt.
9. Marilyn Squires – Jelly Rolls used in a link block pattern quilt
10. Kay Henke – Bright blocks – for wedding present
11. Barb Graham – Quilt featuring greens and charcoal color combination (quilted by Deb at Fabric Fusion)
12. Sue Nagy – Two baby Quilts (got to use her walking foot on her machine)!
13. Willie Schaupmeyer – Made a 4 pint stars and strips quilt from video – bright and cheery!

Thanks everyone for bringing your quilts to show and share.

Next Quilt Meeting: September 27, 2022. Doors open approx. 6:30ish and meeting commences at 7:00 p.m. (Committee members set up at 6:00 p.m. please).