



Chilliwack PieceMakers Quilting Guild

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News from the Chilliwack PieceMakers Quilting Guild
September 2016

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome back everyone after our summer break. I am glad to be home again after spending most of the summer on the boat or entertaining 3 teenage grandchildren.

I am now making a determined effort to finish my Mystery quilt so it can hang in the show. Why did I choose a 60" circle? Karlie is hoping to hang a group of Mystery quilts together so please try and finish yours.

Please make sure you read about the Quilt Show, Karlie needs your entries ASAP, remember no quilts, no show!!!! At the meeting we will be looking for volunteers to man the Show, I expect **every member** to volunteer in some capacity.

Congratulations to Ursula who was first to finish her Row by Row at Hamels and received a double prize of fat quarters. I saw her quilt hanging in Hamels and it is beautiful. We are blessed with such talented members.

Unfortunately I missed the June meeting so did not mention the "Pink Quilt". Please check out the We Care page on the web site and you will see the picture

of the excited recipients, the Breast Cancer Survivor Dragon Boat Team, who are going to hold a raffle next summer to raise funds for breast cancer.

Shirley has submitted a suggested budget for 2016 to 2017 so please take a minute to review it as we have to vote on it at our September meeting.

I am looking forward to our meeting and hearing the talk about sewing machines from Shelley and Bernie Tobisch.

See you there

Janet

MEMBERSHIP - REGISTRATION

A reminder for this first meeting that your membership is due for renewal, the cost will remain the same as last year at \$30.00.

If you are writing a cheque please make it payable to the Chilliwack PieceMakers Quilt Guild, also please include your membership number in the memo section on the cheque. If you are paying by cash please place the money in an envelope or baggie with your name and membership number included.

As always you will want to sign-in with a check mark by your name, this will give you an entry into the door prizes from Hamels and Countryfolk.

If you would like to add a little bling to your name badge, guild pins are available at the registration desk, cost is \$5.00.

As returning members if you have friends who are becoming first time members in the guild please pass this information along to them.

Karlie, Karri, Carla



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By appointment only, please call or email me to book a check-in time.

New! Frequent Quilter Loyalty Program

see website for details

Raffle Quilt Ticket Sales at The 2016 Chilliwack Exhibition

Friday, August 5th 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

54 tickets sold

Saturday, August 6th 10:00 AM - 9:00

PM 62 tickets sold

Sunday August 7th 10:00 AM – 4:00PM

38 tickets sold

A very sincere 'Thank You' to all of the members who stepped up to sell tickets at this event.

Also an extra big Thank You to non-members who also helped with ticket sales: Ralph Churchill, Dalle Proft and Marie Dahl; your participation was greatly appreciated.

PROGRAM

September

Welcome back everyone! Summer seems to have abandoned us very quickly this year. Oh well I always say "rainy days are great for quilting". So I'm ready to stow away the beach towels and get back to my sewing machine and to guild meetings!

We have a great presentation scheduled for our **September** meeting to help us get our machines in tip top shape for sewing season. **Bernie & Shelley Tobisch** are sewing machine maintenance experts and will give their talk on how to keep our machines running smoothly, along with lots of great tips on tension, needles, threads and lots more. PLUS they manage to make a talk on machine maintenance funny and entertaining!

You can follow their blog at <http://berniefixessewingmachines.blogspot.ca/>

October

Looking ahead to **October** we have another great presentation in store. **Kathleen Riggins** will give a lecture and trunk show. Kathleen is a fabulous long arm quilter, teacher and blogger, from Edmonton. We were lucky to schedule her while she is in BC doing talks and workshops at several guilds across the province. You can read more about her at www.kathleenquilts.com

Kathleen will show us many of her beautiful quilts and share her quilting story. She loves the Q&A part best and encourages anyone to bring their quilt tops in and she will share her thoughts and tips on what quilting designs may work best for your quilt.

See you at the meetings!

Kate



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We Care Committee

Year End Report for period of September 2015 – August 2016

Quilts on hand – September 2015	44
Quilts made by Members	144
Quilts donated to our community recipients	138
Quilts currently on hand being held for Quilt Show Display	50

Recipients

• Agassiz – Community Services	7
• Agassiz – Cheam Village	10
• Agassiz – Logan Manor	10
• Chilliwack – Better Beginnings	13
• Chilliwack RCMP – Community Police Office <i>These quilts are distributed to victims of crime or trauma by the Citizens on Patrol , Patrol cars and Victims Services.</i>	29
• Chilliwack Hospital – Maternity Ward	20
• Chilliwack Cascade Hospice	39
• Fort McMurray	10

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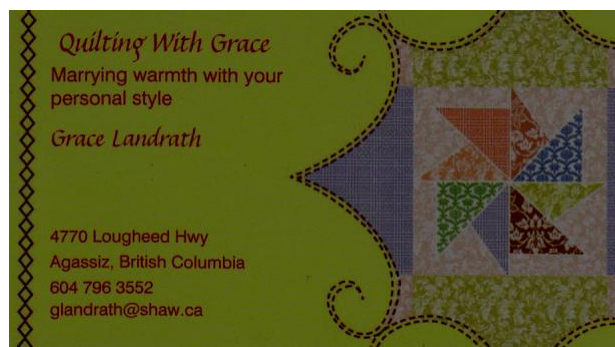
Wednesday, September 16 th	7 pm to 9 pm	Guild meeting	Cooke's Presbyterian
Thursday, October 1 st	7 pm to 8 30 pm	Executive meeting	Sardis Library
Wednesday, October 21 st	7 pm to 9 pm	Guild meeting	Cooke's Presbyterian
October 23-24, 2015			Alliance Church 8700 Young Road, Chilliwack BC

GUILD / BOUTIQUE TABLE

Just a reminder that our Sept 21 meeting will be the final date to make donations for the table.

Items you wish to sell on consignment need to be labelled with your full name, guild # and the price you want to sell for. These items must be brought to the Sept 21 meeting so that they can be relabelled without your name and set up for book keeping. 20% of the stated price for sold items will go to the guild.

Betty F.



GUILD EXECUTIVE MEMBERS 2016/2017

President	Janet S	We Care	Gail W, Susan W, Diane B, Leslie Z
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Library	Diane H, Naida F, Grace MacD, Cindy W	Bus Trips	VACANT
Blog Master	Norma H	Quilt Show	Wendy L, Karlie McC

Quilt Show Update

Reminders:

1. Take a poster to advertise the show if you know of a place in the community where it can be displayed.
2. Collect your tickets for the raffle quilt sales if you have not received them already.
3. Keep bringing in items for the boutique table and prepare your consignment items to be sold at the table (Sept 21 is the final date for this).

4. Send the info by email to chilliwackpiecemakers@gmail.com to enter your quilts for the show (final date for this is Sept 30)
5. Mystery quilts will need a small write up and your name on the label on the back.
6. Challenge quilts will not need a write up but we will need your name on a label on the back (covered) and the list of the three initials and corresponding words on a paper handed in at the meeting to Karlie or emailed to chilliwackpiecemakers@gmail.com
For example: K = keylime (colour)
A = arithmetic (image/theme)
M = modern (quilt technique/style)
7. Please be prepared to sign up on the volunteer chart for a job that will help make the show run smoothly.

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We would love it if more members contributed to the newsletter.

If you have something that you think that other members might enjoy – quilty stores/pictures/funny sayings/cartoon/pot-luck recipes/dates for an event - please email the information to Jane E (janeeck@telus.net)

The deadline is the Wednesday before the monthly meeting

PieceMaking in the Valley 2016

Item# _____

Quilt Title _____

Maker _____

Membership # _____

Size of Quilt _____

Method Used _____

Pattern by _____

Story/Comments _____

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