



Buckhorn Area Quilters' Guild



From our President:

Penny Showers

Spring is almost here, I can't wait. So far March hasn't been too bad; let's hope it doesn't go out like a lion.

It's time to get ready for Easter. My family gets together at my son's house. We have an egg hunt in their back yard. This year there will be 10 kids. I always go out with the kids to help them find the eggs; I really enjoy helping the kids! I guess rubber boots would be a good idea this year.

I hope you have at least been thinking about our Anniversary Guild Challenge; we need it for our June meeting. Mine's in the planning stage, how about you? They will be displayed at our Quilt Show.

Penny



From the Guild to you, Penny, we wish you a speedy recovery.



BAQG Executive 2017-2018

- President: Penny Showers
- Vice President: Sue Dundas
- Past President: Yetti Ireland
- Treasurer: Johanne Misener
- Membership: Chris Goedhuis
- Program Committee: Sue Sisson
- Library: Margaret Lawrence
- Sunshine: Sue Dundas
- Kitchen: Sue Devlin

Newsletter; Carol James



Our Wednesdays:

9 a.m.-12 at St Matthews Church, our membership gathers to quilt, knit, talk and encourage on another. Cost is \$3 donation for rent; please sign in. Please sign up for your Wed. Kitchen Turn.



QUILT SHOW Executive 2017-2018

- Chairperson: Maureen Pickett
- Treasurer: Yetti Ireland
- Feature Quilter: Cynthia Guerin & Ann Stoner
- Twoonie Draw: Kathy McAdam
- Boutique: Nan Ross
- Vendors: Chris Goedhuis
- Advertising: Johanna Genge
- Kitchen: Linda Black
- Volunteers: Joanne Misener
- Registration: Sue Sisson
- Youth Program: Yettie Ireland & Pat Clayton
- Setup & Take Down: Brenda Higgins & Loren Morrison



OUR LIBRARY NEWS:

Bring back your books and peruse our newest books, paper piecing, applique...



OUR KITCHEN NEWS:

Don't forget your snacks, or to sign up for the next month when you can bring your snacks.



Children's Course 2018

We have a need for two and a half inch strips, 100 percent good quality quilting cotton in bright colors or plain. If you feel you can help us, bring your donation to Yettie, please.

thanks Yettie and Pat



SEWING QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:

There are no Q & A this month, but a handy hint: for a no slip cutting ruler...line your straight edge of fabric to a no slip rubber shelf

¹<http://buckhornquiltersguild.com/>

liner, place your ruler on the shelf liner and the fabric on the correct ruler lines and rotary cut in ease.



OUR PROGRAM:

Program Highlights

The Program Committee is pleased to present the following for Spring 2018. Mark your calendars!

March 28 - Paul Leger Ottawa Modern Quilt Guild

Paul is also our Featured Quilt Artist at our Quilt Show.

April 24 - Al Cote workshop Lakehurst Hall

April 25 - Al Cote Trunk Show

May 30 - Sherri Hissey Border Creek Station

June 27 - Annual Luncheon and Mystery Quilter

Come out and share in the fun!

Sue Sisson



Thankyou, members of Program Committee, for your creative and informative agenda.



QUILT SHOW NEWS

Quilt Show Registration

Here are the categories for our 2018 Quilt Show...

*Bed Quilt - size 60-96" wide X 85-100" long

*Small Quilt - crib to lap size

*First Quilt - only one quilt allowed, your first, created in the last 3 years and not previously entered in our show.

*Wall Quilt - maximum 60" wide

*Home Decor

*Wearable Art

*Guild Challenge - maximum perimeter totalling 60". To commemorate our 30th Anniversary and must contain "pearl or pearl coloured fabric".

*Woolies - quilts any size featuring wool, felted wool

*Young At Heart - quilts, any size with playful, whimsical youthful spirit, not restricted to baby or children's quilts

Registration forms and instruction sheets will be handed out at the April and May meetings. Each entry requires a completed form and colour photo. We have planned a photo day - Wednesday June 6 at St Matthews Church for those unable to print a photo of their pieces. All entries must be submitted by the end of June 2018!

Thanks everyone,
Sue Sisson



Buckhorn Guild Retreat

And a great time was had by all! From Feb 21 - 23, 17 lucky women gathered at the Best Western Inn in Peterborough for a quilt retreat. It was a fun and very productive time. Some of us even got some exercise in! The food was great as was the companionship. Dennis and Pauline attended and some of us dropped a penny or two. There was a great deal of angst and laughter over 3 bags which were being built under the tutelage of Brenda Higgins,(there may be some patterns for sale at the show boutique.) Several quilts were constructed, some projects were completed, others started but it was a good time. Enough to say that what happens at retreat stays at retreat and if you would like to find out what happens at retreat, plan to attend next year from Feb 20 to 22. Stay tuned in the fall for information.



The best is last!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

There will be a new quilt shop in Bobcaygeon

March 31st 9 to 4

April 1st 10 to 2

THE BLUE HERON QUILTS SHOP

432 County Road 49,

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Annette Thistlewaite