

# Buckhorn Area Quilters' Guild May 2018

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From our President:

## **Penny Showers**

Hello everyone

I am so happy to see that the weather has finally blossomed. It is wonderful to shed the winter clothes.

I have been very busy quilting quilts for our members to ready for our September quilt show. I have seen some very beautiful pieces of work created by our talented members.

Don't forget to design and complete a piece for our 30th Anniversary Challenge. I have mine ready to quilt. It was a challenge and so much fun using my imagination, but I am pleased with the result, good luck to all.

Our luncheon is on June 27th at Lakehurst Hall. We are having it catered by the Lakefield Restaurant, Chicken Breast, Greek and Caesar Salad, Rice, Pita Bread and 2 cakes, I slab cake and 1 gluten free cake. The cost is \$16.00 per person. It must be paid by June 13th. Please bring your own dishes, mug and cutlery. Our mystery quilter will have a fantastic display of her beautiful quilts at our June luncheon.

I have been very honored serving as your president for the last 2 years, but also ready to pass along the reign to Susan Dundas for the next 2 years, best wishes Sue!

Have a wonderful summer Penny

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Next Meeting: Wed. May 30th

## BAQG Executive 2017-2018

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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

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## **Our Wednesdays:**

Newsletter; Carol James

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.

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#### **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

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#### **OUR LIBRARY NEWS:**

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

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## **OUR KITCHEN NEWS:**

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

In June our Luncheon will be held at Lakehurst Hall; meeting starts at 9 a.m.

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At the April Executive Meeting, the subject of associate members was raised. >> The executive has researched this option, in light of the fact that our membership has reached capacity; there is an extensive waiting list. Since this is a

quilt show year, we anticipate more interest because of it.

- >> We feel associate membership might suit some members who live a distance away, or who would like a lower level of involvement in the guild, freeing up a space for members who would like to become more active in executive, etc.
- > Associate membership would be offered only to current Full members, and only when our membership is at its maximum capacity of 100.
- >> The guidelines for associate membership would be as follows.
- >> An associate member would:
- >> not be able to hold an office
- >> not have voting or library privileges
- >> pay reduced membership fee (\$15.)
- >> receive the newsletters and a membership list
- >> be able to attend a workshop at a lower priority than regular members
- >> be able to attend one guild meeting a year, if more, would pay the guest fee (\$5.) >> be able to display one quilt in the Quilt Show

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>> This will be discussed at our May meeting.

Chris Goedhuis

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## **SEWING QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:**

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#### **OUR PROGRAM:**

#### **Program Highlights**

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

May 30 - Sherri Hissey Border Creek Station June 27 - Annual Luncheon and Mystery Quilter

Come out and share in the fun!

Sue Sisson

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

# **QUILT SHOW NEWS**

Our quilt show challenge is a 60 inch perimeter project with the colour pearl celebrating our 30 Buckhorn Quilt Guild Anniversary. They will be displayed at our June Luncheon.

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Haven't we had two wonderful meetings with Male Quilters...





Do not forget your tickets for our handmade quilt to raise funds for Charity...it would be a beautiful addition to any home.



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

- Naomi Wilson has a cutting table for \$65. It is eight feet long with collapsible legs...and extensions legs to make the table a comfortable height.
   Helen Minten has a Pine Quilting Frame with Maple Ratchets (purchased from
- 2) Helen Minten has a Pine Quilting Frame with Maple Ratchets (purchased from Evelyn Trimble, Fenlon Falls). It is FREE and may be picked up at her Peterborough home.