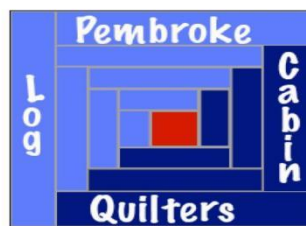


Log Cabin Bits'n Bytes

January 2024

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Meetings will be inhouse
except for January,
February and March which
will be hybrid.

Pembroke Log Cabin Quilters
Guild meets
3rd Tuesday of each month
(September - June)
Silver Threads Seniors Club of
Petawawa
1163 Victoria St. Petawawa
7:00 - 9:00
Social Hour 6:00

Next meeting: Jan 16, 2024

Meeting Check List

¥ Your smiling faces
¥ Your beverage of choice
¥ Show and Tell
¥ Questions and comments

Please turn cellphone sound off
during meeting

NOTE FROM LIBRARY

The library is looking for a book on Panels. there has been no card signed out and we cannot locate the book on the shelves. Please let librarians know if you have borrowed it. Please do not put back on the shelf.

President's Message

Happy New Year. I have to say I was on such a high driving home from December Guild meeting that I started to write my President Message that evening. We truly have an amazing membership. Your participation in the Show and Tell always blows me away. Such talent. The fact that you're willing to share in this way is fantastic. Making an effort to come to the meetings is commendable. For me, once it gets dark, I have to force myself to go out in the evenings, so I understand. The camaraderie during our social portion of our meeting is unprecedented. I've belonged to other guilds and I'm proud of how we operate. We share, we mingle and from my perspective, I see everyone getting along. Kudos to all of you!

Our December meeting was special in many ways. We had a Quilt of Valour presented to Robert Lacelle. Amy Taylor joined us to give Robert his quilt, truly a touching moment. And, doubly special, Rose Lacelle, Robert's spouse, made the quilt top.

We shared a potluck variety of appetizers and desserts. The table looked so full, but, in the end, there was very little left over. That must attest to the food selection hitting all of our tastebuds.

Thirdly, there was a "make and take" craft table set up for those of us who were so inclined. Funny thing, a few of us noticed that after we were fed it seemed like some of us were on the lazy side. LOL

So, all-in-all, I think our December meeting set the tone for another great year of quilting.

Thank you for your membership and participation!

Mary-Ann Vanner

Members' Requests and Promos

- ◆ Jenn Grahl is looking for scrap flannel to donate to her charity, "Days for Girls". Jenn makes menstrual kits for this organization and they are donated to third world countries. It does not matter what the colour is. Jenn dyes the fabric if it is too light. No animal prints, however, you can drop off any of these donations at Silver Threads and she can pick them up there.
- ◆ **Block of the month**-Each month a different colour combination will be specified. You can pick your favourite block, with an unfinished size of 12 1/2" .. Please measure to ensure some accuracy. The blocks will be accumulated over the months and combined to make up into quilt sizes 60" x 80". Please use the 2 colours specified for the month.
January: Purple and off white
- ◆ Dawna Steele will be doing a mystery quilt and supplies required are a jelly roll or 42 (2.5 inch strips)

Memberships, workshop, advertising and retreats payments

Our Guild season runs September - June, with a fee of \$30 payable on/before December 1st.

Our mailing lists will be updated at that time, non-members will no longer receive newsletters invitations to the in-house / zoom Guild meetings.

Membership dues can be paid in person at a Guild Meeting, a cheque... dropped off to our 'mail box' at Algonquin Sewing Centre or by e-transfer using the address of 'pembrokecabinquilt@gmail.com', please specify in the comments what you are paying for.

Upcoming Events

Harvest Quilts

Quilt Canada ..

Fri, May 3, 10 a.m - Sat, May 4, 4 p.m.

Entrance fee : \$8.00

An artful display of new and heritage quilts.

Featuring a Quilt Raffle, Merchant Mall,

Members Boutique

Bobcaygeon Curling Club

49 Mansfield Street,

Bobcaygeon, Ontario ...

Sat , Sept 7, 10 - 5 - Sun , Sept 9, 10 - 4

Entrance Fee : \$8.00

There will be vendors of yard goods, and sewing notions, a bustling marketplace

Quinte Curling Club

246 Bridge Street West, Belleville,

Quilt Canada travels to Edmonton ..

Get ready, make your reservations ..

June 19 - 22, 2024 ...

Common Threads Quilt Show

Fri, Jun 14 10-7 - Sat, Jun 15 10 - 6

Admission : \$10.

Earl Armstrong Arena

2020 Ogilvie Rd, Beacon Hill ..

Details of the show not yet published

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Guild Sew Day - January 27th/2024

***This is a change from our norm. Typically the Guild Sew Day is the 3rd saturday - A change in January because of a booking conflict.

Colour of the Month

Wow, what a success this campaign has been to date. Who knew Guild Members had such a colourful stash

A recap of the month/colours to date ...

September	Red and off white
October	Orange and off white
November	Blue and off white
December	Green and off white
January	Purple and off white ..

Did you forget to hand in a block? Missed a Guild Meeting? .. Not an issue ... all blocks, all colours being accepted. We have started to sew blocks together, with extra blocks left over. At the end we will combine 'left over' with the growing pile of blocks, **we're looking for help!**

1. The blocks have to be **sewn together**, for a finished size of 60 "x 80"- which means adding a small border, or sashing ... Faith has sewn together the red blocks, Sue has taken 2 (orange and blue). Be progressive - reserve a future colour!

2. The quilt sandwich has to be '**quilted**'. Batting and backing are supplied . Last year, 90% of the quilts were long armed by Faith - so this year, let's spread the load ... Dana Draper has stepped up to quilt a blue quilt top ... we need others! reserve a colour !

3. **Binding** .. can be finished by machine stitching - try a decorative stitch ...

Thank you for your contributions and your 'forthcoming' help!

Program/Workshops

REMINDER -Sew days require registering with Faith Van Dam and will be cancelled if there are less than 5 people registered.****

January 16 - In Person/Zoom meeting
Guest speaker is Beth from Quilters Barns & Gifts

Registration opens for the April 5-7 In-house Guild Retreat

January 27 (Sat) Sew Day at Silver Threads 9-3 Cost \$5
Please register with Faith by Monday, January 15

February 20 - In Person/Zoom meeting
Erin Harvey opens her Trunk and shows all
Program/Workshops cont'd

February 24 (Sat) Sew Day at Silver Threads, 9-3 Cost \$5
Please register with Faith by Monday February 19

FEBRUARY 29 (THURS) ---HAPPY LEAP YEAR --

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IF IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY, YOU'RE A 1/4 OF
YOUR AGE!

March 19 - In Person/Zoom
Carla Klop, designer - Showing us the marvels of EQ8

March 23 -(Sat) Sew Day at Silver Threads 9-3 Cost \$5
Please register with Faith by Monday, March 18

April 5, 6 and 7 - SPRING INHOUSE RETREAT Bookings open up at the January meeting.

PROGRAM WORKSHOP (Contd')

April 16 -(Tues) In person Guild Meeting
Speaker TBA

April 20 (Sat) Sew Day at Silver Threads 9-3 Cost \$5
Please register with Faith by Monday, April 15

May 21 - (Tues) Guild Meeting
Lisa and Cathy from Quilters' Curve will open their trunks, stay tuned for a great reveal

May 25 (Sat) Sew Day at Silver Threads 9-3, Cost \$5
Please register with Faith by Monday May 20

June 18 - (Tues) Guild Meeting - a wrap up for the year
Bert from Grantham Books - with his AWESOME selection of books

Bert from Grantham Books will be with us for the June Guild Meeting. My first encounter with Bert was at the Renfrew Quilt show with his awesome selection of quilting books ... Asking about Jelly Roll books, he directed me to one rack, for log cabin to another ... We've all paid \$10 for a single pattern, ..pay \$10 for a book that has several patterns. If you are interested in a specific book for your personal bookcase, drop the details to Faith (in writing).. Bert (if he can), could reserve the book for you. If you are interested in the Guild purchasing a book or increasing a specific topic for the library, chat with Joyce and/or Connie. Note to Faith : ... I need ... 'Free-Motion Quilting Made Easy' by Eva A Larkin, published by 'That Patchwork Place'..

EVENTS

As we welcome a New Year, we say Goodbye to the Fall / Christmas Crafts sales/shows. HOWEVER, just as the February blahs set in, we'll publish a list of upcoming Quilt Shows. I've already had notices delivered to my mailbox ... stay tuned. And in supporting our Guild members, if you are participating in a local event, drop a note.. we'll include the event in the calendar...

Mystery Quilt this season ...



Well, she's back!!!!

Dawna Steele is back this Quilting Season tempting us with a Jelly Roll Mystery. Keeping in character, she revealed little of the finished quilt design/size. Although prodded by audience members, she revealed no further details.

Do we have an Agatha Christie amongst us?!

Haven't started yet, there's still time to catch up ... read on

Jelly Roll (2 1/2" wide x wof (width of fabric))

From your J/R strips cut : 48 2 1/2" x 10 1/2"

48 2 1/2" x 8 1/2"

48 2 1/2" x 6 1/2"

48 2 1/2" x 4 1/2"

48 2 1/2" squares

your contrasting fabric ... 144 2 1/2" squares ..

November reveal ...

for each 10 1/2" jelly roll strip and sew a contrasting square,

a straight seam .. press towards the background

your strip should measure 12 1/2"

December ..

for each 8 1/2" jelly roll strip, sew a contrasting square and a jelly roll 2 1/2" square (in that order!) ..

press seams towards the contrasting colour

your strip should measure 12 1/2"

January .. an early release

for each 6 1/2" jelly roll strip, sew a contrasting square, add a 4 1/2" jelly roll strip

press seams towards the contrasting colour

your strip measures 12 1/2"

Use of Colours, a scrappy applique workshop with Kelly Schroeder

November 22 Workshop

Kelly Schroeder held a workshop that was using your large and smaller scraps of multiple colours and patterns. It was held at the Rankin Community Centre. Kelly arrived with kits for those that did not have one. I (Rose Lacelle) personally bought one. She brought some of everything for fusing, piecing etc. All participants chose different, wonderful patterns and had an absolutely fun day. Thank you Kelly.



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