

ADQG MAY 25, 2011 NEWSLETTER

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PROGRAM NEWS

Tonight's Shop of the Month - Donna Curtis of Heirloom Craft & Quilt, Stittsville.

June - We close the year with a wrap up party and delivery and judging of the challenges. The President's challenge is a 9 patch design and the Program Coordinators' challenge requires the hexagonal Grandmother's Garden pieces. Don't forget there are prizes for every entry in the Program challenge!

We also want to see any mystery quilts!

Early bird registration for the next Guild year will be available at the June meeting. Everyone who pays their \$20 fee at this time will be entered into a draw for a free membership.

Potluck

As in past years, we'll end the year with a potluck supper on Wednesday June 15. Note that this date is not the normal 4th Wednesday of the month.

Members whose last name start with L and M are requested to bring the desserts this time. If your last name starts with N to Z, please bring the "main course" - salads, hot food, vegetables, etc.

LIBRARY REMINDER

ALL books and magazines **must be returned** at the June meeting. Please don't forget those items next month.

EXECUTIVE NEWS

The Eastern Ontario Inter-Guild meeting was held at the RA Centre in Ottawa on Sat, May 7. Jeanie Vanderzon represented our Guild and joined 23 women from 16 Guilds and the CQA in a variety of discussions. The main focus was on insurance for Guilds, both at quilt shows and liability insurance for Guild Executives. A small committee was struck to start investigating the possibility of obtaining group rates and forming an umbrella organization

for this purpose. Their initial report is due in a month. The group also shared ideas for programs, challenges and speakers, both local and visiting. There will be another meeting in the fall for program coordinators of the local guilds. The notes from this meeting will be made available to the incoming Guild Executive.

LOCAL EVENTS

June 9 to 11: Quilter's shop Hop in Brockville, Kingston & Harrowsmith. Visit the Taylor Sewing Centre, Picket Fence Fabrics, Quilt and Stitch and Wilton Creek Fabrics. Discounts & prizes.

June 24 to 26: Vermont Quilt Festival -, Essex Junction, Vermont. www.vqf.org Admission is \$12.

Friday night offers a "Stitch and Pitch" event - take your hand work (and maybe your husband) to a covered seat at a baseball game!

Ottawa Valley tours is running a one day bus trip on Saturday June 25, picking up at Lincoln Heights Shopping Centre, Carling at Richmond Road in the west end of Ottawa. Price is \$85 which includes admission to the show. Call 613-723-5701 for details or to book a seat

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