

ADGQ April 25th, 2012 Newsletter

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Welcome Ladies to our April Meeting

For our meeting tonight, Patti Carey will be talking on how fabric is designed and printed.

Tomorrow, at the Glad Tidings Church on Baskin Drive, Patti will do a workshop on borders and bindings. The topics she will be covering are: Easy mitered borders, easy multiple borders, flanges, matching mitered corners, partial pieced borders, professional machine binding. The cost of the workshop is \$45.00. It will be from 9:00 to 4:00 It will be educational as well as a lot of fun!

A word from our president:

We have certainly had an eventful few months with lots more to come! First of all, a big thank you to everyone who participated in our Jelly Roll Race night as sewers or helpers or to those who donated strips. I think a great time was had by all and we really accomplished a lot that night.

Also, a big thank you to everyone who submitted a block for our quilt we will be donating to the town. The quilt top is looking very lovely and will be quilted and bound next.

We will be having our first preemie quilt work-bee Sunday April 29, 2012 at the library from 10-4. This will be an informal work-bee where we will come together to make some preemie quilts, have some fun and help each other if needed. I will have a sign-up sheet at the April meeting so that we can find out how many people are interested in attending.

We will be doing our block challenge a little differently this year and handing the kits out in May so that you can work on them over the summer and do our challenge in the fall.

Katrina

A message from our librarian, Joan Miller

I want to extend a Big Thank You to Marion Conger for donating 18 (yes 18) books and magazines to our Quilters Library.

These are a must see. As a teaser I have listed several titles.

Paper Piecing the Seasons by Liz Schwartz & Stephen Seifert

Batiks and Beyond by Laurie J. Shifrin

Colorful, Casual, & Comfy Quilts by Karen Bolesta

Several American Quilter Magazines.

President's Challenge:

Please remember to get going on your UFO's. They are due at our June meeting. We are asked to take a picture of our UFO at the stage it is at before we work on it. Then bring it finished to our June meeting and you could win a prize. Good Luck ladies.

Upcoming Events:

May 2012 These two shows are 15 to 20 minutes apart if you want to make a week-end getaway. In Hamilton there are some great quilting fabric stores as well.

Sentimental Reasons Quilt Show

presented by Oakville Quilters' Guild at Operating Engineers

May 3 - 5: Conference Centre Oakville, Ontario; 2245 Speers Road, Oakville ON

from 10am to 5pm each day. Enjoy the quilts made by members; check out the Merchants Mall, demonstrations showcasing tips, techniques and products; a bite to eat from Plum Catering. Banquet Hall is fully accessible. Admission: \$7.

Contact: Gayle Shermet 905-827-5836 gsherme at cogeco.ca oakvillequiltersguild2012.blogspot.com/

May 5 - 6

20th Anniversary Quilt Show

presented by Stoney Creek Quilters

Hamilton, Ontario

At St Gregory the Great (Slovian) Church 125 Centennial Parkway North, Hamilton, Ontario;

Sat 10-5pm and Sun 10-4pm. Quilt Draw, Vendors, Challenges, Charity Quilts, Boutique, Team Room. Lots of Parking. Admission: \$5 Children Free. Proceeds to our COP (Community Outreach Project).

Contact: Linda Arsenault/Debbie Kereliuk 905-512-4719 linsquilts at yahoo.ca

May 26-27

Once upon a quilt

presented by the Pembroke Log Cabin Quilters

at Petawawa Civic Centre, 16 Civic Centre Road, Petawawa Ontario;

Sat 10-5pm and Sun 10-4pm. Enjoy the Tea Room, Quilt Demonstrations, the Quilt Appraiser, the Merchant Mall, Door Prizes and the Quilt Raffle. Admission: \$5 each (children accompanied by an adult are free). Contact: Linda Spagnolo at 613-687-2947 or 1.spagnolo at sympatico.ca www.pembrokecabinquilters.com

Just to remind you of this event:

Quilt Canada 2012

May 29 - June 2, 2012, Halifax, Nova Scotia
Canadian Quilters' Association/Association
canadienne de la courtepointe

Classes and Events begin May 29, 2012
Merchant Mall & Quilt Shows begin May 30, 2012

The handbook is at:

<http://www.canadianquilter.com/events/quilt-canada-2012.php>

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We encourage you to send details of any upcoming events to Susan Watt at swatt1@sympatico.ca or phone 613-622-1067. Any member is welcome to post a "For Sale" or "Wanted" notice for quilting, fabric and fibre art items. Shops and individuals who sell quilting-related goods and services may buy small ads (1/8th page) for \$5.00 per month.

Don't forget your name tag and a coffee mug. If the weather is wet, please bring dry shoes to change into so we don't muddy the floor. Our rent does not include janitorial services.

If the weather is nasty, the Executive may decide to cancel the meeting and will call all members to inform them. Please ensure that Chris Gordon, the membership guru, has your current phone number(s).