

October 2016

Pieceful Pieces



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Halton Hills Quilters' Guild Newsletter 2016-2017

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We're on the Web: www.hhqg.ca

Meeting Location:
Hillcrest United Church
8958 Trafalgar Road, Halton Hills
4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

President's Message

Hi Everyone,

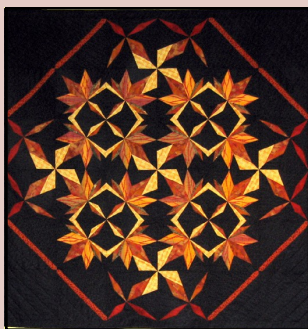
It was nice to see everyone at the Sept meeting. I enjoyed the speaker (Lorna McMahon) and thought her quilts were so cute.

It's great weather to spend some time in the sewing room and get those UFO & Christmas (Yes, Christmas already!!) projects done.

I'm working on a Grandmother's Flower Garden that I am English paper piecing and I hope to have it done for the Quilt Show. We will see!!

Just a note that I need someone to take over hosting the Sew & Chat Days. Whoever takes it over can change the day or location if they need to make it work for them.

Please remember to wear your name tags at the meetings (for me, LOL and the new members!).



Thanks,
Sue



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Treats for October 24

Judy Mair

&

Sheila Barrington



Raffle Quilt

Donna Thoms still needs fall batiks for the maple leaf and log cabin quilt she and Diane Evens are making. Fat quarters, linear quarters or large scraps will work.



Thanks,
Sue Luque

Sue needs someone to take over the Sew and Chat UFO Days beginning in December or January. Please see her at the meeting if you can do it.

**Things to Bring to the Next Meeting:
October 24, 2016**

- Name Tag
- Show and Share
- Library Books
- Items for the Freebie Table
- Fat Quarter Draw—
- Patience, understanding, fellowship and a sense of humour.



Quilt Show Spools

We are collecting empty thread spools for "Guess How Many Spools" jug for the Quilt Show. Please give them to Dodie Ryan at the Guild meetings.

Thanks,
Sue



October Programme

Our October meeting will feature a trunk show by **Joni Newman** of **Quirks and Quilts** who describes herself as a Quilter, Designer, Teacher, Camper, and Gardener. She loves to play with different quilting techniques from traditional pieced quilts, to her stained glass technique, to mixed media, and is always trying out new things. Having spent many summers visiting breathtaking regions in Ontario she tries to capture the beauty and spirit of these places in her designs. She has designed quilts for the Muskoka shop hop and the Ottawa Valley shop hop, and her Algonquin quilt was recently featured on the cover of Canadian Quilt magazine.

<http://www.quirksandquilts.com>



2016—2017 Programme

October 24: Joni Newman, Quirks and Quilts

November 28: Mary Dodd, Modern Quilt Techniques

January 23: Round Robin

February 27: Make It and Take It

March 27: Barn Quilts, Mary Godwin

April 24: TBA

May 29: TBA



Sew & Chat UFO Days

Trinity United Church, 70 Mill St. E., Acton
From: 9:30a.m. to 3:30pm

*the second Wednesday of the month:
Oct. & Nov.*

**Next: Wed. October 12
& Wed. November 16**

Irons, ironing boards and cutting boards are supplied.

Please bring your lunch and a \$5.00 donation to the church.

Sue Luque
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OCTOBER

BLOCK OF THE MONTH

HALTON HILLS QUILTER'S GUILD

TRENDY TURTLE

Used with permission from designer, Karen Dumont, Richmond, Virginia www.kariepatch.com

Background fabric: 8 "sq. (cream, white)

Shell: bright and colourful

Hat, feet & tail: coordinate with shell

Face: tan



Use your preferred method of applique.

Change shape of hat and embellish, if desired.

Add face with embroidery thread or a permanent laundry marker i.e. Sharpie Rub-A-Dub (test on your fabric first). Use stitching of your choice to attach the applique pieces – straight, blanket, etc.

If you have any questions, please get in touch.

Marg Brown

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brownme@sympatico.ca



Quilt Show October 2017

We need coordinators for: Publicity/Advertising
Road Signs
Raffle quilt ticket sales
Tea room coffee/tea/water
Tea Room sandwiches
Door prizes

I have broken some of the jobs down to make them more manageable.
Please help make this another great Quilt Show for HHQG.

Sue Luque

Stained Glass Workshop By:

Joni Newman of Quirksandquilts.com

Tuesday, October 25, 2016

9 am - 4 pm

*The location has been moved to **Trinity United Church in Acton**. Attendance is full at present with 11 people registered. The supplies list and pattern requirement will be sent out when received by me.*



Mary Merry

merrybrookfarm@gmail.com



On Sat, Oct 1st, MaryAnn Ellwood, Sue Phillips and myself spent the afternoon at the Milton Library letting people know about the HHQG. MaryAnn and Sue brought some of their wonderful quilts for display. We had many people come by to look at the quilts, watch us sewing and ask about the Guild. It was a very successful day.



Sue Luque





Silver Extravaganza Quilt Show

Oshawa, Ontario

DATE & TIME

Friday October 28 - Saturday October 29, 2016

Friday 10-6, Saturday 10-4

Member Boutique, Tea Room, Vendor Marketplace, Show Challenge, Youth Challenge

ADDRESS

General Sikorski Polish Veterans' Association Hall

1551 Stevenson Road North, Oshawa

ADMISSION

\$5.00 in advance or at the door

CONTACT INFO FOR DURHAM TRILLIUM QUILTERS' GUILD

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Ricky Tims upcoming workshop in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.

Stitches from the Heart Guild

We are hosting a 2-day lecture/workshop and concert with Ricky Tims April 7 & 8, 2017!

Ricky Tims is known in the international world of quilting as a best-selling author, enthusiastic and encouraging teacher, an award-winning quilter, fabric designer, and a talented and spellbinding speaker. His innovative and entertaining presentations, feature live music and humor combined with scholarly insights and wisdom. His quilts have been displayed worldwide and are highly regarded as excellent examples of contemporary quilts with traditional appeal.

Two days of lectures – three lectures per day

Lectures held at The Water Tower Inn

1 day of lectures – \$90 members / \$100 non-members

2 days of lectures – \$160 members / \$185 non-members

Lunch included each day

Music Concert Friday evening - Ricky is a pianist, composer, musician

and entertainer - to be held at Central United Church - cost \$20

The Water Tower Inn is offering rooms at \$109/night (mention this event to get the reduced rate)

To sign up or more information: www.SaultQuilts.com

Nicole Tull nmtull@me.com 705 575 1908

Ricky's Website: www.rickytims.com



HALTON HILLS QUILTERS' GUILD

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION - 2016—2017

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ POSTAL CODE: _____

TELEPHONE : Home: () _____ Work: () _____

E-MAIL: _____

Membership Dues: **\$40.00** for Renewing Member by August 31st. ____

\$45.00 New Member: ____ and renewing member after August 31st. ____

Paid by Cheque: _____ Paid by Cash: _____

I give my consent for my name & information to be listed on the membership list that will ONLY appear on the SECURE website. Yes____ No ____

May your name be included in the emailed membership list?

Yes ____ No ____

Volunteers run the guild so please think about contributing to something below. It's a great way to get to know fellow quilters, meet new people, learn how the guild is run and have fun.

Teach (Specify): _____

Executive _____ Refreshments _____

Future Quilt Show _____ Outreach _____

Telephone Committee _____ Other _____

Programme Suggestions: _____

General Suggestions: _____

Please send your membership dues and this form as soon as possible to:

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Cheques are to be made payable to Halton Hills Quilters' Guild.