



Next Meeting:

Tuesday October 9th, 2018

7:30-9:00pm, Doors open 6:30pm

Remember your membership card.
Guests Welcome! (\$5 admission)

Reminder. Please bring back any items you borrowed from the library.

Programme: Robbie Chapman, Quilts of Valour

Shop of the Month: Flair with Fabrics, Chesterville

Flair with Fabrics celebrated their 25th year in business this past August. Owner, Ruth Liscumb opened shop in 1993 originally on Industrial Drive and has moved twice since to the current location on 3 King Street, Chesterville. Ruth's shop primarily focuses on quilting. She carries beautiful Banyan Batiks and Northcott fabrics, a full range of quilting supplies, yarns, and knitting supplies. The shop is open 6 days a week

Fat Quarter: Pumpkins, etc.

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Thank you [Quilty Pleasures](#) for your ongoing Fat Quarter donations



WHAT TO BRING TO THE MEETING

Membership Card and Name Tag

\$\$ for the Shop-of-the-Month Basket Draws

Pumpkin themed Fat Quarter

Library Books and items

Panel Panache and Charity Quilts for Community Projects



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

LAURELLE CALLAGHAN

As I write, Thanksgiving is almost upon us. Every day I have much for which to be thankful, not the least of which is quilting. But let's be honest, when we say quilting, we are not saying just quilting as in putting a needle through three layers of fabric, we are saying QUILTING, with all its extended meanings—fabric shopping, pattern choices, creative storage solutions, retreats, workshops, guilds, quilt shows and most important our circle of friends. I can't even find words to express my thanks for the friendship, laughter, stress relief and creativity of what my son calls 'my quilt ladies'. Maybe at the next meeting, just take a moment to say 'thank you' to the person you are seated beside.

And speaking of seating, the new seating plan of round tables has been met with mixed opinions—all strong, both on the 'yes' and the 'no' side. The executive is not taking these opinions lightly, nor will a final decision be made without input from the membership. We will continue to monitor members' likes and dislikes both at meetings and as an executive. The executive meets the Thurs prior to the Guild meeting, should you ever want to send anything to the exec.

I hope everyone has had a chance to consider 'where' our meetings could be held in the future. Please send ideas to Vicki Ross ctqg.vicepresident@gmail.com or Cathy Gaudet ctqg.quilt.show@gmail.com. Access, cost, parking, storage, microphone/projector, kitchen, contract/no contract and space / size are some of the criteria being considered, but if you have anything to add, please do so. We expect the report from the ad hoc committee in Jan so that the membership can vote in February.

What about those volunteer sewing and admin hours? I hope you have been counting. If not, sit down with the calendar please and make some estimates. Last month we collected 137 cuddle quilts. (WOW). If each cuddle quilt averaged six hours of work from choosing fabric to sewing on the label, that would represent 822 hours! That is 34.25 days which is over a month of time given to a worthy cause. And I know that is just a beginning. What a caring guild we have. Remember, this month is the return of the quilts for the panel challenge (and your hours!)

Sailors would often be wished 'fair winds and following seas', as quilters I wish you great friends and straight seams' as we approach Thanksgiving.

Happy Quilting, Laurelle



PROGRAMME

GWENN BECK-POTTIER



Robbie Chapman, a representative from Quilts of Valour, will give a talk on this Charitable organization and give a trunk show of the quilts that they present.

Our mission is to ensure that injured Canadian Forces members are recognized for their service and commitment to our country. We give this support through the presentation of quilts to comfort our past and

present Canadian Forces members.

In 2014 Quilts of Valour - Canada established a Board of Directors to further its development and expansion. Quilts of Valour - Canada is directed by Mary Ewing in Ottawa, Ontario with a supporting Executive Staff. Quilts of Valour Representatives have grown across Canada. Quilt of Valour presentations have touched over 7000 injured CAF members and veterans. Our goal is to touch 10,000 injured CAF members and veterans with Quilts of Valour by 2018

[2018-19 Programme Line-up](#)

Please check out this year's line up of events and speakers on our website:

<http://commonthreadquiltguild.ca/guild-activities/meetings/>



BITS AND PIECES



Frayed Knots Quilting Group – Now open for new members

Opportunities to share time and ideas with kindred spirits, work on community projects, personal sew time, troubleshooting, shared activities or demos. We would love to have you come and join us.

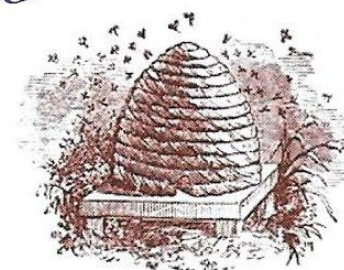
We meet Monday nights 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Blackburn Hamlet Community Centre, Glen Park Drive, Blackburn Hamlet (beside the arena) (no storage space is provided for supplies at this Centre)

Contact Maria Fleming (mefquilt@yahoo.com) or Janice Namiesniowski (cjnamski@gmail.com) if interested

The [Thousand Islands Quilters' Guild](#) is hosting [Kathy Wylie](#) at their October Guild Meeting on Thursday, October 25th, followed by a Workshop on Friday, October 26th. Kathy will be teaching "New Ways to Hexi using English Paper Piecing by machine. The cost is \$60 for Guild members and \$70 for non Guild members. If interested, please email Gloria Van Dusen at gloria_vandusen@sympatico.ca.

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Welcome to the CTQG Mystery Quilt Challenge.
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Follow the clues each month
and win prizes for the solution.
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link in the newsletter. There is
no need to sign up and you can
join in on the fun anytime.
Just click on the link in the
newsletter, print and follow
the instructions.

Don't worry if you miss a month
... all the clues will remain on
the website until the June
meeting.

Clue #2 is ready to go. Happy quilting!

<http://commonthreadquiltguild.ca/guild-activities/challenges/>



Canadian Quilters Association - Quilting Gone Viral

Canadian Quilters Association has announced a challenge and the Common Thread Quilt Guild will be participating. Check out the requirements in the attachment and get working on your submission. Each participating guild will submit one winner which will hang at Quilt Canada 2019 in Ottawa. The overall winner, chosen by People's Choice, will win \$100. Your completed project must be brought to Guild by our April 2019 Guild Meeting. All submissions will be judged by an independent panel. Good luck



*Canadian Quilters' Association /
Association canadienne de la courtepoin*

Quilt Canada, June 12 – 15, 2019

MEMBER GUILD CHALLENGE – “QUILTING GOES VIRAL”

The Canadian Quilters' Association/Association canadienne de la courtepoin is announcing a Member Guild Challenge. Only members of a CQA/ACC Member Guild may enter this challenge, which has the theme “**Quilting Goes Viral.**”

- All entries must follow the guidelines below. Each individual Member Guild may select **one winner only** from their Guild's membership, on or before April 30, 2019 for entry into this challenge.
- Guilds wishing to enter the Challenge must advise of their intent via email to Bonnie Rankin, rankinbon@gmail.com by Feb 1, 2019, so that space allocation can be arranged.
- All mini quilts must be received by May 15 - May 25, 2019 so they can be displayed at QC 2019, at the EY Centre in Ottawa. **Bonnie Rankin**, CQA/ACC Past President will receive the quilts at **235 Mojave Cres, Stittsville, ON., K2S 0H6. Tel: 613-435-0238 email: rankinbon@gmail.com**
- The winning quilt will be selected by Viewer's Choice during Quilt Canada 2019 and awarded a \$100 cash prize.
- All submitted quilts will remain in the possession of the CQA for approx. 11 months and will be returned to the owner/maker prior to Quilt Canada June 2020, in Edmonton.
- The CQA/ACC plans to take these quilts, as part of a travelling show, across Canada. Our Regional Reps and/or Board members will take the quilts to Guilds in their area to share the talents of our members.

The Challenge:

- **The Theme:** “Quilting Goes Viral.”
- Please use **Pantone, colour #18**, Ultraviolet (the 2018 Colour of the year), or the equivalent **KONA** colour, Bright **Periwinkle**, along with up to two (2) additional colours on the face of your quilt
- The quilt perimeter is to be **no larger than 72 inches**.
- Each quilt must be finished with either binding, facings or enveloped pillow case style.
- Please ensure that there is a **hanging sleeve**, at least 3 inches wide, for display purpose.
- All quilts must have a **label** with the Quilt name and Quilter's name visible on it.
- Please enclose the **Guild Entry Form** when your quilt is shipped.

We look forward to your entry and thank you for your participation. Please send some photos of some of your Guild entries for posting on our Social Media sites. Most of all, have fun!

Heather Black, President CQA/ACC 2018/19



Guild Retreats 2018-19

Fall (Full / Wait-listed)

October 19-21 or October 26-28, 2018

Winter (choose one)

January 18-20 or January 25-27, 2019

Registrations for the WINTER intown retreats will be accepted starting in November at the Guild meeting and online.

Spring (choose one)

April 26-28 or May 3-5

Registrations for the SPRING intown retreats will be accepted starting in February at the Guild meeting and online.

If space allows Guild members may be able to sign up for a second retreat 1 week prior to retreat dates, please send email to: ctgg.retreats@gmail.com to check availability.

If space allows non-members may sign up for a retreat 1 week prior to retreat dates, please send email to: ctgg.retreats@gmail.com to check availability.

Paula Patterson and Wendy White

How to Register:

- 1) Online: <http://commonthreadquiltguild.ca/guild-activities/retreats/>
- 2) At Guild meetings
- 3) By email: ctgg.retreats@gmail.com

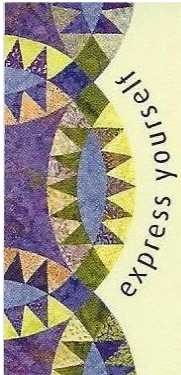
Location: Notre-Dame des- Champs Community Centre , 3659 Navan Road, Navan, K4B 1H9.

Hours:

Friday 10:00—9:00 pm;
Saturday 9:00—9:00 pm; and
Sunday 9:00—4:00 pm.

Cost—includes meals: \$80 for guild members, \$95 for non-members.

All participants are asked to help with set-up and take down as well as help with one meal serving or clean-up. A sign-up list will be available at the retreat for signing up for meals prep or clean-up.



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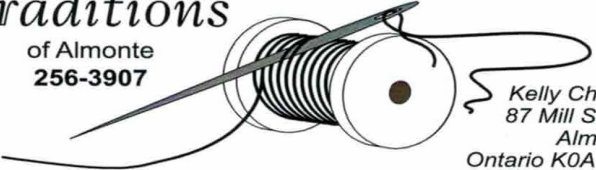
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WORKSHOPS

Sandra Baynes and Carol Nicholson

Still thinking about signing up for a workshop or two with us? We still have space for you.

Wed Oct17 – Come join us to make a Nisse – a mythical creature from Scandinavia.



Wed Nov 14 – Fast and 40ish. Do you need to make a Christmas gift or birthday gift for someone? This workshop will have you well on your way. Even if you're an experienced quilter, it's a good way to get a quick project done all while meeting others in the Guild.





WORKSHOPS

Sandra Baynes and Carol Nicholson

Sat Nov 17 – Precision Piecing. Need to fine tune a few skills? Join us as Michele teaches us how to get pieces to go perfectly together.



Wed Nov 28 – The world's fastest table runners. If you were thinking about making a small quilt and didn't get around to it (see Nov 7). Table runners are now your best bet for quick holiday gifts or adding an accent piece in your home. You can sign up online or see us at the next meeting.

Sat Dec 1 – T-shirt quilts. Do you have a pile of t-shirts that could be made into a type of memory quilt? Start setting them aside now and join us as Gwenne shows us how to make one.



<http://commonthreadquiltguild.ca/guild-activities/workshops/>

You can register online or in-person. Payment is to be made in-person at a Guild meeting. Please visit us at the Workshops table. Sandra and Carol look forward to seeing you.



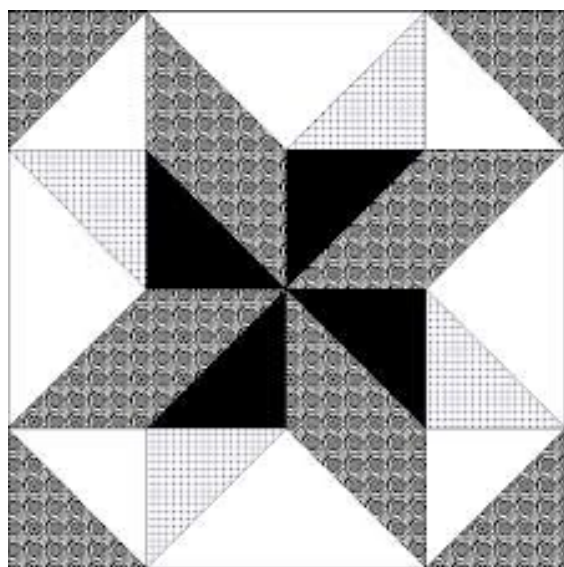
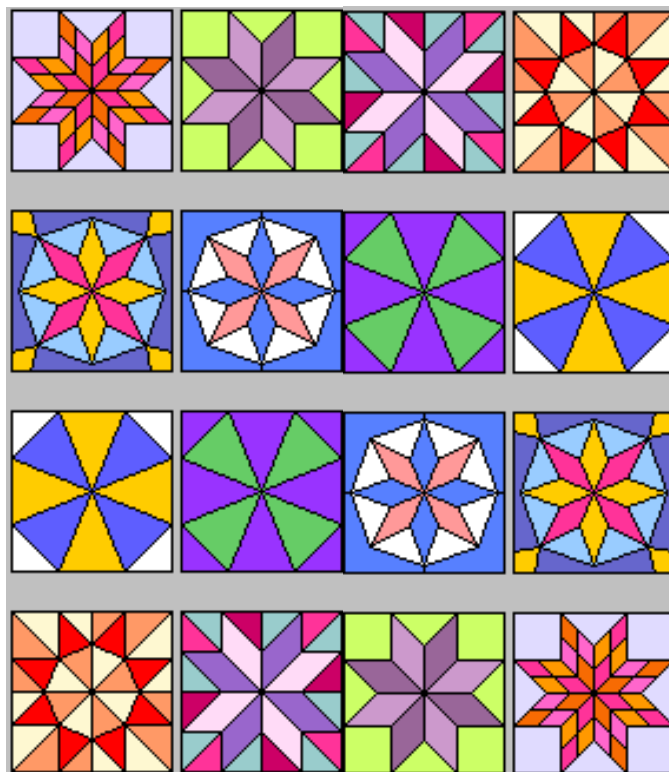
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Full page: \$55 / month
(8½" x 7¼")

Contact

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**LIBRARY****Paulette Beauchamp**

Below is a list of new additions to our library with consists mainly of donated magazines. Donations are gladly accepted, but please make sure there are no pages torn out. We cannot accept magazines or books with torn out pages. Thank you.

American Quilter

September 2016

November 2016

January 2017

March 2017

May 2017

July 2017

Canadian Quilter

Summer 2018

Quick Quilts

June/July 2015

August/September 2015

Love of Quilting

July/August 2015

November/December 2015

Quilting

Jan/Feb 2017

Nov/Dec 2015

May/June 2015

Modern Patchwork

Sept/Oct 2017

Quilty

Jan/Feb 2015

Mar/Apr 2015

Quilts and more

Winter 2015

Summer 2016

Easy Quilts

Spring 2015

Spring 2017

Quiltmaker

May/June 2017

July/August 2018

July/August 2015

Quilting Quickly

July/August 2015

Quilter's World

Summer 2018

Fat Quarter Quilts

Winter 2016

American Patchwork and Quilting

June 2015



Executive and Committee Members

President: Laurelle Callaghan

Vice-President: Vicki Ross

Secretary: Carole Maisonneuve

Treasurer: Barb Till

Past-President: Debbie Isaac

Programme: Gwenne Beck-Pottier

Retreats: Paula Patterson, Wendy White

Quilt Show Coordinator: Cathy Gaudet

Website: Carole LaForge

Membership: Dorothy DeRose, Pauline McNally

Workshops: Sandra Baynes, Carol Nicholson

Community Projects: Catherine Parkinson

Library: Paulette Beauchamp

Newsletter: Eve Luecke, Laura Malo

Shop of the Month: Linda won

Sew Days: Kathy Sheldrick

Challenge: Laura Malo

Fat Quarters : Del Jazey, Susan Baker

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COMMUNITY PROJECT NEWS

Community Projects

Outreach Recipients and Quilt Sizes:

Ottawa General Hospital Cuddle Quilts: 22" x 22"

CHEO: 36" x 48" for infants, up to 52" x 60" for teens

Eastern Ottawa Resource Centre, Orleans: 40" x 60"

Interval House, Ottawa: any size

The Infant and Child Development Program of Algoma Public Health, Ontario: 40" x 50"

Chernobyl, Europe: any size

Cornerstone Housing for Women, Ottawa; 40" x 60" or larger

******Please remember to put our Community Projects label on the back lower corner of any quilt you are donating to us. Thank you!***



Summer Contest Panel Panache

We hope that you have been busy this summer creating beautiful quilts out of panels for the summer contest. Just a reminder that the quilts are due by the end of the October Guild meeting in order to qualify for the draw.

Contest rules: You take a printed panel, cut it up (or not) and make it into a quilt for us that we can then give to one of our charities. We have a few panels available (*generously donated by Quilty Pleasures*) or you can dig into your stash and find one to use. We only ask that you not use one that is limited to a specific time of year like Easter, Halloween or Christmas. If you don't have a panel but you have a fabric with a large print, you can use that instead. You could make a child's quilt or a larger quilt depending on the theme of the panel. Please see the Common Thread Quilt Guild website for quilt sizes for our charities. If you are using your own panel or fabric, be sure to register with us to be included in the contest. The quilts are due by the end of the October meeting. **When you hand in your quilt, your name will be put in the draw and at the November meeting, two names will be drawn for a prize.**



Upper Canada Quilt Show September 2018

Did you visit Upper Canada Villiage's Fall Fair and Quilt Show? Some of the Common Thread Quilt Guild members were there, not only to help with the quilt show, but to participate in a quilting bee. In period appropriate clothes, Vicky Ross and Sandra Baynes contributed to the Canada 150 quilt called Maple Leaf or Tea Leaf. The next quilt top ready to start is full of embroidery. Vicki can be seen holding up the 2019 quilt at Upper Canada Village in Morrisburg.





Victoria's Quilts Canada
is always happy to receive your
fabric donations.



Victoria's Quilts Canada is a charitable organization of volunteers that provides quilts to people living with cancer in Canada – as a gift. To make the quilt tops, we rely on donations of 100% cotton fabric. We can't use Christmas, baby or novelty fabrics, but we take just about anything else – as long as it's unused and at least ¼ metre in size. Why not trim down your unruly stash by donating part of it so that we can continue providing comfort to those dealing with this dreaded disease.



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MEMBERSHIP

Dorothy DeRose Pauline McNally

Welcome to the 2018-19 Common Thread Quilt Guild year to all our members and a special welcome to our 28 new members.

Our membership is already complete at 250. We are maintaining a waitlist this year in case circumstances allow some more people to become members. No promises!

Please remember to sign in! This allows us to keep track of the number of people attending the meeting, which is important due to fire regulations limiting the number of people allowed into the room. Signing in also gives you a chance to win one of four beautiful fat quarters of fabric donated each month by Quilty Pleasures. If you ordered a name tag, it will be available for collection from the Membership table.

If you sent in your membership application by mail and you have not received your membership card, please send an email to ctgg.membership@gmail.com to bring this to our attention so we can make sure we have a card ready for you.

Dorothy and Pauline, Membership





No Frills Sew Days

Cathy Sheldrick (ctqg.sewdays@gmail.com) is hosting our No Frills Sew Days starting this fall. The first one is October 13th, 2018. [Register online](#) or in person at a guild meeting.



What? A monthly Saturday Sew Day, great friends, great space, little work.

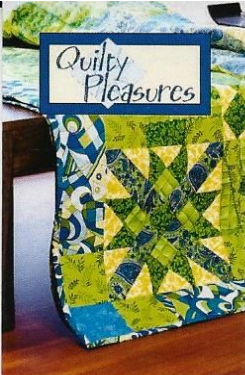
When? 9am-8pm—the second Saturday every month beginning in October. Mark your calendars and register now!

Where? **Centre Notre-Dame- des-Champs Recreation Centre, 3659 Navan Road.**

How? This is a co-operative effort among participants; minimize work, maximize fun. All you ever needed to know to participate you learned in Kindergarten. All you need to bring with you is a cheerful attitude, your lunch and/or dinner, your sewing projects and supplies, beverages. No liquor licence will be purchased. The cost is \$10 (member) or \$12 (non member). Bring your friends!

No frills means no frills. Participants will be responsible for set up and take down of their personal work space. Volunteers will be needed to bring guild sewing supplies (irons, ironing boards, Ac-cuquilt, etc.) from the basement and return same. Access will be given to Guild dishes including kettle but participants must clean their dishes immediately upon use. Participants are required to bring their own tea, coffee etc. No supplies will be purchased for sew days.

Sign up will be at Guild meetings (on sign up sheet), by booking on-line below, or on Facebook. Money will be collected only at the sew days. Drop ins are welcome assuming there is space available.



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