

GREATER MONCTON QUILT GUILD

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Meeting schedule Next Dec.13th, 2006

Jan. 10, Feb. 14, Mar. 14, Apr. 11, May 9,
June 13.



BOM

This years BOM is based on
“Floral Theme”
December block is the

“Mexicali Rosa” Pieced Block

This year BOM participants that enter each month
will be entered into a draw at the end of the year.
The prize to be won is that of a year membership.

Current Membership

79 paid members
1 new member



Christmas Block Challenge



Submit your Nutcracker Block and receive 10
tickets. Tickets will also be sold \$2.00 each or 3
for \$5.00. The draw will be held at the Christmas
Party.



Christmas Party



Christmas Party to be held as our December
meeting at the Moncton Gold and Country Club in
Riverview. Cocktails will be served at 6:30pm
and dinner will follow at 7:00pm. There will be a
voluntary gift exchange (\$10-\$15 or a hand made
item) Thank you to Juanita Allain and Betty Rice
for organizing this event



New Business



Jerri Burke presented the “Brown Eye Susan”
quilt top. The blocks were won by Betty Currie.
The quilters who participated in submitting their
block were asked to sign the quilt. Quilting times
were set up to complete the quilt.



Carrie Anne Bishop is organizing a High
School Quilt Program beginning in January 2007.
She asked that any members interested in
supporting this effort any donation of remnants
would be very much appreciated. June the
students are invited to present their project to the
GMQG members.

For more information please contact:

Carrie Anne Bishop 386-3095,

stitchlady_13@yahoo.com



Judy and Cindy have volunteered for Annual
Retreat.



Winners

BOM: Jerri Burke won 19 Poppy Blocks

50-50: Pat Hume



MONDAY MARVELS

Wednesday Wonders

Margaret Sawyer is the hostess for Monday Marvels held @ 60 Williams Street Monday afternoons 1 PM.

Carolyn Mitton is the hostess for Wednesday Wonders in AM.

Margaret Sawyer reported that 4 quilts were donated to Habitat for Humanity on Nov. 5th, two from Monday Marvels and two from Wednesday Wonders.

Many have benefited from the donated time and effort to produce quilts for the community such as: police cars, Cross Roads, Habitat, Homeless, Hospitals, just to name a few.

Round Robin

Jerri Burke presented this month's theme, which is a paper-pieced block.

Round Robin Challenge 2006/2007 is defined as an item from hand-to-hand among a specific group. In our case, it is a quilting project passed among members. For more information contact Jerri Burke 386-4496, Betty Currie 734-2302 or Nancy Trites 532-8244


Mystery Quilt


Pat Hume handed out instructions for Churn Dash blocks and explained that the color choice is the same value as last month's.


Program


Guest Speaker Anita Zobens, the "Thread Lady" Demonstrations of new marking products and methods for hand and machine quilting with samples and quilts were circulated. Products were also available for sale during the break.

Reminder

 SIGN IN at each meeting (fire regulations)

 Newsletter Ads - Members of the guild may place their quilt related advertisements for the price of \$5.00 in the newsletter.

 Library **late fee** is \$1.00 per book.

 Betty Rice is the name tag enforcer. Please have your name tag, as the fee is that of .25 cents.



Library News:



A complete list of books available from the Guilds Library is now on-line.

Members were asked to suggest book titles to the librarian.

Betty Rice reported that a video disc containing pictures of the Anniversary Show would be available in the Library and that picture from Show and Share would also be available on disc.



Links to Save for Reference:



Refer to our website for links.

"NEW WEBSITE"

New Website Check It Out

www.gmqg.com

To submit to the newsletter please inform:

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386-3095 leave a message.