



March Newsletter

Greater Moncton Quilt Guild
March 11, 2009

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Meeting Schedule 2008/2009

2009 Apr 8, May13, June 10

Program:

March: Technique Demonstration
Knotting & tying
Borders-measuring
Binding
Covering flaws



Quilter's Tip of the Month

For applying binding to your quilt top, use a walking foot. This prevents underside of the backing from creeping and your seam allowance stays even on all sides.



Block of the Month

Sept -Lovers Not
22 blocks won by Annette Caissie
Oct- Square Upon Square
33 blocks won by Suzanne Beaulieu
Nov- Sickle Variation
37 blocks won by Camilla LeBlanc
Dec – Snowball
23 blocks won by Marvin Smith
Jan –Twisting Spool
21 blocks won by Norma MacLeod
Feb – Scrappy Heart
32 blocks won by Vivian Hayward
Mar –Jewel Box
.... blocks won by
Apr- Clay's Choice

Note: BOM is included with the Newsletter each month.



UFO Challenge

This is a fun way to help raise funds for the guild and get some of our UFO's finished. Please see Nancy Trites with your pledge. Let us all take part in this fun challenge! Completion date for showing UFO's is at our June meeting.



GMQG "Bloomin Retreat"

April 24-26, 2009
The Fairway Inn, Sussex NB
\$100 double occupancy
\$160 single room
Meals extra



A Quilter's Thought

Only a quilter would rush to finish a gift quilt...not so it is done for the recipient's birthday, but ...so it's done in time for show and share!



News...News

For any members wishing to have your quilt tops machine quilted
A list of local quilters for quick reference

Deina Smith Riverview 386-4757
Free motion quilting

Denise Melanson Moncton 857-8686
Long arm- limited designs

Roxanne LeBlanc 856-6887
Sandra Durelle 902 436-8008
Hand guided -made to order

Wendy Billing Sackville 536-8101
Long arm-made to order

Penny Bubar Fredericton 454-4950
Long arm -made to order

Quilt Canada destinations

- Calgary 2010
- Halifax in 2012

50/50 Draw

Sept: \$39 *won by Nancy Elaschuck*
 Oct: \$36.50 *won by Vivian LeBlanc*
 Nov: \$45 *won by Betty Rice*
 Dec: \$39 *won by Linda Runighan*
 Jan: \$35 *won by Vivian LeBlanc*
 Feb: \$46.50 *won by Lucille Babin*
 Mar:



Library Corner

New Books:

-Table Toppers by Jean & Velori
 - A New Twist on Strips & Curves by Louisa Smith

Do you have any suggestions of books for our Library to consider purchasing?

Did you know that all our Library books are now listed on GMQG Web site?

Over due book charge is \$1



CRYPTOQUOTE

by Pat Hume

One letter stands for another.
 Single letter, apostrophes, the length & formation of the words are all hints.
 Each month the code is different.

OZSJ Q LNULA WQVSM

MXWSXJS MWUIS, PXN VJXC

ZXO MKSRUQI PXN QYS

Answer will be in the April newsletter

Answer to Feb CRYPTOQUOTE

The roller coaster of your life has peaks and valleys, but you keep on quilting!

OUR WEB SITE IS www.gmqg.com

By Susan Delaney

We are now up & functioning, so be sure to check it out!

Web Sites for reference

www.quiltcampus.net

www.quiltersnet.ca

www.quilttheatlantic.ca

www.quiltaholics.com/index/htm

www.quiltercache.com

www.blockcentral.com/index.shtml

FOR SALE:

Kenmore Sewing machine
Model #17620 asking \$150
Good working order & serviced
regularly. Embroidery & walking foot
Included.
Contact Peggy Sheehan 389-8618

Reminders for each meeting:

- sign in each meeting (fire regulations)
- Library book late fee is \$1.00 /book
- Wear your nametag. Fee of .25 will be asked for those not worn
- New name tags \$5. See Juanita Allain
- Please contact a member of executive if you know of a member in hospital or of a death in a member's family

Newsletter

- Members with e-mail will receive newsletter the day of Guild Meeting
- Members without e-mail, will receive a paper copy at Guild Meeting
- Please submit any articles of interest by 1st of the newsletter month

Contact Betty Latimer @ 389-3389 or
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GMQG Positions 2008/2009

President	Heather Arsenault
Vice-President	Betty Rice
Secretary	Phyllis Melanson
Treasurer	Roxanne LeBlanc
Program	Peggy Sheehan Jerri Burke
Registrar	Juanita Allain
BOM	Fernande Bourque Annette Caissie
Library	Ardith Barron Evelyne LaBrecque
Photographer	Gilberte Comeau
UFO Projects	Nancy Trites
Web Site	Susan Delaney
Show & Share	Marvin Smith Linda Runighan
GMQG Retreat	Peggy Sheehan Vivian LeBlanc Jackie Allain

Challenges:

Mystery Quilt	Beth Sears
Christmas	Joyce Moynagh Kim Larracy

***“A SPECIAL THANK YOU FOR
ALL THOSE WHO CAME TO
HELP MAKE POT HOLDERS
FOR CNIB ON SATURDAY”***

