

HALTON HILLS QUILTERS GUILD

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September 26th, 2016 - Guild Meeting Minutes

7:00pm - start meeting held at: Hillcrest Church, Trafalgar Rd.,

- President speech
 - · OK ladies we have a lot to get through tonight, so let's get started.
 - As I assume the role of President of the HHQG I hope all of you will help me through this new experience. I will do my best to make this a productive and enjoyable year for us all.
 - · My President's challenge to you is to participate in the Guild, Quilt Show and Quilt Show challenge.
- Any changes to June AGM minutes? If no Accept/pass June minutes. Motion to Pass Yes 1st: Dodie Ryan
- 25th Year Guild Anniversary, Judy Makinson has made some special goodies for us.
- Note: Free Table stuff to Toonie draw or Members Boutique

Library - Susan Fitzgerald

- New Canadian Quilter Magazine is in.
- Show draw prizes

Workshop – Mary Merry/Sue Phillips (\$60.00 Memorial Room Rental – I have cheques)

- Showed Marian's Quilt
- Need to Sign up at break for Oct class,

Block of the Month- Marg Brown

• Explain how this year's BOM will work

Program - Marian Baidacoff

- Speaker Lorna McMahon, Sew Fresh Quilts
- Now imagine Marian saying this!!!

Bio:

2012 Sew Fresh Quilts was founded by Lorna McMahon, who started Sew Fresh Quilts shortly after she began quilting. And things have simply blossomed from there!

As a stay at home mom to two budding teens, and living in an isolated rural environment, she longed for a connection and a purpose. Sharing her quilting adventures in an online community awakened in her a driving force to believe in herself and in her abilities.

The development of her skills has enabled her to share her experiences and advice in a series of free tips and tutorials that are available on her website, Sew Fresh Quilts. Sharing her patterns with other avid quilters is a passion that now borders on a healthy obsession.

Sew Fresh Quilts makes her happier than she ever thought a job could, and she wants to give that same feeling to you. She wants to help others find that same "something" in their lives.

In addition to blogging, Lorna is the owner of a thriving pattern design business which is just now moving into the big time as her patterns are now available in quilt shops!

15 minute Break

Treasurer - Judy Mair

- Judy is away Sept & Oct
- 50/50 & Library Draw, please give money to Chris Hoover and Judy will pick it up from her when she gets back Oct 25. Please make sure that you have a deposit slip filled out with the money. If you need envelopes I have some.

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Attention: Valerie

Outreach - Anne, Elaine & Sue

Hand out quilts to be quilted

Publicity - Phyllis Benjamin

Retreat - Judy Mair

- 2 spaces available Nov 14, 15 & 16, please see Dodie Ryan
- Crieff, 7098 Concession 1, Puslinch, ON NOB 2J0 between Cambridge and Milton

Social - Sheila Barrington

Newsletter - Joyce Winger

Quilt Show - Sue Luque

- We had our first meeting and we are moving along.
- I got the raffle license and Donna is working on the Quilt. If you have any fall batiks please give them to her.
- I spend a week going through the old documentation to learn about putting on a Quilt Show and there is a lot to do.

We still need Committee Heads for:

- I'll handle Hall Set-up/take down
- Quilt hanging/numbering MaryAnn Ellwood and Sue Phillips volunteered
- Publicity/Advertising
- Road Signs
- Door Prizes
- Tea Room Coffee/Tea/Water
- Tea Room Sandwiches
- Raffle Quilt Ticket Sales

UFO Day - Sue Luque

- Wed Oct 12, Nov 9 in Acton
- I will not be here for Dec 14, anyone to Host? Anyone to take over as host?

Website - Sue Luque

• Made some changes to it, please take a look. Counter at 277.

Anyone else want to say something? Pat Clayton and June Ball mentioned Buckhorn Quilt show

Draws

- Membership Chris Hoover
 - Guest Fees raised to \$6.00
 - 29 members tonight
 - Early Membership draw forgot list, will do draw in Oct.
 - · Membership Draw ?
 - · Fat Quarter Draw -?
 - I have cheque, fill out name and cheque request form for Judy Mair, Treasurer.
- 50/50: \$16.50 Carrie Latendresse
- Library: Marg Brown

Show "n" share - Faces in photos for newsletter, tell Anne not to take your picture.

Next meeting Monday, Oct 24th.

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{OK}}\xspace,$ this concludes our meeting, please help stack chairs.

Good night.