

Sagebrush Quilters Guild  
E-Blast for Oct 3, 2018

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### **From our leader, Doffy B**

Where did our wonderful warm weather go? As I write this note, the hill across the valley from our home has patches of snow that still haven't melted. However, enough whining...aren't we glad we didn't get the snow storm that hit Calgary today (October 2nd).

It was great to see so many members at our second meeting, and welcome to returning member Chris A. Thanks to everyone who brought their gadget, idea or tip to the meeting. There was such a variety and very few repeats.

There will be lots of opportunities to get together and sew this month. Sewing at KSV on Saturday Oct 6th, Community Projects day is on Wednesday, October 10th at Katja's. Also, the first 'Quilt till You Wilt' day (QTYW) is on Saturday, October 13th at the Japanese Cultural Centre. Thanks again to Joy G. for organizing the QTYW day for the guild. She will be out of town that weekend, but will take everything over to the centre for us before she leaves. Joy you are incredible!

Our next meeting will be on Thanksgiving Monday, October 8th, and it will be an evening of visiting, so remember to bring some handwork. Also, don't forget to bring your square(s) for the 'block lotto' that Julie O. has so kindly organized for us.

Wishing everyone a very Happy Thanksgiving.

Doffy B.

"Live well, laugh often, love much"

### **Workshop chair, Joy G**

**October 13** is Quilt 'til U Wilt at the Japanese Cultural Centre from 9 am until 9 pm. Julie O will be hosting. This is FREE to all members Come for a few hours or the whole day.

**November 17:** Registration is now open for our Fall workshop instructed by Dianne Jansson at Thompson Rivers University, International Building Room 1014 with instruction from 9am until 4 PM (you may continue until 9 PM) Dianne will be instructing on all four projects and supply list is available upon registration.

Registration is also open to Spring workshops - see website for details.

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### **Block Lotto Anyone? – Julie O**

We will be having a monthly block lotto draw this year. To be involved you simply need to make one or more blocks from the pattern that will be provided in the newsletter each month. For example, in this newsletter you will find a pattern attached for a simple block.

Make as many as you want, bring them to the first meeting in October, put your name in the draw barrel once for each block you have brought in. One (or more if there are a large number of blocks turned in) person will have their name drawn and take home all of the blocks to make into whatever project they wish either for themselves or for community projects.

All of the patterns I plan to use will be from [quilterscache.com](http://quilterscache.com) and will all be the ‘one pin’ level of difficulty unless the membership requests a step up in difficulty. I have read the terms of use and we qualify to use these patterns.

There is no sign up required and you need not take part every month, though we hope you do. Please join us and have fun and have a chance to win a bunch of blocks.

The block for the first meeting in November is **Jacob’s ladder 2**. I would like you to use white or white on white for the background, and the rest scrappy. If you want to see what this might look like see the one named “Dana’s” on the second page. It would look good if you used medium to dark fabrics in any colors you happen to have.

### **Web Page calendar – Julie O**

If anyone wishes to have anything posted to the website calendar, please send the info to me and I will be ‘on it’ in a flash! Okay maybe as soon as possible.

### **Membership – Judy N**

Membership fees are now due. Thank you to those of you who so promptly paid at the first meeting. I will have forms at the next meeting or you may print the form from the website and mail it to me.

### **Library – No Comments**

### **Community Projects – Joyce W & Cheryl D**

Join us on Saturday October 6th at Kamloops Seniors’ Village or on Wednesday Oct 10th at Katja’s Quilt Shoppe working on quilts for the patients at the Cancer center at RIH.

We’ll have kits available for you to stitch together at both of these events, as well as at each guild meeting.

We took 15 quilts up to the hospital Cancer Clinic this week, and met a friend of mine who is undergoing treatment and was a recipient of one of the quilts. We chatted for a moment before her appointment and she said how much she appreciated the quilt she had received and with a hug, she was off to do what she needed to do to fight the disease.

Thank you to everyone who has donated fabric, taken a kit, sewn on binding and supported this very very worthy project.

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**Quilt In's**

Wednesday Morning Quilt in – Val B

October 10 Ann G

October 17 Sal

October 24 Marie

October 31 no quilt in scheduled as retreat starts should anyone want to host a morning for this day for those that aren't going to retreat you are welcome to set it up.

Friday Morning Quilt In – Joyce W

Oct 05 – Marg J

Oct 12 – Marg J

Oct 19 – Marg J

Oct 26 – Cancelled

Nov 02 – Cancelled (Retreat)

