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From our leader, Doffy B

Hello everyone,

Well, it is now December and we are really rolling towards Christmas. Time to decide just which projects I really want to finish in time to wrap them!

I would really like to thank Val B. again for her super demonstration of the 'bees wax wraps' at our last meeting. They are so neat, and, at the rate that the bees wax pucks were flying off the table, I'm thinking that many of you have already made some for yourselves.

Our next meeting - Monday, December 10th is our Christmas pot luck dinner. (It is also the only time we meet in December). Along with your contribution to the dinner buffet, please remember to bring your dinner plate, utensils, mug etc.

Please bring your block lotto blocks to our next meeting. Julie, that square was a fun one to make. It was so neat to see the wonky stars appear when the block was finished. Thanks again for organizing this for the guild.

I hope to see everyone next Monday. For those who aren't able to join us...we will miss you and wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy 2019.

Doffy B. - "Live well, laugh often, love much"

Treasurer's report – Lynda M

All outstanding invoices have been paid, including rent to end of December. Bank balance is \$16,961.

Workshop - Joy G

Merry Christmas and Happy Quilting New Year from your workshop chair, Joy G. Give yourself (or hint to your family) a gift of spring workshops - see the information and examples. Registration is open and you may post date your cheque into the New Year to reserve your place in the workshops. See you at next meeting for Christmas pot luck and games!

SPRING WORKSHOP #1 at TRU International Building, Room 1014

Saturday, April 27, 2019 Set up: 8:30 am, class: 9:30-4:30PM (6 hours of instruction. Bring your own lunch and quilting supplies

ATTIC WINDOWS Instructed by Marnie Freeman Cost: \$35 Supply list 1 - Panel or feature fabric 0.7meter of each of the following: Light fabric (or medium) for window casing Dark fabric for window casing Contrast fabric for sashing Additional fabric for Border (optional)

This yardage is enough for a panel that is approximately 35" x 40" (Approximately 1 square meter) Panel print, Storey book panel, Printed theme blocks, collection of coordinated blocks

SPRING WORKSHOP #2 at TRU International Building, Room 1014

Set up: 8:30 am, class: 9:30-4:30PM (6 hours of instruction)

Bring your own lunch and quilting supplies

Sunday, April 28, 2019 SCORCHED instructed by Jan Scruggs, Textile and Fibre Artist extraordinaire

You probably remember writing secret messages with lemon juice as a child. What a delight it was to hold a candle to the paper and see the message magically appear!

Come and enjoy that delight again. We will learn to use lemon juice as a textile medium while making a small project.

I am looking forward to this and working with you and your group."Jan

Cost: \$35 Plus Kit fee \$20 which includes mordent, pretreated fabric and artists supplies.

You may also bring additional fabrics to develop your skills and project.

Four techniques to be demonstrated and explored in the morning session and projects worked on in the afternoon session

Block Lotto Anyone? - Julie O

Please remember to bring your blocks in for the block challenge and be sure to enter a ticket for each block presented for a chance to win some of the blocks (maybe all of them) to make into a quilt for yourself or for community projects. It is NOT an expectation that you need to make a cancer quilt with your win though of course the committee would not turn one down!

Stay tuned after our December meeting for the pattern and instructions for the January block. Try to find time during this wild season to indulge in a little quilting time. It makes you feel almost as good as a glass of wine or a yummy butter tart.

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.

Web Page

Please note that the web address is <u>www.sagebrushquiltersguild.ca</u>. We hope you are having some looks at our website and see all our new additions!

Julie is taking care of the calendar... check that out for all the dates with activities for us.

Please keep looking at it... we are hoping to inspire you!

Your Website Team, Pat, Julie and Sandy

Sew Day at Kamloops Seniors' Village

This Saturday, December 8 is our next KSV day, from 9 to 4, bring your supplies and work on your own project or a Community Quilt! Hope to see you there, please email me if you have any questions! Happy Quilting, See you there, Sandy M.

Membership – Judy N

Library

The library will be closed next meeting. If you wish to bring books or magazines back, we can put them into the box. Otherwise you can bring them to our first meeting in January.

Community Projects – Joyce W & Cheryl D

Thank you everyone partnering with us in making quilts for the RIH Cancer patients. We have been blessed with many donations of fabric, batting, and thread.

Join us at Kamloops Seniors' Village on Saturday Dec 8th. We will have some kits available, or you can work on your own project. Please remember to sign in at the reception desk, and provide your vehicle license plate number. We will be meeting in the multipurpose room on the lower level. Bring your lunch, or you can enjoy a lunch made by KSV. Order your lunch when you arrive, the cost is approximately \$10.00. Come for all day, 9:30am to 4pm or pop in for an hour or two.

Wednesday Dec 12 is the next Community Projects sewing day at Katja's Quilt Shoppe. We will be meeting there from 9am to 4pm. Join us for all or part of the day. We will have kits available for you, if you wish one.

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Wednesday Morning Quilt in – Val B

Friday Morning Quilt In – Joyce W Dec 7 – Marg J Dec 14– Marg J

Retreat – Doreen F

We are taking Registration forms and payment for our next Sorrento Retreat being held March 13-17, 2019. Registration and cheques can be given to me at our next meeting or mailed to Doreen F

