

# **Sagebrush Quilters' Guild – E-Blast**

## **Sept 6, 2019**

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

Hello, my quilting friends,

Its September and time to get back together! It will be wonderful to see everyone and hear about your summer adventures. Also, it will be great to see what projects you have accomplished since June. Although this was another busy summer for our suitcases, I did manage to get some quilting in while we were home for a ten day stretch during August. It was so satisfying to finish and deliver quilts as wedding gifts for the two couples whose weddings we attended this summer. I'm sure you are all looking forward to another year of fun and friendship. Hope to see everyone at our first meeting next Monday, September 9th! J

"Live well, laugh often, love much"

### **Workshop**

There is one space open for the Sunday, October 6 "Feathers" class with Kathleen Riggins at \$45. Contact Joy G. if you want to join the class. Those registered for the class will be receiving an update about the class during the second week of September.

On the horizon: "Quilt 'til you Wilt" at the Japanese Cultural Centre on Saturday, October 19 from 9am - 9 pm and this is free for members.

Dianne Jansson is scheduled to offer Sagebrush Quilters a class on Saturday, November 16. There will be more information about this class in the latter weeks of September.

### **Block Lotto Anyone? – Julie O**

Hello all of you. I do hope you all had a lovely summer and are raring to go for the upcoming quilting year. As promised, I have researched some more patterns for monthly block lotto. I will have samples of the OCTOBER block at the meeting on the 9th of September. A hint for you...this one will be made all in black and white.

For anyone new to this lotto the rules are simple. If you wish to take part, make one or more blocks from the instructions sent out each month and bring them to the designated meeting. For each block submitted you put a ticket with your name on it in a bag provided. I will draw one or two (depending on how many blocks are submitted) and the winner will take home enough blocks, usually, to make a quilt top. You are welcome to take part every month or just a few. Whatever suits you and fits the time you have available to you. Enjoy. J

### **Hospitality – Esther T**

Please sign up to bring goodies!

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### **Program – Judy N**

Welcome back for another great year, the program committee, Judy N (chair), Geri-Lou A, Pat S and Leslie W are striving to present an interesting and fun program year. We are hoping to have a good mix of trunk shows, demo nights, speakers and hands on nights. We have some good ideas but would appreciate your feedback so that we can plan to meet the guilds interests.

We will have a program questionnaire at our first meeting for you to jot down your ideas. If you are not planning on attending the meeting, we would ask that you email any of the committee members with your ideas.

Some questions to think about:

Trunk shows...who would you like to see show us their quilts? Names of guild members and outside quilters

Demo nights... What would you like to learn or see demonstrated...Magic binding, one-way zippers, snap-bags?

Should we do some fabric exchanges...strips...colors?

Do you enjoy bringing your own work nights?

Who would you like to have a speaker?

Thank you for your feedback and ideas.

### **Web Page calendar – Julie O**

[sagebrushquiltersguild.ca](http://sagebrushquiltersguild.ca)

I am responsible for keeping up the calendar of events for the web page. If you have information to put up, please let me know. Sandy M puts on the photos and Pat M takes care of most of the rest. Please do not hesitate to approach any of us with questions or comments concerning the web page.

### **Retreat – Doreen F**

Sorrento Fall Retreat October 30-November 3, 2019. We are taking registrations for Fall Retreat. There are 3 spots left. Bring your registration and money to our Guild Meeting.

### **Sew Day at Kamloops Seniors' Village – Sandy M**

Next date is Saturday, September 14 from 9am to whatever time?? Any questions please email me.

The following are the dates booked so far! October 12, November 9 and Dec 14! Please mark your calendar!!! The day is fun, so please come!!

### **Membership –**

### **Library – Loretta**

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

Has everyone had a good summer? It's been wonderful and I know no one has missed the smoke of prior years.

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We have been busy planning for the fall and have many kits prepared, and newist ideas for quilts for the hospital for the upcoming year.

Hope you'll join us on Wednesday Sept 11<sup>th</sup>, (and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month) at Katja's Quilt Shoppe for a day of sewing together; 9:30 am to 4pm. Come for all day, half a day, an hour or just drop in and say hi. We'll have kits available.

Looking forward to working with you this coming quilt year.

### **Wednesday Morning Quilt in – Brenda E**

Sept. 11 Brenda  
Sept. 18 Marcia  
Sept. 25 Brenda  
Oct. 2 Katja's Quilt Shoppe  
Oct. 9 Audrey  
Oct. 16 Sandy  
Oct. 23 Sal  
Oct. 30 Jeanne  
Nov. 6 Katja's Quilt Shoppe  
Nov. 13 Sue O'S  
Nov. 20 Val  
Nov. 27 Sal  
Dec. 4 Katja's Quilt Shoppe  
Dec. 11 Brenda Potluck windup

### **Friday Morning Quilt In – Joyce W**

Sept 13, 20 at Marg J

### **Sales table – Marie A**

I hope everyone is looking forward to our first meeting of the fall as much as I am. It's always great to renew friendships with those we've not seen all summer. If you have completed projects for the Craft Sale, please bring them to this meeting. If you're still working on things you still have a little time to get them finished. We will have a detailed schedule for you in the next e-blast. Enjoy these slightly cooler days and sunshine...we all know what's coming.

### **Mystery Quilt – Sandy M**

It's time for 2 blocks this time... you will get Block 2 and 3. You will find all the blocks in the E-Blast. Enjoy and again, if you have any questions please email me.