



# Kanata Quilt Guild

March 2018 Newsletter

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## Meeting

Thursday, March 8, 2018, 9:30 to 12:00  
 Glen Cairn United Church - 140 Abbeyhill Drive, Kanata

Guests Welcome \$5.00 admission  
 Next meeting - April 12, 2018

**A reminder to all - Church policy is NO drinks or food in the sanctuary. We encourage you to have your coffee/tea prior to the meeting.**

## Winners

Block of the month - Cathy Griese, Quilties - Marianne Gibson, Door Prizes -.Dorothy Wilson, Sue Moser, Iwona Mooney, Mary Townson, Ann Gordon

|          | Program                                   | Shop of the Month   | LongArm of the Month                    |
|----------|---|---------------------|---|
| March 8  | Happy Wife Quilting - Trunk Show          | Happy Wife Quilting | 3 Dogs Quilting                         |
| April 12 | Creatively Graceful - Designer            | Flair with Fabrics  | Johanne Vajda                           |
| May 10   | General meeting - Old Fashion Bed Turning | Phyllis Home Décor  | Kim Mullins - Eye Candy Custom Quilting |
| June 14  | Strawberry Social                         |                     |   |

**Program** - Jen Swallow took her first quilting class during a military posting, with her husband and family (Kansas 2010). That class quickly turned into a hobby and then a passion. After another move to Edmonton, Jen and her family made their final journey, close to her extended family, outside of Carleton Place. Her business, Happy Wife Quilting ([www.happywifequilting.ca](http://www.happywifequilting.ca)), is open by appointment from her home. She offers small, relaxed quilting classes, edge to edge longarm quilting and retail sales. Jen loves to learn, test and teach the newest (and not-so-new) tools and rulers on the market. She loves when quilters have that ah-ha moment and the light bulb comes on. Helping quilters find inspiration and finish a project is what she enjoys best (even if she has a few UFOs hanging around the house herself). When Jen isn't busy with a customer, finishing a quilt, or teaching a class, she is a wife and a mom of 3 wonderful kids. She also loves her fur babies and enjoys spending time camping with her family and friends.

**Shop of the Month** - Happy Wife Quilting is an online and home-based quilt shop located just outside of Carleton Place. They offer the latest notions, tools and patterns on the market and also carry lots of trusted favourites. With over a 100 bolts of fabric, interfacing and batting to choose from, you can always find a match to what you are looking for. Are you looking for a special product? Send an email or give them a call and they would be happy to help you find it! In a separate well-lit, comfortable, classroom, classes are offered to a maximum of 4 people. You will receive lots of one-on-one attention and have the ability to use tools that are provided before you purchase them. And remember they still offer edge-to-edge longarm services with a quick turnaround time. Happy Wife Quilting loves to hit the road and set-up shop at various guild events and quilt shows. They are looking forward to seeing you at an event this



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summer! Open by appointment or online 24/7. Stay up-to-date by following their website [www.happywifequilting.ca](http://www.happywifequilting.ca) and Facebook page. Or even better, sign up for their email distribution list on their website.

**Long Arm** - 3 Dogs Quilting aka Pauline Clarke not only sells Glide threads but she is also a long arm quilter specializing in computerized edge to edge quilting. She can take quilts up to 130" wide on her 14 foot frame. Pauline started her long arm business back in 2010 after retiring from 40 years of office work. You can select from a variety of patterns and of course thread colors to best suit your quilt. Pauline and her little dog Phoebe welcome you to her home studio to discuss your next quilting project.

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| <p><b>Sign In</b><br/>Don't forget to sign in at the membership desk</p>  |
| <p><b>Raffles</b><br/>Raffles are held each month and consist of quilting and sewing related items, e.g., fat quarters, jelly rolls, thread, rulers and patterns. The money collected from these raffles helps supplement our program activities.</p> |
| <p><b>Free Recycling Table</b><br/>If you have any quilt related materials, books, magazines, tools, UFOs that you no longer want/ need but might interest a fellow quilter, bring them in and place them on the recycle table.</p>                   |

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| <p><b>Break</b><br/>1. Sign up for workshops/sew days<br/>2. Buy tickets for the draws<br/>3. Socialize</p>  |
| <p><b>Featured Quilt/Artist</b><br/>Each month we will feature a member's quilt in the header of the newsletter. This month the artist is Lynn Price. Send me a picture if you are interested in being featured. We are looking for themes - fall, Christmas, spring, etc.</p> |
| <p><b>Quilt Related Questions</b><br/>Have a question/problem about quilting? We have lots of experts in our guild. E-mail me and I will try to find someone to help. <a href="mailto:newsletter@kanataquiltguild.com">newsletter@kanataquiltguild.com</a></p>                 |

## Kanata Quilt Guild Raffle Rose and Rhoda



The March Quilt Guild Raffle basket includes:

- Ottlite, Heirloom Batting, 14 Fat Quarters, Olfa Rotary Cutter and Endurance Blade, Omnigrd Ruler Grip, Petite Press, Keepsake puzzles, and more (Value over \$200)

Tickets \$2.00 or three for \$5.00

Draw will take place March 8, 2018 at the monthly meeting.



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## Missouri Star Block Party Joanne Batchelor

There were many positive comments about the Missouri star block party (February meeting). Thanks to the 5 presenters who did an amazing job walking us through various blocks. Krista Zaleski - Joshua's star; Dianne Wilson - Disappearing Pinwheel; Lynn Price - Hunter's Star; Pauline Clarke - Orange Peel and Beth Van Wyngaarden - Courtship. At the end of the demonstration there were draws for five books. Congratulations to the five lucky winners, one of the Debbie Auger.



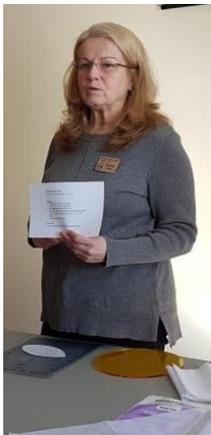
Krista Zaleski



Dianne Wilson



Lynn Price



Pauline Clarke



Pauline Clarke



Beth Van Wyngaarden

**Sorry pictures aren't better - stations were so popular it was difficult to get good pictures.**



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## For Guild Volunteer Positions: Leslie Whitby

It is that time of year in the guild when we look for new recruits to our Volunteer positions. Most importantly, we need a new President. If you recall, Debby agreed to the overwhelming support she received last year, to stand for one more year. The year is up and we need another volunteer. Feel free to talk to either Debby or I about how this works. You will have a great team of volunteers for all the guild programs and initiatives,

I am in the process of talking to all the current volunteers to see who will continue and who will be replaced. Already, we need volunteers next year for Membership, Charity, and Raffles. If you enjoy working with other quilters, please volunteer. Or grab a friend and volunteer together. In our guild, no one does any one job alone. We are all part of a team that works together very well. You do not have to attend lots of meetings - we only have one meeting a year of all volunteers, and a few smaller meetings to address specific projects - like retreats or the year end socials. I will have the complete list for you in the next newsletter.

The Kanata Quilt Guild has grown a lot over the past few years and your guild needs a few more hands to keep up our programs and initiatives. Join the team, meet other quilters, and have fun while supporting quilters in this area. If you want to volunteer, or have questions, please contact me [atlesliewhitby6@gmail.com](mailto:atlesliewhitby6@gmail.com).

## Quilt Along Susan Woodhead



Instructions are on the Kanata Quilt Guild Website under Programs drop down menu. You will need to enter the password to access the content. April Block is Fan or Tulip. For Block of the Month draw, please add the 1.5" background strips as shown on the plan to make a 12.5" block and use monthly block colours.

Below are Blocks submitted at **February meeting**.





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## **Sew Days** Pauline Farey and Doris Braslins

Sew days are held at the Kanata Legion, 70 Hines Road, Kanata (Legion Phone 613 591- 5570). If you wish to plan ahead, please refer to the list of sew day dates below or on the website. There is a sign-up sheet at each guild meeting. Sew days are \$5.00 for everyone - coffee and tea provided free of charge.

- March 21, 2018
- April 5, 2018
- May 2, 2018
- May 30, 2018
- June 20, 2018

What you should bring:

- Your sewing machine and extension cord
- Your usual sewing supplies (3 large cutting mats and 3 irons/boards are supplied but you may wish to bring a small cutting mat for your own table)
- Your lunch and your coffee/tea mug. Tim Hortons is also close by on March Road.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact Doris Braslins ([sewdays@kanataquiltguild.com](mailto:sewdays@kanataquiltguild.com) or 613 592-5961 or 613 850-0114).

## **Charity News** Leslie Whitby

Thanks to all the members who picked up T shirts to make into wig bags for the Canadian Cancer Society. And yes, if you have appropriate T shirts from other cancer related fundraiser, they can be turned into wig bags. Amanda posted the instructions on our website. Don't be surprised by the 15 pages of instructions as they are written for absolute beginners and have pics of every step. They are easy to follow and you should be able to do this in an hour! If you want to make a wig bag, please pick up a t shirt from Pauline Farey at the next guild meeting, as I will be away.

We still have a few more Ronald Mcdonald House kits that you can pick up from Pauline. There are no time limits on these quilts so you have lots of time to practice your machine quilting. Believe it or not, I still get packets of blocks and a few finished tops in the mail each week. Quilters are so generous and I will find homes for each one.

We had a donation of quilts from Betty Hasler. She is moving into a smaller home and does not have room. I will let you know what we will do with the quilts. I want to thank Betty and Georgia Beale for thinking about our guild and its charity program.

If you came to one of the Sew Days, you might have seen the quilt that Debby made and donated to the Legion's silent auction, to thank them for their support of our guild. Let's hope they raise some significant funds for this.

The charity work of this guild is a very fulfilling volunteer position. If you, or you and a friend, would like to take over this position next year, please let me know.

That's it for now. I am off to hike in Sedona for a couple of weeks, so see you in April. Leslie



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### Ventura Modern Quilt Guild

Susan Woodhead, Sue Moser and Penny Corbin made blocks for California's fire and mudslide victims. Just sending this along in case our members would like to do the same. Information and directions can be found at: <http://www.venturamodernquiltguild.com/>

### Quilties Krista Zaleski

30 quilties were turned in at last month's meeting. Quilties are 24 inches square with 100% cotton tops and flannel backing. Kits are available from the Guild. At a workshop last month 10 members made 100 kits. Finished quilties are donated to the Queensway-Carleton Hospital neonatal unit. Krista received a note from the nurses at QCH thanking us for the quilties. Krista will be stepping down from the quiltie program at the end of the year.



### Quilt Donated to Breast Cancer Support Group

I went to my first meeting of the Kanata & District Breast Cancer Support at the Mlacak Centre. I received good advice, encouragement and information from the ladies. I will be starting Chemotherapy next week and because of this I received a beautiful blue quilt with white flowery snowflake designs donated by the guild. Pauline said it was the last of ten donated quilts which made me sad to think there were 9 ladies before me with Breast Cancer but it also made me feel I'm not alone. Thank you for this beautiful quilt.

### Victoria Quilts

Victoria Quilts Canada (VQC) are still in need of donations of any quilting fabric, except novelty or children's fabric, to make up their kits so that they can continue to make and deliver quilts to many more people this winter. Each month VQC makes and delivers about 540 quilts to people across Canada who are living with cancer, and some 220 of these quilts are made in the National Capital Region. Joanne Batchelor has offered to collect donations of fabric. You can find her at the Recycle/Block of the month table.



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### Queensway Carleton Hospital



The hospital is requesting some items for their new ACE unit (Acute Care for the Elderly)

- Keys, key chains, crayons, pencil crayons, bracelets and necklaces, small plastic flower pots. The recreational therapist can use these items in the unit.



If anyone wants to donate anything, please bring them to the meeting and drop them off with Georgia Beale.

### In-town Retreat - February 28 - March 1, 2018 Debby Holden

The in-town retreat was a tremendous success attended by 46 ladies. We were able to include all the people on the wait list. The Legion space was set-up the day prior to the retreat, setting up tables and chairs, preparing sandwiches, setting out welcome kits, blowing up balloons and much more. The weather cooperated which allowed easy travel back-and-forth for the two days. We completed a group quilt won by Leslie Whitby. There was a door prize basket worth almost \$600 won by Rita Healy and a mystery prize won by Beth Van Wyngaarden. The food for the retreat was first class, including a turkey supper on the first day! From the energy in the room and all the wonderful compliments we knew it was another home run retreat! Many thanks to all the lovely ladies who baked, prepared food and assisted making the retreat one to be proud of.

### Kanata Quilt Guild Spring Retreat Debby Holden

There will be a spring retreat 19-22 April, 2018 to be held at Spruceholme Inn, 204 rue Principale, Fort Colonge, Quebec JOX 1V0.

**Cost - \$250.00 per person.** The price includes eight meals, taxes, gratuities (does not include Thursday lunch), 4 days (Thursday - Sunday).

**Registration and Payment** will begin at the February 8, 2018 Guild meeting. Payment is required at the time of registration. The cheque, made payable to Kanata Quilt Guild, should be post dated to April 1, 2018. See Lynn Price at the March meeting if you would like to come. If you are unable to attend the March Guild meeting, you may contact Lynn at [lynnprice@sympatico.ca](mailto:lynnprice@sympatico.ca) and send your registration by mail to: Lynn Price, 21 Carbery Dr. Stittsville, ON K2S 1E5.

Registration is limited to 40 members. There is still room for members to join this retreat. Four days of sewing and eight meals - \$250.00.



**Kanata Quilt Guild Spring Retreat 19 - 22 April 2018**

**Retreat Application Form**

**Location** - Spruceholme Inn  
204 rue Principale  
Fort Coulonge  
Quebec J0X 1V0  
Phone: 819-684-5635

**Cost - \$250.00 per person (regardless of single or double occupancy)**  
**The price includes** eight meals, taxes, gratuities (does not include Thursday lunch)

4 days (Thursday - Sunday)

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Food Allergies** \_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to share a room (i.e. two double beds & one bathroom) Circle one. Yes No

I would like to room with \_\_\_\_\_

Or - I am willing to be matched with someone. Circle one. Yes No

**Registration and Payment** are required at the February 8, 2018 Guild meeting to secure your spot. The cheque, made payable to Kanata Quilt Guild, should be post dated to April 1, 2018. Lynn Price will be accepting registrations in the front hall at the beginning of the meeting. If you are unable to attend the February Guild meeting, you may contact Lynn at [lynnprice@sympatico.ca](mailto:lynnprice@sympatico.ca) and send your registration by mail to: Lynn Price, 21 Carbery Dr. Stittsville, ON K2S 1E5



## Retreat Schedule

**Thursday:** You may arrive anytime after 10:00 am. Leave your suitcase in the car and proceed to the banquet/sewing room to set-up your sewing station. I will arrange to have your room key ready to be issued to you, in the sewing room. Thursday lunch meal is not included in the cost of the retreat, so plan according. You may wish to bring your own lunch from home. Most buildings have access to a fridge to store any food and drinks from home.

Supper 6:00 PM

8:00 PM - Strip Poker - everyone needs to bring three solid or tone on tone 2.5" strips

**Silent Auction!!** We request each of you bring an item of interest that you would like to contribute to a silent auction activity. The auction will continue until Saturday night, at which time the auction will close at undisclosed timings. Find something old, new, recycled, quilting related, non-quilting related...something of value to someone else, or something just fun!

**Friday:** The sewing room is open 24 hours. Coffee, tea and water are provided in the sewing room. Please bring special snacks that you want to keep in your room or at your workstation or to share with others.

8:00 AM - Breakfast in Bistro

10:30 AM - **Block Draw** is handed out. This is a group project. Each lady is asked to do one simple block. Your name will be placed in a box and when all the blocks are completed there will be a draw. The lady whose name is chosen will get all the blocks.

12:00 PM - Lunch

6:00 PM - Supper

8:00 PM - Game time. **"Chase the Ace"**. If you would like to play, please bring three loonies. This is an easy game and lots of fun! The winner gets the pot of loonies!

**Saturday:**

08:00 AM - Breakfast



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10:00 AM - Small craft. Kits will be provided.

12:00 PM - Lunch

6:00 PM - Supper

7:30 PM - Show and Tell - bring a special quilt or recently finish quilt project.

8:30 PM - Silent Auction closes (times vary). Door Prize, Mystery Prize, Name-tag draw,

## Sunday:

10:00 AM - Brunch

2:00 PM - Wrap up

## Workshop Schedule Johanne Vajda

**Intermediate Free Motion Quilting Wendy Foster Birch March 15, 9:30 to 3:00 Price \$30**



This course is designed for machine quilters who are familiar with free motion stippling and are comfortable moving ahead to more complex designs. We will cover different meanderings, nested designs, flowers and leaves etc. This is not a beginner class! Students will also learn how to apply these new designs to their quilts. Battings and basting techniques will also be covered.

**Take Four Placemats**

**April 25, 9:30 to 3:30 Price \$20**



"Take Four" Placemat Set - Quick and easy project - a set of four placemats can be completed in a day! Consider making a set for every season or for gifts. Level: Beginner +. Has basic rotary cutting and sewing skills and also fun for more advanced quilters. Great way to practice free motion quilting. Finished size approx. 13 inches x 17 inches without borders. You have to purchase the pattern \$10.95 + 1.42 (tax) = \$12.37.



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## Ruler Bag



Johanne Vajda

May 23, 9:30 to 3:00

Price \$20

This bag is designed to hold all your small cutting mats and rulers and is ideal to take to workshops and classes and retreats. It has a button fastening which opens to reveal even more pockets.

## Out of Town Workshops (Perth)

### The Rebel Quilt



Libs Elliott

March 28, 9:30 to 4:30

Price \$75

Toronto fibre artist, fabric designer and innovator Libs Elliott is giving a one day workshop titled: The Rebel Quilt. Libs is a Toronto based modern fabric designer and artist, who uses computer code and technology to transfer a traditional craft into modern functional art at Lion's Hall, Perth. More info: Linda Lake (905)376-1220 - [llakeg@gmail.com](mailto:lakeg@gmail.com) or Marlene Starkman - (416)985-5687 [mstarkma1@gmail.com](mailto:mstarkma1@gmail.com).

We have 4 spaces remaining in our March 28 full day workshop with Libs Elliott - Canada's hottest modern quilt designer.

Why pay \$75 for a Tula Pink trunk show/talk when for the same money you can get a full day workshop for Libs? Join us for a trunk show and workshop, and learn her computer generated code quilting and unique style. Our price makes this a great day with a quilt instructor who is in demand coast to coast across Canada.

## Book Review Joanne Batchelor



**Oh, Scrap! - Lissa Alexander**

ISBN: 978-1-60468-894-8

Available at Amazon - Kindle -

\$12.41, Paperback - \$22.14

Tips for making colourful scrap quilts saturated with color, print, and texture. Insightful decisions about which fabrics work and which don't. I love the 'light' feel of these quilts.





## What can I say ... fabric alibis



## Free Quilting Apps

- 1) Quilting Calc - this includes calculators, fabric measurement converter, backing and batting calculator, Piece Count Calculator, Pieces to Area Calculator, Binding Calculator, Square in a Square Calculator, Set-in and Corner Triangle Calculator [Robert Kaufman Fabrics](#)
- 2) Block Fab - helps make the best of your fabric stash - [BlockFab](#)
- 3) Quilt Shops - for you snowbirds, this app will help quilters find their local quilt shops. [Quilter's Club of America](#)
- 4) Schmetz - this app provides a comprehensive reference to SCHMETZ needles for household sewing machines - <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.schmetz.needle&hl=en>
- 5) Quilting Tutorials - free quilting tutorial videos from Jenny Doan of the Missouri Star Quilt Company! <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/quilting-tutorials-by-msqc/id513781546?mt=8>



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## Jelly Roll Ideas Joanne Batchelor

Jelly Roll Challenge is coming up. Here's some websites with free patterns

<https://so-sew-easy.com/free-jelly-roll-quilt-patterns/>

<http://www.u-createcrafts.com/free-jelly-roll-quilt-patterns/>

<https://thesewingloftblog.com/jelly-roll-quilt-ideas/>



## Favourite Websites Joanne Batchelor

Do you have a link to something quilt related that you would like to share? Send it to

[newsletter@kanataquiltguild.com](mailto:newsletter@kanataquiltguild.com)

### ATTENTION QUILTERS

Dear fellow quilters

As some of you are already aware, each week I run a sewing group for residents at Cornerstone Housing for Women. We mostly do hand sewing, due to the fact that we have only one machine, which was generously donated by one of our guild members. Nevertheless it is a very popular group because, as we all know, being able to make something with your own hands is very satisfying. It always impresses me that these women, most of whom have come from living on the street and have so little, are more inclined to give their projects away than to make something for themselves. Lately several of the ladies have been asking to learn to how to use a sewing machine. So if any of you have a basic and portable machine relegated to the back of your cupboard when you upgraded, I would gratefully give it a new home at Cornerstone.

Thank you!

Mary McNamara (613-204-4370)



## Ottawa Touch Quilts Project

A community project for Ottawa-area Youth and Seniors. All are welcome.

***Touch Quilts improve quality of life for seniors with Alzheimer's and dementia***

All crafters are invited to our *free workshops* to make Touch Quilts for local seniors. Beginner and experienced sewers, quilters, and knitters are needed. Instruction will be provided.



*Join us Sundays from 1:30 – 4*  
Starting June 25<sup>th</sup>

*57 Bateman Drive, Nepean*  
behind Greenbank police st'n - wheelchair accessible - parking

Materials, equipment, and snacks provided ★ Fabric donations welcome

Participants may attend one or multiple workshops, however, **registration is required.**

Pour les francophones, si vous enregistrez pour une réunion, la traduction orale serait disponible.

Joan@enterprisingrabbit.com  
(613) 292-0256

[www.meetup.com/Ottawa-Touch-Quilts-Project-OTQP](http://www.meetup.com/Ottawa-Touch-Quilts-Project-OTQP)  
[www.facebook.com/OttawaTouchQuilts](http://www.facebook.com/OttawaTouchQuilts)



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## Calendar of Events

- **March 23-24, 2018** - Quilt Fever 2018 - Etobicoke Quilters' Guild - [www.quiltfever.ca](http://www.quiltfever.ca)
- **April 26-28, 2018** - Piecemakers 2018 Quilt Show - Huron Perth Quilters Guild and Stonetowne Quilters Guild - 317 James Street S, St. Marys, ON
- **May 4-6, 2018** - Feelings in Fabric 2018 - Kawartha Quiltmakers' Guild - 1545 Monaghan Rd, Peterborough, ON - [cathyvickers@aol.com](mailto:cathyvickers@aol.com)
- **May 5, 2018** - 10 to 3 - Hintonberg Fabric Flea Market (1064 Wellington Street), contact Kathleen for more information - [kathleentraeger7@gmail.com](mailto:kathleentraeger7@gmail.com) - tables still available.
- **May 11-13, 2018** - Common Thread Quilt Guild, Ottawa Ontario - <http://commonthreadquiltguild.ca/quilt-show/>
- **May 11-12, 2018** - Four Corners Quilt Guild <https://www.facebook.com/Guildquilters/> of Mount Forest - Mount Forest Ontario - <https://www.facebook.com/Guildquilters/>
- **May 22-26, 2018** - Quilt and Fibre Art Festival/Waterloo Region - [mepel@sympatico.ca](mailto:mepel@sympatico.ca)
- **May 29-June 3, 2018** - Courtpointe Québec - Lionel Groulx College, 100 Duquet St., Sainte Thérèse de Blainville - [www.courtpointequbec.com](http://www.courtpointequbec.com)
- **May 31 - June 2, 2018** - Quilt Canada - Vancouver BC - <https://canadianquilter.com/events/quilt-canada-2018/>
- **June 8,9,10, 2018** - Limestone Quilters' Guild - 120 Days Road, Kingston, ON - <https://limestonequiltersguild.wordpress.com/quilts-kingston-2018/>
- **Fibre Content** - September 6-16, 2018, Art Gallery of Burlington - <http://www.fibrations.org>.  
Deadline for entries is May 31st.

Où l'on partage la passion de la courpointe  
Where we share the passion for quilting

## Salon 2018

Exposition de courpointes et d'art textile  
Exhibition of quilts and textile arts

**29 mai-3 juin / 29 May-June 3**  
Collège Lionel-Groulx  
100 Rue Duquet, Sainte-Thérèse, QC J7E 3G6

Entrée / Entry Fee  
Membre / Member 13\$tx  
Non membre / Non Member 17\$tx  
Passport 25\$tx (4 jours / Days)

Artiste invitée / Guest Artist  
Colette Dumont

Plus de 200 créations,  
ateliers animés par des professeures chevronnées et  
grand choix de marchands.  
More than 200 art pieces,  
workshops by experienced instructors  
and wide selection of merchants.

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Etobicoke Quilters' Guild

## Quilt Fever 2018

Friday & Saturday  
March 23 & 24, 2018  
10 am to 5 pm daily

Two galleries filled with  
**AMAZING QUILTS**

PLUS ...  
Members' boutique  
Daily draws and prizes  
Tea room  
Merchants' mall  
Pick-to-win

Admission: \$8

Neilson Park Creative Centre  
56 Neilson Drive, Etobicoke, ON M9C 1V7  
416-622-5294  
[www.quiltfever.ca](http://www.quiltfever.ca)

NOT TO BE MISSED  
QUILT SHOW & SALE



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**Celebrating Quilters!**  
 May 31 to June 2, 2018  
 Vancouver Convention Centre, Vancouver, BC

- National Juried Show
- Huge Merchant Mall • Amazing Workshops & Lectures
- Multiple Quilt Shows • Evening Entertainment

For more information visit:  
[www.canadianquilter.com](http://www.canadianquilter.com)  
 Canadian Quilters' Association / Association canadienne de la courtèpointe

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**Volunteer!**  
 Interested in volunteering at Quilt Canada 2018?  
 We need your help! For more information...  
 Volunteer Coordinator:  
[QuiltCanadaVolunteer@canadianquilter.com](mailto:QuiltCanadaVolunteer@canadianquilter.com)



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## Richmond Fair 2018

**September 13<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018** - We have a great display of quilts at the Fair each year and would love to have your quilters show their work. There is an entry fee of \$10 per person, regardless of the number of items entered in the quilt classes or any of the home craft classes ( the full home craft prize list will be on the website in the next few months [www.richmondfair.ca](http://www.richmondfair.ca) ). The Homecraft entry form (1) and fee is taken (can be mailed) to the fair office by Friday September 7th and the quilt registration form (2) is brought in with the quilts at 7pm Monday September 10th. Any questions, please call me, Alison Tranter 613 838 5347 Thank You



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CANADIAN QUILTERS' ASSOCIATION  
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Hello Fellow Quilters;

As many of you have probably heard, Quilt Canada is coming to the EY Centre in Ottawa for June 13 to 15, 2019. Volunteers form the basis of a successful Quilt Canada and we are looking for your support and assistance. We are currently working to have an exciting lineup of classes and lectures booked, led by well known and capable International and national instructors. And preliminary plans in other areas are underway to lay the groundwork for a successful conference.

We are currently recruiting volunteers for the important Team Lead positions. These key volunteers will work closely with the CQA/ACC Conference Coordinator to deliver an amazing event. We are asking for your help in filling the following Team Lead positions:

**Workshop Team Lead** which will require about 15 hours per month prior to the Conference and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown.

**Volunteer Team Lead** which will require about 15-20 hours per month from October to June and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown.

**Merchant Mall Team Lead** which requires 2-5 hours per month prior to the Conference month prior to the Conference and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown.

**Logistics Team Lead** requires approximately hours 5 per week for 4-8 weeks prior to the show and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown.

**Concurrent Shows Team Lead** requires approximately 5 hours a week for two months prior to the Conference and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown.

**Publicity Team Lead** requires approximately 5 hours a week starting 10 months ahead of the Conference and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown.

**Signage Team Lead** requires approximately 5 hours a month, January to June and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown.

**Quilt Shows Set-up and Take Down Team Lead** requires approximately 4 hours per week for 6-8 weeks prior to the show and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown.

**National Juried Show Coordinator** requires approximately 10 hours a week for 3 months prior to the Conference and full attendance for all of the days of the Conference, including set-up and takedown. This position is suitable for a team of 2 to undertake.

Detailed job descriptions of the Quilt Canada Team Lead positions are available on the CQA/ACC website [here](#). For additional information about these positions, please contact CQA/ACC Executive Director, Carole McCarville, [execdir@canadianquilter.com](mailto:execdir@canadianquilter.com).

CQA/ACC would like to have all the Team Leads in place by May 21, 2018 so that you can help us with the planning. Please submit your expression of interest to Carole McCarville, [execdir@canadianquilter.com](mailto:execdir@canadianquilter.com)



# Kanata Quilt Guild

March 2018 Newsletter

[www.kanataquiltguild.com](http://www.kanataquiltguild.com)

## Classified Ads Lynn Price

Do you have a quilt related item that you would like to sell, a garage sale where we could find sewing supplies or a skill such as long arming that you would like to advertise?

Consider the Kanata Quilt Guild's newsletter that reaches at least 170 members every month. The monthly prices of advertising in this way are very competitive:

|               |         |
|---------------|---------|
| Business Card | \$5.00  |
| Quarter Page  | \$10.00 |
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Send your information to [treasurer@kanataquiltguild.com](mailto:treasurer@kanataquiltguild.com) in JPEG or .doc format before the twentieth of the month and be sure to pay Lynn Price the required amount at the monthly meetings.

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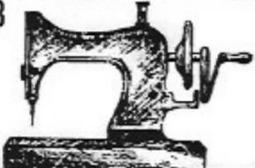
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## Photos on the Website Amanda Vajda, [webmanager@kanataquiltguild.com](mailto:webmanager@kanataquiltguild.com)

Did you tick "no" to having pictures of yourself and/or your quilts on the Kanata Quilt Guild website when you completed your membership registration? This is certainly your choice, and a few members have done so. However, when our guild photographer, **Karine Chapleau**, is taking photos of the Show and Tell portion of our meetings, she has no way of knowing what your choice may have been, and nor do I, when it comes time to upload a slideshow of those photos for everyone's enjoyment.

So, may I suggest that those of you who have opted to leave your work out of the guild's slideshows of inspiration, please alert the photographer before you show your work to the assembled members.

Alternatively, if you do change your mind, please let the membership volunteers know and they will update your preference. Much appreciated!

## Membership Ruth Bennett and Dianne Wilson

Membership fee is \$35. Name tag is \$7.00, Membership benefits include monthly meetings, monthly newsletter, priority registration and preferential rate on sew days, workshops, retreats and special events. Download the 2017-18 Membership Form from our website and hand it in at our monthly meeting with payment. Membership runs from July 1 to June 30.

<http://www.kanataquiltguild.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/KQG-Membership-Form-2017-2018.pdf>

## Newsletter Deadlines Joanne Batchelor

| Newsletter | Deadline       |
|------------|----------------|
| April 2018 | March 31, 2018 |

E-mail submissions to [newsletter@kanataquiltguild.com](mailto:newsletter@kanataquiltguild.com)





# Kanata Quilt Guild

March 2018 Newsletter

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| Shop of the Month      | Heidi Taylor                             |  |
| CQA Representative     | Dorothy Wilson                           |  |
| Free Table             | Joanne Batchelor                         |  |
|                        | Lynda Smyth                              |  |
| Photographer           | Karine Chapleau                          |  |
| Backup Photographer    | Rose Hutchngame                          |  |
| Retreat Coordinator    | Lynn Price, Susan Colbert & Debby Holden |  |
| Quilt Show Coordinator | Beth van Wyngaarden                      |  |
|                        | Judy Thomson                             |  |