

March 2022 Newsletter

Message from our President, Marie Kalisch

Our Newsletter Editor, Val Darling is now at home recovering from a recent heart attack, and on behalf of our Executive and all of our Members, we wish Val a VERY SPEEDY RECOVERY! I am sorry to say that I am not quite as tech-savvy as Val, so am unable to set up the beautiful Newsletter she has created each month for all of us. Therefore, this e-mail will have to suffice in the meantime.

Well, Sunday, March 20th WAS the official first day of Spring! It reminds me that everything will be bursting with new life and can hardly wait to see the crocus and daffodils popping up in everyone's gardens - even the fresh smell of the air. And spring cleaning :(Hopefully this Spring will bring new life to the long-awaited gatherings, quilt shows, fabric shopping and everything quilters love - but remember to stay cautious as Covid is still around. Speaking of gathering, we still have no official in-person meeting information from the Museum, but will continue to keep everyone informed when we do.

As always, HAPPY QUILTING!

My anecdote for the month:

Housework only comes before quilting in the dictionary!

PLEASE NOTE: Val Darling, has officially resigned from her post as Newsletter Editor for obvious reasons. If anyone is willing and able to fill this position until at least end of June, please get in touch with Marie Kalisch, kalisch572@icloud.com, Mobile 1-204-963-1951, or Shirley Hatch, hatchps@csolve.net, 705-721-8449. Thank you!

OUR NEXT SCQG ZOOM MEETING WILL BE THURSDAY, MARCH 24th, 2022, at 1:00 p.m. The login id and password are the same as always, but the actual invitation will be e-mailed sometime between Tuesday and Wednesday - please watch for it.

Christine Lewis, Program Co-ordinator has yet another fantastic programme lined up for us -

Paul Leger! Paul was in the Canadian Military and was taught quilting by our very own friend and member, Joan Winter. Paul has made over 150 quilts and will share with us his journey in quilting.

AFTER THE PRESENTATION, we can have a show and share, so please get your items ready for this. It has been such a loooong time since we have been able to gather in person and see what everyone is working on, so it would be nice if we can at least have you hold up a project or two (or three) in front of your computer camera. We all LOVE to see what each other is working on :)

Our ZOOM SEWING DAY will be on Monday, April 4th from 10:30 - 3:00, with the login id and password the same as our monthly meetings, with the actual invitation being sent the day before.

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Donna Klein Gebbinek has kindly agreed to be the SCQG's Rep again this year. A separate e-mail will be sent with all the information and registration forms.

ADVERTISING

While we are unable to scan in our advertisers business cards on this email, please note that we have an obligation to them, and they are listed below. Also, if you happen to be shopping at any of their stores, it would be great if you would mention that you are from the SCQG and thank them for their sponsorship. It DOES mean a lot to them!

NOTE: The Hills and Valleys Shop Hop will be held April 28, 29 and 30th. We will have more details for you in the April Newsletter.

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Stayner ON

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Bethany ON

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Barrie ON

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Barrie ON

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