

# SCRAPS OF WISDOM

# Waterloo County Quilters' Guild



## President's May Message

Our Annual General Meeting will take place at our guild meeting on June 19th, so please plan to be in attendance. It's hard to believe the guild year will be coming to a close so soon. But don't worry, we already have lots of exciting things planned for next year. Membership renewals will be available soon, and we hope to see you back for another year of quilting fun. We'll have a few extra events throughout the year as we celebrate our guild's 40th anniversary! I still consider myself to be fairly 'new' to the guild, but I'm sure a lot has changed over the past forty years. And who knows what changes are in store in the years to come? No matter what the future holds, there are two things I know will always be at the heart of our guild; a love of quilting and a desire for community.

- Breanna Gaudaur, President

The Waterloo County Quilters' Guild provides an opportunity for quilters to learn in a supportive, sharing, social environment. We encourage you to get the most out of your membership by becoming more deeply involved in the guild.

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## GATHERINGS

Wednesday, May 1, 2024

10:30am - 3:00pm

Please refrain from wearing perfume to Gatherings as some members are allergic or sensitive to them.

## May Program

**Wednesday, May 15, 2024 7pm ET on Zoom**

### **“Modern Blended” with Susan Madu**

We are delighted to have Susan Madu with us for our May guild meeting! Susan will present her lecture and slide show: “Modern Blended”.

Susan Madu is a retired CPA and a passionate creator and quilter. Susan has been quilting for over 35 years and garment sewing since she could reach up to a sewing machine. Susan is never without a sketch-book or some project in her hands.



Her quilting has evolved from making quilts from commercial patterns to designing her own patterns under the ‘Modern Blended Quilts’ banner. Susan’s patterns appeal to traditional and modern quilters alike. A central theme of Susan’s patterns is blending together elements of traditional and modern quilting.

Susan teaches regularly and has been described as a knowledgeable teacher who takes great joy in sharing techniques and tips to help class participants be successful in their quilting projects.

Susan shares her insights with humour from the perspective of having learned the hard way what not to do—“ask me how I know!” For the last 7 years, Susan has been teaching workshops and presenting trunk shows in person and via Zoom. In June 2023, Susan shared her tips and tricks for 3 different workshops at Quilt Canada.

Susan has designed over 25 patterns and one of her innovative techniques in her pattern “Bright Squares” has been included in *Studio 180 Design Ltd.’s ‘Designer Gallery’*. Susan’s “Mid Century Modern” quilt won first place in the Modern category at Quilt Canada 2021, and will be part of the 2023 Best of Canadian Quilts exhibit at the New England Quilt Museum and again at Quilt Canada 2024.

Building quilting community and supporting local quilt shops are important to Susan. Given this, her patterns can only be found in your local quilt shop. Susan’s patterns are available to local quilt shops by her Canadian distributor, Erie Quilt Art.

For more information about Susan, please visit the following:

Instagram: @modernblendedquilts, Modernblendedquilts@gmail.com Calgary, AB Canada

- Ev Cameron, for the Program Committee



**BLOCK**  
*Donations*  
**AT QUILT CANADA 2024**



Drop-Off Location  
Edmonton Convention Centre in  
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Drop-Off Dates  
**June 19-22, 2024**  
Size of blocks  
**12.5 inch blocks**  
Not attending Quilt Canada?  
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We are looking for Block donations at Quilt Canada 2024 in Edmonton, Alberta.

We have a goal of 1000 Donated Blocks!!!

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## Size

The blocks you donate for Quilts for Survivors to Quilt Canada 2024 may be of any Block Pattern as long as the size is 12.5" x 12.5".

## Fabric Restrictions

- No Religious fabrics
- No School related fabrics
- No Travel related fabrics
- No graphic illustrations or images
- No gang related fabrics

**You may drop your blocks off during the April, May & June Gatherings at the UFO/QOVC table. They will be delivered to Quilt Canada.**

## Quilt Trimmings and Small Scraps

Eleanor from The Shoebox Workshop sends her thanks.

From the last delivery, the scraps were used to make 20 pencil cases and squares to make quilt tops that are then sent to Thrift on Kent to be finished and tied. The quilt clippings are used to stuff little pillows. The bits of fleece are cut into pieces and sewn together to make play balls for the little kids. Remember, let us

Share/recycle and not trash! - Helene Doerfler

## Our Virtual Vendor for May is

**Keystone Modern Creative**

**7-851 Lagimodiere Blvd, Winnipeg MB**

<https://keystonemoderncreative.com/>



## Nautical Needle Sets Sail to Australia

The Nautical Needle will welcome passengers on its second voyage January 24-26, 2025, – this time with the exciting destination of Australia. The cost of this virtual experience remains the same at \$50. per passenger for a single cabin. Registration will open September 1, 2024. Pre-cruise packages are already being developed and will begin shipping in September after registration opens. More information will follow in the coming weeks and months.



The crew is hard at work putting the plans in place for another exciting virtual cruise. As such, the crew would like to invite proposals from WCQG members to share a presentation / demonstration and / or workshop during this cruise.

The presentation should be –

- About an hour in length
- Involve a demonstration, presentation (e.g. slide show), and / or a workshop
- Provide a hand-out for cruise passengers supporting the session
- Provide sufficient explanation during the hour that the participants should be able to complete the project following the session, if a project is involved.

If you have an idea that you are considering offering, but are reluctant due to technology, support is available, and guidance can be provided. If you are interested in this invitation or would like more information, please contact Inge Ford. The crew would like to hear from anyone who might be interested to respond by the end of April.



## WANTED: Fabric Postcards

Our secretary, Doris Martin, would happily accept more donations of fabric postcards. If you would like to make some postcards for the guild's use, please follow these guidelines:

- Use card stock for the back (fabric is too difficult to write on).
- Each postcard must be accompanied by a correctly sized envelope that will properly fit the postcard, to ensure confidentiality for the recipient.
- The envelope must be no larger than 9" x 6", and no thicker than .02" with the postcard inside (minimum size according to Canada Post is 5.6" x 6.1" with a thickness of 0.007").

Please drop off your donations of postcards at Gatherings beginning in October—there will be a labelled basket or box on the sign-in table at the entrance for you to leave your postcards. - Doris Martin.

## Virtual Show and Share for May

Please send pictures of your quilts, with a sentence or two about them, and the dimensions, to [kathleenbissett@me.com](mailto:kathleenbissett@me.com) by Sunday, May 12, so they can be included in our virtual Show and Share.

**Thank you,  
Jean Weller**

For your presentation during our April Gatherings!



## SMILE QUILTS

Last month we collected 25 quilts. Making a Smile Quilt can be a win-win!

Experiment with a pattern; use up scraps or strips; dig out a UFO and add a few borders.

Whatever size your project turn out, it will be suitable for one of the many age groups we support. We supply batting and backing, and we have a table of donated fabrics from which to choose.

The reward? You will find a smile on your own face. 😊

Smile Quilt Committee

Peggy, Helene, Bonnie & Emily

## CLASSIFIEDS

**IN SEARCH OF... Amy Butler Weekender Bag Pattern**

Helen Baker would like to purchase this pattern.

Please contact her at [hrbaker50@gmail.com](mailto:hrbaker50@gmail.com) or call 519-622-7919



### Searching for . . .

mid-armers or longarmers to volunteer to quilt a finished top into a Quilt of Valour. Batting and backing can be provided. Once bound, this completed quilt will be presented to a male or female Canadian Armed Forces veteran who has served in a combat or peacekeeping mission including theatres of war OR has become ill or injured as a result of their service to Canada, at home or abroad.



If you can volunteer your time, expertise and thread to this very worthy cause, please contact Deby Wettges.



# FIBRE ARTS

## 2024 JURIED EXHIBITION

With **Fibre Arts 2024**, it is the intent of Button Factory Arts to recognize and celebrate the current state of Fibre Arts practice in the Waterloo Region. Choice of materials, processes and subject matter are wide open; excellence in design, execution and expression are the key criteria by which work will be selected for this first of what we hope will be regular Fibre Arts focused exhibitions.

These are the important dates:

**Digital Submission for jurying:** Opens Saturday, April 27, closes Wednesday, May 1, midnight

**Acceptance Notification:** Tuesday, May 7

**Drop off Selected works at BFA:** Saturday, May 11, 10 - 5 pm

**Exhibition Opening:** Friday, May 17, 5 - 7 pm

**Exhibition dates:** May 17 – June 14

**Pick up for works in Exhibition:** Saturday, June 15, 10 – 5 pm

Here is the link to the call for entry: <https://www.buttonfactoryarts.ca/fibre-arts-2024>

Location: Button Factory Arts, 25 Regina St. S., Waterloo ON

*Helenium by June Horwich*

## HEART PILLOWS

Thank you to the many guild members who are continuing to make heart pillows to support the patients in the Cardiac Unit at St.

Mary's General Hospital. At the April Gatherings, we were able to collect sufficient pillows that we are well on our way to having enough pillow make to almost cover the summer months. Our goal is to have enough pillows made in advance to supply the hospital

will pillows to the end of September, since the guild doesn't meet during the summer.

At the May Gatherings, we will have fabric kits, red hearts, and fibre fill available for anyone who would like to continue to make some pillows. The staff and patients at the hospital continue to appreciate the efforts of our guild members who are making these pillows. - Inge Ford



# GATHERINGS

**Wednesday, May 1, 2024 10:30am - 3:00pm**

Join us for another interesting day at Gatherings in the Community Room at Albert McCormick Community Centre on Wednesday, May 1. **Our featured member this month will be Bonnie Murdoch who will demonstrate how to create fabulous fabric postcards.** You may wish to donate your postcards to Doris Martin, our guild secretary, for her to use when communicating with members or keep them to send to friends and family.

**If you wish to make a postcard at Gatherings, see the list of supplies below.**

Doors open at 10:30am for members. There will be representatives from Membership, Library, Heart Pillows for SMH Cardiac Care, SMILE, PAL, Memory, Quilts of Valour, UFO's and Fabric Curator. We would ask that members come for a 10:30 start to the day. This will give those Outreach Members, Library and Membership time to set up their areas from 10:00 to 10:30 for your enjoyment. *The Library will be open from 10:30am to 2:00pm.*

Bring a mug if you would like to enjoy a hot beverage. Come and enjoy part of all of the day with your quilting friends. Hope to see you there.

Coordinators: Jean McFarlane and Elaine LaRonde

## Supplies for Postcards

Thread (3 of your favorite colours), needles and scissors

Any embellishments, i.e. seed beads, small buttons, embroidery floss, ribbon, lace, scraps of pre-fused fabric, ready to be ironed on

Glue stick

Orphan blocks that would fit 4" x 6" (optional)

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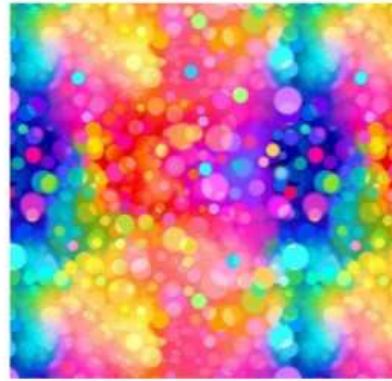
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If you know of a guild member who has become ill, please let our secretary, **Doris Martin**, know so she can send a get well card from all of us.

**SPOOLS FOR SCHOOLS**



As Gatherings continue, we'll continue to collect empty spools of any shape, size or colour to support STEM programs in schools. Bring your empty spools to Gatherings and deposit them in the box marked for that purpose. If you have any questions, contact Kerry Johnson at [kerryjohnson30@gmail.com](mailto:kerryjohnson30@gmail.com)



## Interested in Slow Stitching or Appliqué the Afternoon Away?

Join us every third Wednesday of the month to work on your own appliqué or slow stitching project. This is a self-led, drop in program, all skill levels are welcome.

**WMRC Pavilion**

**101 Father David Bauer Drive, Waterloo**

- Drop-in takes place at the Waterloo Memorial Recreation Complex - Community Pavilion, unless otherwise noted.
- View the schedule and register at [www.waterloo.ca/activewaterloo](http://www.waterloo.ca/activewaterloo)
- Adult Leisure fees are \$2.25 per visit unless otherwise noted. Purchase an Adult Leisure 10-visit pass for \$20.24
- 1 to 4pm
- May 15, and June 19
- **Any questions? Contact Fabia Joyce**

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## **UFO Challenge Update**

Due to technical difficulties, the UFO Challenge draw has been delayed until our May Guild meeting. Here is an update on this year's Challenge:

- 12 members participated
- 37 UFO's were entered
- 26 UFO's were finished and the pics sent to Kathy for Show and Share (each time a finished UFO was shown I entered the maker's name for the draw). The winner will be posted in the June newsletter

**Best of luck to all those who participated this year. The cash prize will be \$74.00 and a WCQG Rosette.**



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## LIBRARY NEWS

We have a winner! The Library Learning Challenge ended in April, and a draw was held during the April Zoom meeting for all those who participated. And the winner is... Sharon Smith! Sharon gets one free Sewing Together But Apart Day. A big thanks and well done to those who participated in the Challenge!

The following additions to our collection will be available starting at May Gatherings:

- “Fun with Panels” by Cyndi McChesney. Cyndi did a workshop for the guild and this book features quilts made by Inge Ford, Joan Holland, Jean Weller and Lilla Hall.
- “Crumb Quilts - Scrap Quilting the Zero Waste Way” by Emily Bailey. Emily was one of the speakers in one of the concurrent sessions during International Quilting Day
- “Collage Quilter” by Emily Taylor
- “Intentional Piecing” by Amy Friend

Is there a quilting book on which you’d love to get your hands? We’re open to your suggestions for new books to purchase for the guild library. Email [wdqglibrary@gmail.com](mailto:wdqglibrary@gmail.com) with your ideas.

Thanks to a recent donation of books, the sale table will be up and running again at May Gatherings - come and see if anything strikes your fancy!

May Gatherings is the last time the library will be open before summer break, as we use the June Gatherings to conduct inventory. You may check out books in May; all books must be returned at the June Gatherings.

Friendly reminders about your library:

- We’re open at each monthly Gatherings from 10:30am to 2pm
- You can borrow 5 books each month, or 4 books and 3 magazines
- Borrowers must be current members and use their new library card (which you will receive you check in at the Membership table)
- Online orders are welcome. Email us at [wcqglibrary@gmail.com](mailto:wcqglibrary@gmail.com) by 6pm on the Monday before our next Gatherings. You can preview the library inventory by clicking on the “Library Inventory” button on our website.

- Anne Schott, Eileen Yorysh and Sandy Bussey, Your Library Team

## Sewing Together, But Apart - May 8, 2024

We are fortunate to once again be able to offer two speakers for the STBA day in May. This will be a day where we focus on two quilting techniques - a great opportunity to enhance our skills.

In the morning, Sarah Humphreys will join us from the UK. Her lecture will be "Cultivating Confidence in Free Motion Quilting".

Sarah shared this presentation at the March IQD. Whether you are hearing it for the first time - or for a second time, this is always something new to learn from Sarah. She has shared her passion for free motion quilting with other guilds, and at the Birmingham Quilt Festival.

Sarah shares that you have may heard that the key to confident free motion quilting is practice - but how do you do this? What should you practice? How can you improve your technique? Sarah is an experienced and enthusiastic free motion quilter. Advice will be given on selecting tools and materials, and there will be a wealth of tips and tricks for cultivating your quilting confidence. Make sure you have a notebook!!



In the afternoon, we are fortunate to have Darlene Price, who will share her "Journey of Thread Painting".

Darlene is an avid photographer and has incorporated photos and thread to create art quilts. She combines photography and sewing, and she describes this as her "happy place".

She shares the basics of thread painting using photography as the base for the artwork. A photograph gives you the correct perspective and shadowing. Thread painting enhances the work to bring it to an art quilt. She will outline what influences her work, and where she finds her inspiration. Her trunk show will feature many of her art quilts.

Darlene has shared her trunk show and workshops with many guilds and loves to inspire and encourage quilters to add this technique to their quilting strategies. If you have ever considered learning more about thread painting, or are looking to enhance your skills in this area, this is the session for you.

Once again, our STBA day will provide lots of inspiration, ideas, new techniques and motivation - whether it's being inspired by the quilts our speakers have made, or learning more about how to use these skills in our quilts. Hope you can join us.



Be sure to go to the website to register for the day. Once you have registered, please email Inge Ford.



## Quilts of Valour - Canada Society

During our April Gatherings, these 3 quilts were generously donated to Quilts of Valour Canada by Inge Ford. The CAF recipients will certainly appreciate them.

- Deby Wettges



### Brita Nelson Workshop

*Making Magic: A Disappearing Block  
Sampler Quilt*

Online via Zoom

Saturday, May 4: 10:30 to 4:30 pm, Eastern

Cost: \$60 CAD plus pattern



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# The Secret Codes: African Nova Scotian Quilts

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*The Secret Codes: African Nova Scotian Quilts* brings together historic and contemporary quilts from makers connected to Nova Scotia, embodying the stories and voices of the community. Curated by David Woods, this exhibition includes more than 35 quilts and a selection of 8 paintings that highlight the various functions of quilts over time: as decorated blankets in the home, as possible codes of communication for enslaved people seeking freedom, as records of family history, as a celebration of Black women and culture, and as inspiration for other art forms.

Organized by BANNNS (Black Artists Network of Nova Scotia)

Exhibition runs from October 28, 2023 to August 18, 2024

Textile Museum of Canada, 55 Centre Avenue. Toronto ON

<https://textilemuseum.ca/event/the-secret-codes-african-nova-scotian-quilts/>



**WEFTFest: Woolwich Expressions in Fibre Traditions**

Join us for the 2nd annual WEFTFest Fibre Arts Festival in St. Jacobs. This 10 day festival includes a quilt display, fibre arts show and auction, vendors, guild show, fashion show, speakers, and workshops. Learn, shop, play, or just sit back and relax at our tea room while you admire the art. If you love the fibre arts, you will love this festival.

<https://weftfest.ca/>

# D.O.T.S.

(Dunnville's Own Tiny Stitchers)

## Garden of Quilts

Friday May 31, 2024 10am-6pm

Saturday June 1, 2024 10am-5pm

No. 6 RCAF Museum, 536 Port Maitland Rd., Dunnville

Admission - \$10.00 Children under 10 free

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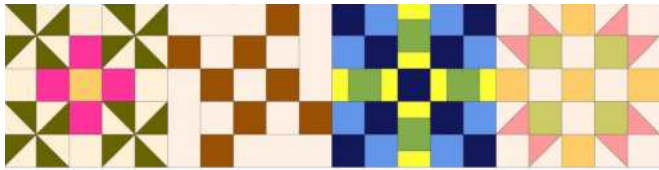
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## OPEN SEWING MONDAYS

If you haven't yet joined us for an Open Sewing get together on a Monday afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00, we invite you to join us on Zoom. We have a fun time connecting with other quilters. It's a very relaxed atmosphere where participants have the opportunity to sew for a couple of hours and participate in conversations, perhaps ask a question, get some ideas for a quilt on which you are working, go to a break-out room for a more private conversation, or just listen to the friendly banter. The Zoom link is always found in the weekly update and remains the same until the end of August. Our Open Sewing days continue each Monday for the entire summer. If you are looking for a way to get to know more quilters in the guild, this is a great informal way to build new relationships. We look forward to having you join us. - Inge Ford



# ROM Celebrates the Artistry of Quilts in Canada

## *Quilts: Made in Canada* displays rare quilts from ROM's collection



TORONTO, April 11, 2024 - This summer, the **Royal Ontario Museum (ROM)** will celebrate the artistry of quilt making with a new exhibition highlighting remarkable Canadian-made quilts. Showcasing significant quilts drawn from ROM's extensive collection, *Quilts: Made in Canada* opens on **June 29** and runs through to **November 14, 2024**.

*Quilts: Made in Canada* will present over twenty exceptional examples of quilting from the 1850s through to the present. In pieces from across the country, the tradition of quilt making in Canada reveals a long-standing commitment to the reuse of materials, as well as the importance of community. Throughout the exhibition, visitors will encounter intricate designs and homemade details that capture everyday life in both

historic and contemporary Canada, further illustrating the enduring relevance and power of the medium.

"From the homespun quilts of early settlers to the richly patterned quilts of contemporary Indigenous makers, this exhibition is an intimate history of more than 150 years of life in Canada," says **Josh Basseches, ROM Director & CEO**.

*Quilts: Made in Canada* showcases the art of quilt making through thematic sections that focus on remake and reuse, creativity, family and community. From the traditional bed cover to the intricately adorned show piece, these exquisitely patterned and meticulously detailed quilts speak to the ingenuity and skill of their makers across generations.

"Treasured by families and descendants of those who make them, these quilts are now treasured by ROM," says **Arlene Gehmacher, L.R. Wilson Curator of Canadian Art & Culture** and advising curator to *Quilts: Made in Canada*. "We are honoured to showcase these heirlooms and offer visitors an exceptional moment to appreciate quilt making."

Highlights of the exhibition include the memorial quilt from Toronto's Casey House, a special hospital caring for people living with and at risk of HIV, as well as *The Tree of Peace Saves the Earth* by Minaajimo-Kwe, a member of Curve Lake First Nation, where quilting acts as an expression of Indigenous power and sovereignty.

The variety of quilts on display throughout the exhibition will offer plenty of inspiration for visitors to try their own hand at designing a quilt with an interactive hands-on activity in the gallery. Programs and special events for both novice and experienced quilters alike will take place throughout the run of the exhibition.

ROM Members will have the first opportunity to experience *Quilts: Made in Canada* at the Member Preview on Friday, June 28. *Quilts: Made in Canada* is free with general admission and on display at ROM from June 29 to November 14, 2024, in ROM's Level 3, Third Floor Centre Block.

EXHIBITION PATRON

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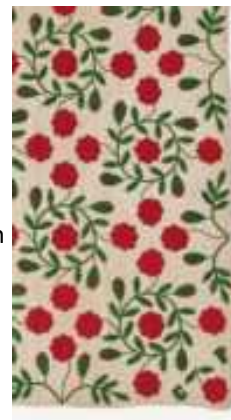
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Interested in a possible  
bus tour to the ROM?  
Watch for a survey  
coming out Thursday,  
May 2nd in this regard.



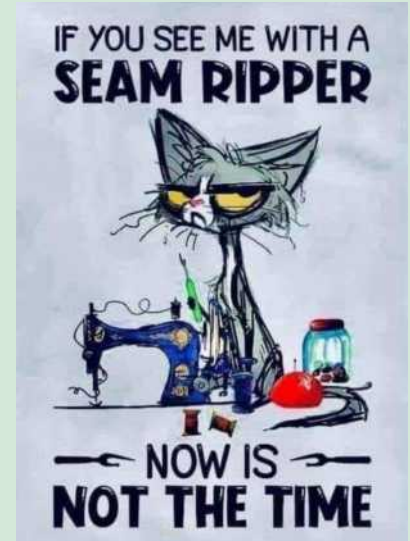
Appliqué Quilt, "Wreath of Flowers" or "garden wreath" detail, 1865, Catherine Petit Gage, Fruitland ON. Appliquéd and pieced cotton. Gift of Hattie I and Charlotte Jones

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## Upcoming ONLINE Speakers

**May** - Susan Madu - 'Modern Blended'

**June** - Edyta Sitar - 'Edyta's Trunk Show of Favorite Quilts' and our **Annual General Meeting**



## The Quilting Months Ahead...

### Elected Officers of the Guild 2023-2024

**President:** Breanna Gaudaur

**Vice President:** Ruthanne Snider

**Treasurer:** Andrea Heimrich

**Secretary:** Doris Martin

**Past President:** Gail Berry-Graham

### Standing Committees

**Historian:** Deby Wettges

**Librarians:** Anne Schott, Eilleen Yorysh & Sandy Bussey

**Membership:** Laura Huras, Madeline Hughes, Pat Lockyer & Betty Anne Scott

**Newsletter:** Marg Sandiford  
Pat Lockyer - Mailings

**Advertising Co-ordinator :** Marg Sandiford

**Facebook & Instagram:** Hannah

**Program & Workshops:** Sylvia Fernley, Ev Cameron, Joan Holland, Madeline Hughes & Inge Ford

**Quilt Exhibit:** Elaine La Ronde & Inge Ford, Co-chairs

**Website & Online Store:** Kathy Bissett

**Communication Coordinator:** Gail Berry-Graham

**Zoom Coordinator:** Inge Ford

**Gatherings Coordinators:** Jean McFarlane and Elaine La Ronde

Day/Month	Date	Activity
October 28, 2023 To August 18, 2024		The Secret Codes: African Nova Scotian Quilts at the Textile Museum in Toronto
May	1	Gatherings at Albert McCormick Community Centre in Waterloo
May	3,4	Niagara Modern Quilt Expo—Fonthill ON
May	8	STBA with Sarah Humphreys and Darlene Price
May	15	Regular Guild Meeting on Zoom with Susan Madu
May	17—26	WEFTFest Woolwich Expressions in Fibre Traditions in St Jacobs
May 17 to June 15		Fibre Arts 2024 Juried Exhibition at the Button Factory Arts in Waterloo
May 17 to June 15		'Stitchin' Little' and 'Sew Whimsey' at The Quilt Place in Shakespeare
May 31 to June 1		DOTS Garden of Quilts—Dunnville ON Quilts in Bloom—Jerseyville ON It's a Charming Quilt World—Feversham ON
June	7,8	Quilts on the Grand 2024—Fergus ON
June 29 to November 14		Quilts: Made in Canada at the ROM in Toronto

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