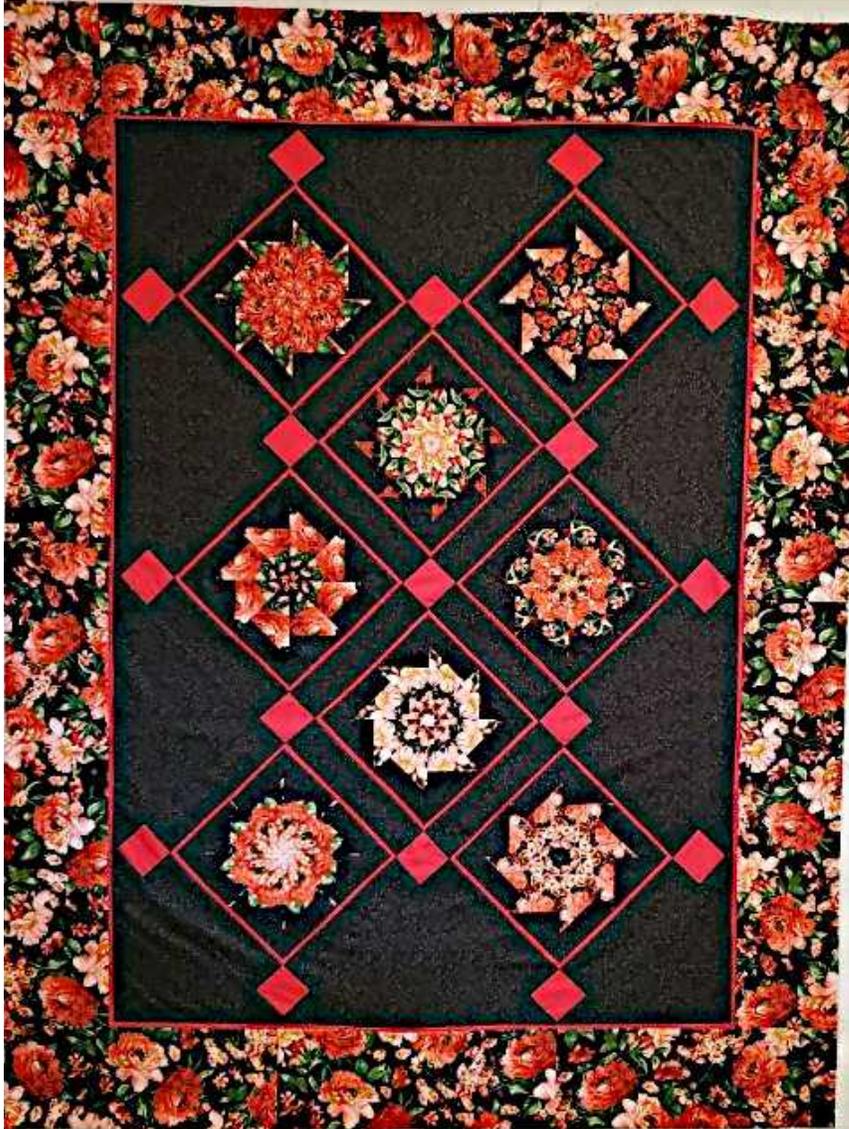




Welcome to the Waterloo County Quilters' Guild's  
March 2023 Virtual Show and Share.

Thank you to these talented quilters who have shared their  
current projects.



Spinning Kaleidoscope: Pattern Source: Patchwork & Quilting by Julie Wallace. Stack and Whack technique. Machine pieced by Leah Mitchell. Custom quilted by Painted Pony Quiltworks. I loved the setting for these blocks. Completed 2020.

This quilt is available for the Quilt Exhibit.

54" x 74"

Leah Mitchell



This wall hanging is the prototype used to test my pattern design for the 2008 CQA/ACC Trend-Tex Challenge. I selected fabric from my stash that closely resembled the five fat quarters supplied for the challenge and I added a black fabric. The challenge fabrics were jewel tones of wine, teal, two shades of gold and blue. My first thought was that they would make a wonderful *Amish Bar Quilt*. I expanded that thought and added dimensional Bezel blocks. The design worked so I left the prototype unfinished to work on the challenge. I hand quilted it with cables in the bars and embellished the Bezel blocks with yo-yos and large black buttons. It was titled "*Almost Amish*" and raised \$75 for CQA/ACC. This finished prototype is quilted in the ditch by machine with big stitch hand quilted cables in the bar strips and embellished with black glass buttons.

24" x 32"

Leah Mitchell





*The Journey Home*, this is a UFO. I found this panel two years ago and set it aside and have finally finished it. I wanted to never forget all the Indigenous children who were ripped from their families and sent to Residential Schools far from home. 26½" X 32"

Glenda Dippel

*Accidental Beach*, this is from Karen Eckmeier's class on Feb 25th. It was a lot of fun and I can't wait to expand on my new knowledge and skills to do more accidental scenes.

Thank you Karen!

16½" X 19"

Glenda Dippel





This is a UFO I put into the challenge. It was a mystery quilt from *The Quilt Place* in Shakespeare from 2022. I chose the color green. I signed up and then I had to move so I collected the instructions. As I knew what it looked like finished and it was not my style I chose the pattern *Bloom* by Christine Van Buskirk. I am very happy with the quilt and it's going on my own bed.  
80" x 61"

Joan Holland

This is for my niece who is having her first child, a girl. Mama's favorite thing is whales so I was grateful I found just the right pattern! The pattern is from a book called *Fat Quarter Baby*, Sew Emma patterns. Quilted to look like waves. 40" x 36"

Joan Holland





I was cleaning up my fabric cupboard and surprised by how much polka dot fabric I had accumulated. So....this is another *Smile Quilt*.  
40" X 52"

Ruthanne Snider



This is a *Smile Quilt* made from Donna Robinson's *The Magic of 3-Yard Quilts* and some fun frog fabric given to me by a friend.  
45" X 56"

Ruthanne Snider



This pattern is called "*Dripping Diamonds*" from the library book, *Fast, Flirty and Fun*, by Sarah Bisel. The diamonds are on their side in this photo because the snow was too deep in my yard to hang the quilt the other way! I use this when reading in my favourite chair.  
48" X 59"

Ruthanne Snider

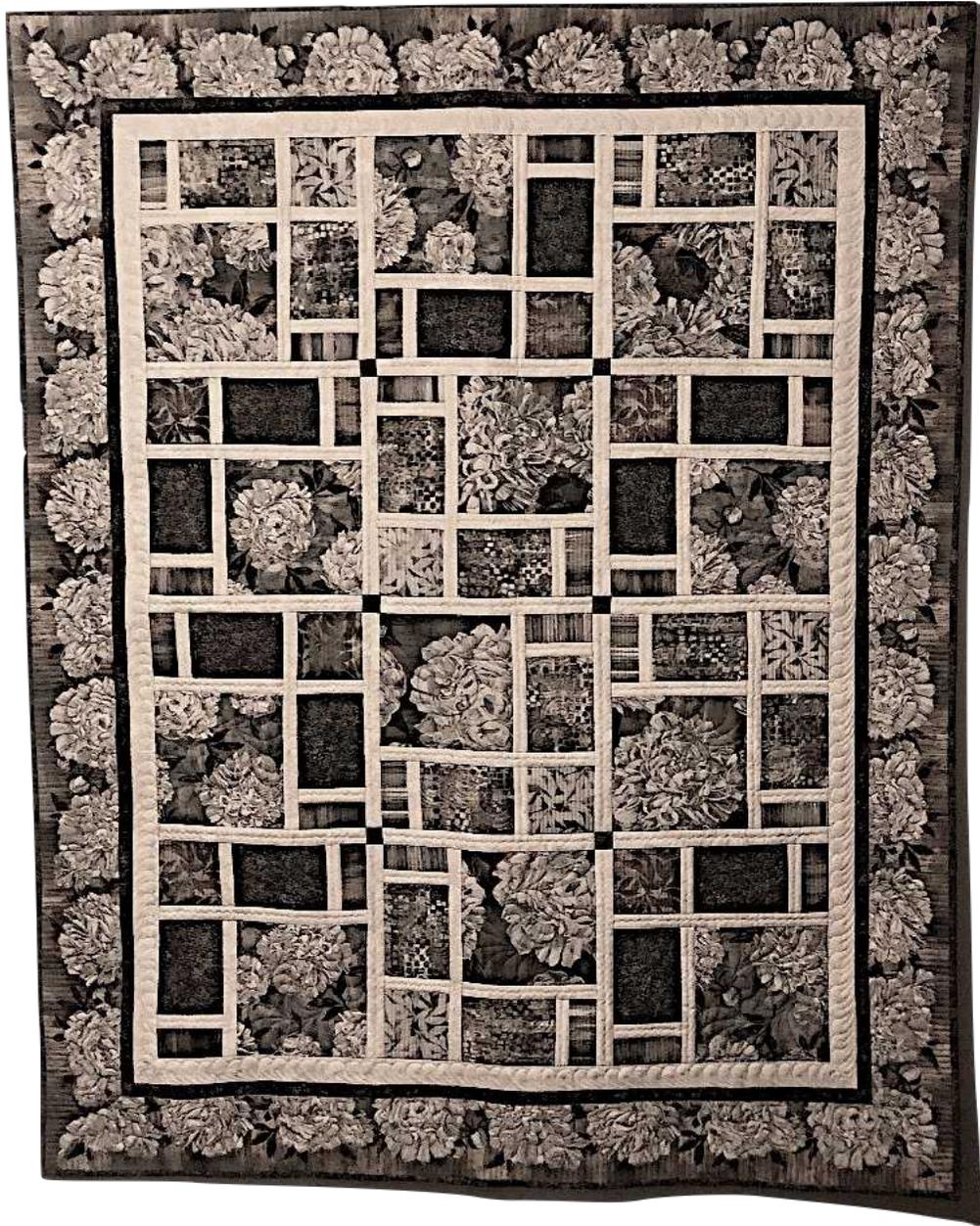
These are examples of some of the market bags I make between quilt projects. I use recycled fabrics where possible and get my artwork ideas from Pinterest. The Boro bag started off as recycled jeans that I made into a jacket which was uncomfortable so I recycled them again to make bags.

Credit details noted. I have done my research and found these sources. Frequently no direct credit is given.

- The bike bag is a composite of different images, mainly Angelina Lopez.
- My faces are also compositions also, using images by Jean Impey and Freddy Moran, but not as wild - yet!
- The village has no credit source given.

Dorothy Holdenmeyer





At a virtual quilt retreat in November 2021, I won the grand prize of a bundle of some amazing fabric. Because of the beautiful large scale print I wanted a pattern that would showcase these lovely fabrics. The pattern used for this quilt is *Shadowed Tiles* by Pine Tree Country Quilts. I purchased a little bit of extra fabric to also make a table runner. The pattern is Mansfield, from Doug Leko's book *Tabletastic 3*. Barbara Pye custom quilted both projects. The close up of one of the flowers showcases her beautiful quilting.

Quilt measures 51" x 64"

*The table runner is shown in the next slide.*



Table runner measures 17" x 48"

Inge Ford



Thank you, quilters for sharing your projects. We look forward to seeing what you are currently working on as you practice “social distancing”.

Continue to create, sew and quilt! It’s great therapy. Happy quilting everyone!

