



Rapt in Quilts

Kapiti Coast Quilters

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A Note From Judy

Well this change in the weather means I can stay inside and quilt without thinking I really should be out in the garden. My conscience no longer bothers me!!

I enjoyed the trip to Rotorua to see the Aotearoa Quilt Exhibition. It was interesting to see past winners of symposiums and compare them to some of the work that is being done today. There were some amazing quilts and quilting. Unfortunately the quilts did not have the names of the person who actually quilted them. One quilt I particularly liked was a silhouette of a tree in black with a sky in various colours of grey. Some of the quilts had been in other exhibitions too but were still interesting to see.

I hope you have 25 June marked in your diary for our AGM. At this time we will need some new committee members. Stephanie, Beryl and Lorraine have indicated they will not be standing again. If you are one of our newer members do consider joining the committee. It is a great way to get to know other members. If you have been a member for some time it would be a way to get to know some of our new members.

A big thank you to those members who turn up to do their duty. Please, if your name is down for a duty either come on the night or arrange a replacement. The duties are not too onerous and if everyone takes their turn you are not called on too often. I cannot foresee who will be there on certain dates so it is your responsibility to find a replacement if you are not able to do the duty.

A reminder – the exhibition is now only just over 10 months away. Let's make it at least as successful as the last one – if not more so. Start those new quilts or finish off some of those UFOs that are lurking in the cupboard. The steering committee comprises of me, Jane McNamara, Sheryl Meech, Chris Bongiovanni and Carol Pedersen. If you have any contacts that may be useful to us then please contact one of the above.

We have been tapping into the talent that we have in our own club and not always looking elsewhere so at our next evening meeting Sheryl Meech will share her quilting journey with us.

Until next month, take care and get those sewing machines whirring.

Judy

What's Happening?

What	When	Where
Evening Meeting	2 June	Bridge Club
Afternoon meeting	21 June	Bridge Club
AGM and afternoon tea.	25th June 2.00pm	Bridge Club
Mid winter dinner	16 July 1.30pm	Quarter Acre Restaurant
Exhibition 2017	29/30 April 2017	Southwards Car Museum
Town and Country Quiltfest	8 October 2017	Horowhenua Events Centre Levin

Duty Roster

	June	July
Hall Set Up and Clear Up	Marilyn Foreman Patricia Fouhy	Beryl Kale Leonie Kebbell
Library	Robin Goring	Ruve Kelly
Supper	Barbara Hanaray Lyn Irving	Lynn Killick Sandra Killen
Host	Judy Boyle	Sandra Davies

Duties

Hall- Before Meeting: Place a plastic tablecloth on each of the tables after moving pads and pencils onto a small white table and move them against the wall. Put up the quilt stands.

After Meeting: Remove tablecloths. Replace pads, pencils and table number on the correct table. Make sure chairs are placed so that with those with arms facing up and down the room and those without arms horizontal to the room. Put stands back into the cupboard.

Library - putting out books and checking books in and out for members.

Supper - set out cups and serve tea and coffee - clean up the kitchen at the end.

If you are rostered on any duty you need to arrive by 7.00pm.

Watch for your name on the duty list and please change with another member if you cannot do your duty.

BOM

Have these ready for our next meeting.

The winners of the last three BOM were

Beach Sheds - Clare O'Connor

Autumn Star - Robyn Roberts

Poppy Fields - Thursday meeting - Sandra Killen

- Tuesday meeting- Shirley Morrison

Subscriptions

Subscriptions are now due and can be paid at a meeting or through direct credit to our bank account.

Did you pay through Cooperative Bank? We have a couple of entries but no name.

The subscription for this year will be \$35.00 as was passed at last year's AGM.

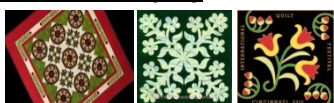
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Bag Challenge

How is your bag challenge going?

Finished articles are due in July.

Bridge Club Quilt Display



The quilts on the wall at the Bridge Club look great. Thank you to the members who provided their quilts. If you have one that could be displayed we would like to be able to have a change and show more of our work.

Garage Sale

We have had some requests for another garage sale so this will be coming up in September. Collect up all those unwanted pieces of material that you loved when you bought them but have not used and are not likely to!!!

Mid Winter Dinner

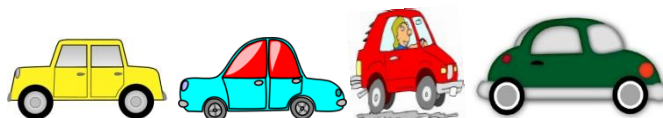
The Quarter Acre restaurant has been booked for 1.30pm on Saturday 16th July for a mid winter dinner.

The cost of this is \$30.00 and includes 3 courses and tea or coffee. Money for this must be paid by 7th July.

Please pay money into our bank account or at one of the meetings.

Our bank account is 01-1167-0013764-00. Please don't forget to add your name as a reference.

We can organise car pooling for those of you who prefer not to drive. Contact Judy.



Library

New books have been added to the library. Please make sure that when you return books your name is crossed off the card. If you take out a book remember it should be returned the following meeting, especially recent additions to the library so all can share.



Retreat Day 2 July

The next retreat day will be on Saturday 2 July at the Bridge Club rooms. The cost will be \$10.00 and this will include morning, afternoon tea and lunch. I will need to know numbers by 23 June. Come for a day of sewing and companionship and lots of free help and advice!!! Start time 9.30 till you have had enough!

AGM

Saturday 25th June at 2.00pm. Bring along your oldest and newest quilts to share. Afternoon tea will be provided. We will need a new secretary as Stephanie's term is now up.

Would you be prepared to come onto the committee? We will have nomination forms available at our meetings.

Our lives are like quilts - bits and pieces, joy and sorrow, stitched with love.



Sewing fills my days, not to mention the living room, bedroom and closets .



Committee

Judy Boyle	904 2282	Convenor, Newsletter, Roster
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