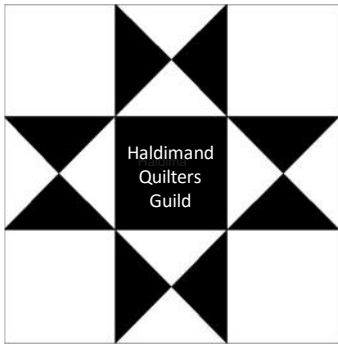


# Nine Patch News

## Haldimand Quilters Guild



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**NOTE: from Julie Yong**  
I may not be at the April and May meetings due to knee replacement surgery; therefore I will bring lots of kits for the cancer quilts to the March meeting. If I am not there, please give finished items to either Sherra or Doreen. Happy sewing! Julie

**Next meeting:**  
**Monday, March 4**  
**6:30 PM**  
**SEWday—March 18**  
**Potluck**



**Newsletter deadline**  
3rd Monday of each month.

Photos by  
Debbie Allan.

March....please bring 5 colours of paint, if you can, a small paint brush, and a paper or Styrofoam plate to mix paints on....or you could use markers but paint looks better. I do have some colours and brushes. The colours you chose should reflect what you would use to make a quilt block

April....you will require 25 pieces of dark scrappy colours 2 1/2" x 4 1/2" and 25 pieces pieces of light scrappy colours 2 1/2 x 4 1/2...also bring clips or pins.

May....we have a speaker: Lynn Whitehead

June...end of year potluck dinner

*Vanessa & Sherra,* Program Coordinators

From Debbie's Desk...

We had a "sweetheart" of a meeting Monday evening.

We met the newest member of Haldimand County's paramedics' team. Our Vice president, Vanessa, greeted Ruger and his handler. What a beautiful dog.

We discussed upcoming donation quilts, projects and workshops.

BOM samples were shown from our members and Kathy showed next month's blocks. We have lots of homework to do.

We were treated to an exceptional trunk show of quilts. Our guild member, past president and one of our program coordinators, Sherra, showed us her trunk show, My Quilting Life. Swedish weaving on monk's cloth to applique and pieced blocks... She tested patterns from a designer in the UK, then did a guild BOM. She is trying her hand a paper piecing. Appliqué is her favourite, along with the colours of turquoise and black.

For our show and share ,we had a variety of project and colours. We got to meet another Mardi doll from the class of 2024. The stunning Fern, complete with her pet mouse and more. Quilts for cancer patients, Christmas tree, purse and sew much more completed the evening presentation.

Everything was just gorgeous. Hugs and sweetheart stitches.

*Debbie*



Anne Jay's  
Tissue Box Challenge



See February Newsletter (on the website) for the details on pattern, etc.



**Haldimand Quilters Guild**  
**Meeting Minutes February 5, 2024**

We started our meeting at 6:37 pm at the Hagersville United Church with 26 members and 2 guests.

Motion to accept minutes from the January 15, 2024, meeting were moved by Anne J, seconded by Ann T. Carried.

Treasurer's Report: \$5,176.81 in our current account.

We discussed the history of our donation quilts for the West Haldimand General Hospital Foundation. The two volunteers for the Committee for the Hospital donations are Tricia Selby and Ann T. Suggestions were 2 Lap Quilts instead of the 1 large, or table runners with placemats, or a Christmas-themed quilt.

Aline Chan was unable to attend tonight's meeting, but there was a consensus of positive remarks on her newsletters.

The Guild's 2025 Tea was discussed. Shirley to check on availability of the Hagersville United Church. We are in support of the Tea for next year. If you have suggestions for the speaker, please let Shirley know. It takes a bit more than a year to put the Tea together, so please come with ideas and volunteer to help put it together.

The Dunnville's Own Tiny Stitchers (DOTS) are having a Quilt Show at the Port Maitland's Airport May 31 and June 1, 2024 – Garden of Quilts.

The Walk Around Haldimand is progressing well with 23,655 inches handed in for December and January. Thanks to all that contributed.

A card of condolence was sent to Ida Misner on the loss of her husband.

BOM – Kathy recommended that we do 2 blocks per month to be finished by June. So we will be doing the July and August for the March meeting. Tricia discussed her BOM, whether you are using a panel approx. 26 x 32" or a medallion. We should be finishing to do over the summer.

Our June sew day workshop will be String Quilts by Shirley. Save your 1 to 1 ½" strips, and it is OK to use polyester cotton for the base. The sign-up sheet will be available for this workshop.

Debbie found the HQG pins, and some of the new members bought some at the reduced price of \$2.00.

Sherra Britton was our speaker this evening, doing her first trunk show. She enjoys appliqué quilts more than piecing. The quilts she brought were so beautiful!

For our Show and Share, we had 7 members with their recent finishes. Our 50/50 draw took place.

The Sew Day will take place on February 19<sup>th</sup>, which is also Family Day. Sandra reminded us of the Heritage Days demonstrations will be taking place at the Selkirk Community Centre. She will be doing hand-quilting if anyone would like to join her.

Our next meeting will be March 4<sup>th</sup>. For that program, we will need 5 colours of water-based paint (one being white), a couple of brushes and a pallet or a paper plate.

Shirley Kellar, President

Janice Christ, Secretary

Hello Everyone ! Message from Anne Jay...

**Challenge your imagination** with "Colour" using a tissue box for your colour scheme. You don't need to use all the colours on your tissue box, however, you **cannot** add any other colours. *Only those colours on your box design can be used.*

You will be using the "Cubed Lattice" pattern (which is for a 12 1/2" unfinished block) along with a tissue (Kleenex) box for your colour choices.

(When I was making my block I tried about 10 placement variations. I decided to take pictures of my placements; because, as I was moving the pieces around I would forget which one I liked better, eeee, hee hee. I have attached a picture of my block & the tissue box that I showed at the meeting.. A definite challenge for me to use those colours. But, after looking at the block for a couple of days .... the colours are not so bad together. hee hee)

For April's meeting I would like everyone to bring in your block & tissue box for Show & Share. This is not a contest. This is a way to use some colours you wouldn't normally use and to get you to really look at designs and see the different shades and tints not just the colours that you see at first glance. Hopefully this will encourage you to use a different colour in your quilts that at-one-time you wouldn't have thought of using.

Have fun! Challenge your fabric stash & your imagination. Anne Jay



We had a visit from Fern and her buddy.

**MARCH IS OUR GUILD'S ANNIVERSARY MONTH!**

We are celebrating 32 years this year!

There will be cake. Just bring your beverage of choice, preferable tea, coffee, hot chocolate, pop, etc.

Be prepared to have fun!

A walk through Memory Lane...a piece of cake!



**SHOW 'n SHARE**



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## FAMILY DAY SEWday

Monday was a fabulous Family Day. Our Guild held a SEWday and we enjoyed spending time with our "quilt family".

Lots of beautiful quilts, projects and fun were the focus.

Lunch was a delightful smorgasbord...including a broccoli cauliflower and zucchini casserole. There was a cabbage casserole and a yummy chicken-cashew one. Macaroni salad and ambrosia marshmallow one. Yummy!



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## QUILT SHOWS AROUND ONTARIO

**Now until end of June: *Carpenter of Cloth***, Solo Quilt Show  
by Deb Beirnes. Rockway Mennonite Collegiate,  
110 Rockway Rd, Kitchener **during school hours only.**

**Till April 30 Exhibition *The Thread of the Story***—When  
abstracts Inspire Art. Bruce County Museum

**March 16 International Quilting Day.** Virtual Celebration.  
[www.iqdonline.com](http://www.iqdonline.com)

**April 18-20 Labour of Love Quilt Show** Exeter United Church .

**April 19-20 Quilted Expressions** by Oakville Quilters Guild.  
Operating Engineers Banquet Hall, 2225 Speers Rd, Oakville

**April 27 Quilts on the Grand** by Paris Quilting Bees,  
Paris Presbyterian Church 164 Grand River St N, Paris ON  
[cheran1165@gmail.com](mailto:cheran1165@gmail.com)

**May 3, 4 Niagara Modern Quilt Guild Quilt Expo**, Meridian  
Community Centre Fonthill, ON. <https://www.nmqexpo.com/>

**May 31, June 1 Stitches In Our Time**, by Halton Quilters Guild,  
Sheridan Conference Centre, Oakville.

**May 31, June 1 Hamilton Quilters Guild's Quilts in Bloom**,  
Ancaster fairgrounds.

**May 31-June 1 It's A Charming Quilt World**, Grey County  
Charmers Quilt Club & Threads that Bind

**June 7, 8 Quilts on the Grand** by Grand Quilters Guild. Fergus  
Sportsplex, <https://grandquiltguild.ca/quilt-show-2024/>

**June 14-15 Ottawa Quilt Show** by Common Thread Quilt Guild  
Earl Armstrong Arena, Ottawa.

**June 19 - 22 Quilt Canada - Edmonton** Convention Centre

**Sept 7, 8 Quinte Quilters Guild**, Curling Club, Belleville

### Executive 2023 to 2025

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The Oakville Quilters' Guild presents

# Quilted EXPRESSIONS

Quilt Show

April 19 & 20, 2024  
10am - 4pm

\$10 admission  
Cash and Debit Accepted

Over 150 quilts  
Raffle Quilts  
Vendor Market  
Tombola & Cafe  
Demonstrations

## Quilts on the Grand

APRIL 27TH, 2024  
9AM - 5PM

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QUILT EXHIBIT  
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DRAW TABLE  
MARKETPLACE



### 2024 Harvest of Quilts



Friday, May 3, 2024 10 AM - Saturday 4, 4 PM

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\$8.00

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Bobcaygeon Curling Club

49 Mansfield Street, Bobcaygeon, Ontario, K0M 1A0

Artful display of new and heritage member quilts. Featuring Quilt Raffle, Merchant Mall, Member Boutique, Refreshments available on site

## 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

\*Food Trucks \*Vendors \*Boutique \*Silent Auction

\*Special Guest - Vanessa Genier of Quilts for Survivors

Contact Debra Rolfe at 289-214-4166 for more information or raffle tickets.



Note: The museum will be open for tours during the quilt show

Hamilton Quilters' Guild presents:



**QUILT SHOW DATES**

**Fri May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024**  
10am to 6pm

**Sat June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024**  
10 am to 4pm

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**Quilt Show 2024 "Quilting for the Holidays"**

★ Show



Saturday, September 7, 2024 10 AM - Sunday 8, 4 PM

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