

# RCQG June Newsletter

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Royal City Quilters' Guild  
Guelph, Ontario, Canada

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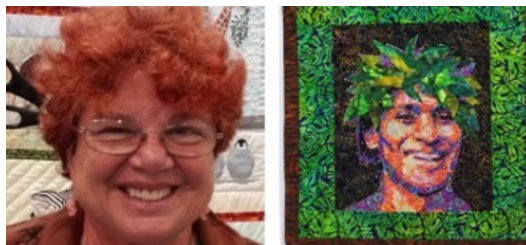
## Guild Meeting

**Next Guild Meeting:**  
**Tuesday, June 14, 2022**  
**7:00pm ET on Zoom**

**NEWSLETTER CONTENT:**

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**June Programme**



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## PHYLLIS CULLEN - IT'S ALL ABOUT THE FACE

Join Hawaiian artist, author, quilter and international teacher Phyllis Cullen to learn about portrait quilts. Her lecture will show a wide variety of portraits, with the stories behind them, as well as the basic steps to create one for yourself. From babies to icons, it's doable following my method. We'll talk about reference photos, choosing fabrics, construction techniques, and how to quilt them. People, faces, bodies, even animals, there's lots to see. Lots of time to ask questions, and lots of beautiful quilts.

[READ MORE>>](#)



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## SHOW AND SHARE

To participate in Show & Share please email a photo of your quilt (preferably with you in the photo too!) to Susan Thompson (showandshare [at] royalcityquiltersguild.ca ). Include your name, the name of the quilt, the pattern, and the quilter. During the meeting Susan will project the photo for all to see and you'll be asked to speak about it.

**Deadline for photos:** 7pm on the Sunday night before the meeting.

### **MEETING ACCESS**

The Zoom link will be emailed to all members and guests on the day before the Guild meeting by Helen Kocmarek.

### **MEMBERSHIP AND GUEST PASSES**

To renew your membership or purchase a guest pass visit the [RCQG store](#).

### **VIDEO RECORDING**

If you miss the meeting, don't worry! The Guild meeting will be recorded and the link emailed to the membership within about 24 hours.

### **ZOOM, ZOOM!**

Please update Zoom before the meeting. Visit the [RCQG Zoom How-To](#) to learn how to update Zoom, and for a Zoom video tutorial.

### **NEWSLETTER**

The newsletter ends with the RCQG Sew Safe Policy. If you are unable to view the entire newsletter, visit the [RCQG Newsletter Archives](#) to see the full version. If you would like to advertise in the newsletter, please get in touch with Jane Londerville (advertising [at] royalcityquiltersguild.ca)

### **EMAILS**

Any email addresses listed in the newsletter are written in the following format to prevent spam:

namename [at] server.com

To send an email, replace [at] with @ and remove the extra spacing.

All addresses are also available in the Guild Directory.

## **Annual General Meeting**



The Annual General Meeting will be held at the end of the June meeting. Members will vote on the following:

- Approving executive reports (see below).
- Appointing a new slate of officers to the executive (see below).
- Approving the bylaw changes.

**PROPOSED BYLAW CHANGE:**

***Social Convenor*** - Shall be responsible for arranging and communicating social opportunities for guild members in collaboration with other convenors as appropriate.

***Special Projects Coordinator*** - Shall be responsible for coordinating special events or activities as requested by the executive at the start of the programme year and coordinating/developing special events or activities for the Guild.

## New Location and Hybrid Meetings

Did you see our announcement earlier this week about the new location for the RCQG meetings in September? We also created a Q&A to help answer your questions about hybrid meetings.

You can read the full special edition of the newsletter here [CLICK>>](#)



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The Chapel at Lakeside Church where the RCQG 2022-2023 meetings will be held.



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Lakeside Church on Conservation Road.



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The atrium at Lakeside Church.

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**RCQG Executive:  
Thank You!**



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Thank you to the outgoing RCQG Executive for all their work this past year to ensure that the Guild has continued to grow and thrive. The community built around monthly sew days, and special interest groups, and the Guild meetings has provided us with the connection with others that we've all needed this year.

**Thank you to everyone who served on the Executive this year, and a special thank you to those who are moving on.**

Please read the 2021-2022 Executive Reports [READ HERE>>](#)

**2021-2022 - Outgoing**

Past President – Vacant  
President – Scott Schau (resigned)  
Vice President – Becky Fiedler  
Secretary – Pat Gage  
Treasurer – Alyson Anker  
Membership – Helen Kocmarek  
Programme and Workshop – Mariette Denis  
Newsletter – Lindsay Core  
Community Outreach – Jan Snell  
Historian – Susan Thompson  
Librarian – Vacant  
Publicity – Jane Londerville  
Special Projects – Vacant  
Website - Shared

**2022-2023 - Incoming**

Past President - Monica Bell  
President - Becky Fiedler  
Vice President - Cindy Kinnon  
Secretary - Lorrie Taylor  
Treasurer - Joan Hett  
Membership - Helen Kocmarek (nominated for a second 2-year term)  
Programme - Mariette Denis  
Workshop - Ann Jeffrey  
Historian - Susan Thompson (nominated for a second 2-year term)  
Publicity - Cathy Buchanan  
Newsletter - Leslie Buck  
Website - Vacant  
Community Outreach - Jan Snell  
Social Committee - April Temple Spears  
Librarian - Maryanne Girouard  
Special Projects - Flo Pringle

## Membership Renewal



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Image Source: Wren Pattern Bundle from [Tartan Kiwi Patterns](#)

### **Welcome to the newest member of the Guild: Clare Burns.**

Over 70 members have already renewed their RCQG membership. Don't miss out! Be an early bird! Renew before midnight June 13th to be entered into an early bird draw for a chance to win 1 of 2 free memberships. The two winners will be announced at the June membership meeting.

If you can't find your renewal invoice, try the following:

- type "invoice" in your email search field
- check the messages you received on May 11<sup>th</sup>
- check your junk mail folder if you don't see it
- contact [membership@royalcityquiltersguild.ca](mailto:membership@royalcityquiltersguild.ca) if you need assistance.

## Membership Fees

For the 2022-2023 Guild year, the membership fee will remain unchanged at \$40. The membership fee for people who join in February will change to \$30 from \$25. Guest passes will change to \$10 from \$5.

These fee changes are keeping in line with other Guilds in the area.



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# Community Outreach



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Community Outreach quilts ready for delivery to the Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Centre.

"Already?" you ask. Yes, Betty Slack is scheduled to pick up our last collection of comfort quilts for this guild year on June 14th, our last meeting date for the 2021-2022 Guild year.

So, if you have just finished a project there is still time to drop one off to cheer and comfort someone in a time of need. Betty has recently commented that the clinic is busier than ever. Quilts comfort people and quilting comforts the quilters. It is a win-win activity.

24 memory quilts have been collected this year for the Guelph General Hospital's Birthing Unit to comfort grieving parents.

Thank you to all who have supported the Outreach Program this guild year. Look for new and fun ways to contribute next year as we embrace hybrid meetings. I look forward to the chance to meet some of you in person.

October continues to be our Outreach Bee Month. Please note that Saturday, October 22 is the scheduled virtual bee day and Bee Day kits will be available at the September meeting.

Have a safe and happy summer full of good health and time spent in the company of loved ones!

## COMMUNITY OUTREACH PHOTO GALLERY

### **Community Outreach Bins for pick-up and drop-off**

**Trish Pequegnat's House:** 12 Trillium Court, Guelph (ipequegnat [at] rogers.com)

**Cindy's Office:** Tacoma Engineers, 176 Speedvale Ave., Guelph 8am to 4pm, Monday to Friday.

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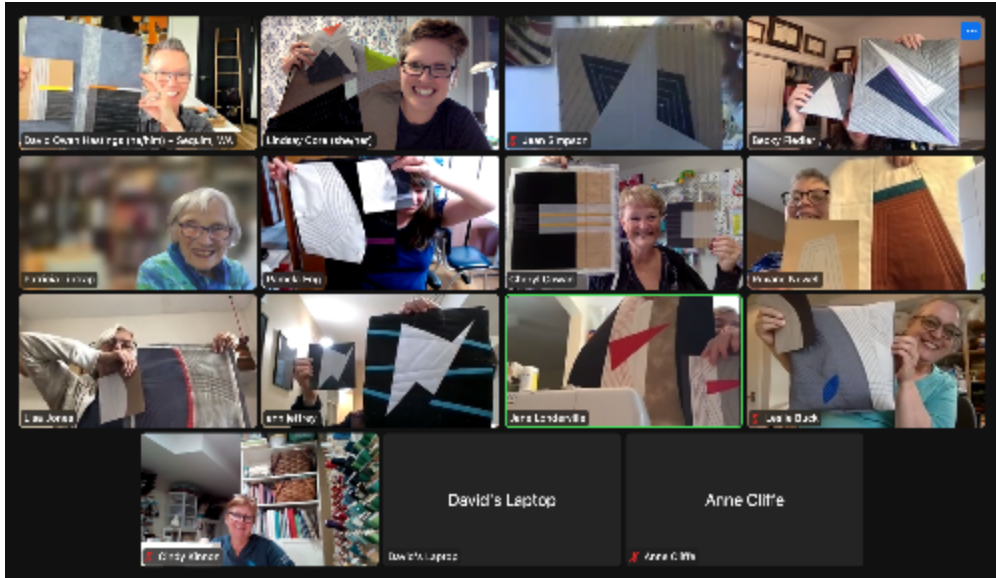
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## Programme & Workshops



Group photo from the participants in David Owen Hastings' workshop on May 28.

## **PROGRAMME FOR 2022-2023**

Last month the lineup of speakers and workshops was announced.  
Read about the full lineup of speakers and watch the sneak peek video.  
[Read More>>](#)

## **WORKSHOPS FOR 2022-2023**

The lineup of workshops was also announced in May and registration opens July 15. [Read More>>](#)

### **SNAPSHOT OF WORKSHOPS:**

**Instructor:** Robin Bogaert

**Class:** Quilting with Rulers for Domestic Machines

**Cost:** \$36

**Date:** Wednesday, November 30, 2022, 10 am to 4:30 pm (ET)

**Location:** Online via Zoom

**Website:** [quiltingintheloft.com](http://quiltingintheloft.com)

**Instructor:** Paul Leger

**Class:** Square Peg, Round Hole

**Cost:** \$25

**Dates:** Saturday, March 25, 2023, 10:30 am to 1:30 pm (ET) (Part 1 of 2)  
and Saturday, April 1, 2023, 10:30 am to 1:30 pm (ET) (Part 2 of 2)

**Location:** Online via Zoom

**Website:** [paullegerquilts.com](http://paullegerquilts.com)

**Instructor:** Krista Moser

**Class:** Design Possibilities of the Diamond Ruler

**Cost:** \$35

**Dates:** Saturday, April 29, 2023, 11 am to 5 pm (ET)

**Location:** Online via Zoom

**Website:** [kristamoser.com](http://kristamoser.com)

**Instructor:** David Owen Hastings

**Class:** Inspired by Architecture

**Cost:** \$70

**Dates:** Saturday, February 4, 2023, 12pm to 6pm (ET)

**Location:** Online via Zoom

**Website:** <https://davidowenhastings.com/>



**Ann Jeffrey**

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During the David Owen Hastings workshop the participants got to see their paper maquettes placed into virtual rooms. This activity helped us to see what changes we'd like to make before making the final quilt. This one is by Ann Jeffrey.

## **Stash Busters Ribbon Box Quilt**



Stash Busters have started their next project called the Ribbon Box Quilt. They'll be working on it through June and July. If you're interested in catching up the instructions are here:

<https://cloud9fabrics.com/wp-content/uploads/2013/11/RibbonBoxQuilt1.pdf>

In August and September Stash Busters will start a new pattern.

If you are interested in joining Stash Buster please contact Sue Foard at [stashbusters \[at\] royalcityquiltersguild.ca](mailto:stashbusters@royalcityquiltersguild.ca) .

**Summer Mystery  
It's Time to Sign-up!**



It's time to sign-up for the Summer Mystery Quilt!

Leslie Buck and Judy Eckhardt have created a third Summer Mystery Quilt. This design is sized to be a comfort quilt, but you could make more blocks for a larger quilt if you feel like working a bit harder.

**To sign-up for the clues, email Leslie Buck [lesliebuck26 \[at\] gmail.com](mailto:lesliebuck26@gmail.com)**

The Community Outreach Committee is making fabric bundles if you would like something new to sew with. Requests for kits should be in by June 15th and you will be contacted by Trish as kits are ready for pick up.

**To request fabric from Community Outreach email Jan Snell [janice.snell \[at\]gmail.com](mailto:janice.snell@gmail.com) (Deadline June 15)**



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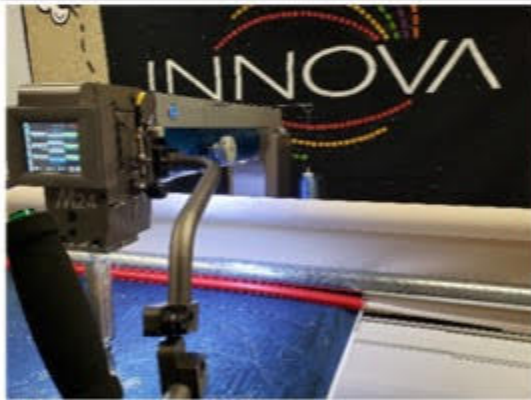
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Quilt Canada will be held in Vancouver on June 16-18, 2022.

You can vote on your favourite entry into the JN Harper Youth Challenge before Friday, June 10.

To see the entries and vote [CLICK>>](#)



*Nature Fun*

**Artist:** Noor Ali

**Province:** MB

**Statement:** I like my quilt because it's natural. It was fun looking for the different threads and picking the different stitches. And what I like is that Smoofy is a blue bear panda. I called him Smoofy because he snoops in people's things.

**Design Inspiration:** I was inspired by Nature

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A quilt in the 5-9 age category by Noor Ali - Quilt Canada JN Harper Youth Challenge

## **RCQG Calendar**

The Guild has lots of online offerings, from Stash Busters, to Special Interest Groups, and workshops.  
Find all the happenings here:

[RCQG Calendar of Events](#)

## **Neighbouring Guilds**



## **QUILT SHOWS:**

May 27-28, 2022: The **New Millennium Quilters** in Mildmay, Ontario are hosting a quilt show. See the flyer for details [CLICK>>](#)

June 3-4, 2022: The **Hamilton Quilters' Guild** are hosting their show Quilts in Bloom in Ancaster. See the website for details [CLICK>>](#)

September 17 - October 14, 2022: **Hanging by a Thread** hosted by Oakville Fibre Artists in Oakville, Ontario. [CLICK>>](#)

September 24-25, 2022: **Canadian Rockies Quilt Show** in Canmore, Alberta. [CLICK>>](#)

September 30- October 1, 2022: **The Brant Heritage Quilters Guild** are hosting Quilt Expo 2022 in Brantford. [CLICK>>](#)

November 11-12, 2022: **The York Heritage Quilters Guild** are hosting A Celebration of Quilts XIV at the Toronto Botanical Garden. [CLICK>>](#)

## **GUILD MEETINGS:**

[YORK HERITAGE QUILTERS' GUILD](#)

[WATERLOO COUNTY QUILTERS' GUILD](#)

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## **Show & Share**

By clicking the button below you can view the entire Show & Share gallery from the last Guild meeting.

[Show & Share Powerpoint](#)

Lynn Binney

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Rhododendron Trail by  
Bonnie Hunter

Poppa, Momma, and  
Baby quilts



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The Mystery Quilters presented some of the work they produced this year. Lynn Binney made three versions of Bonnie Hunter's Rhododendron Trail.

**Sew Safe Policy**



*Due to the global COVID-19 environment, our concern for members' well-being, and liability concerns for the Royal City Quilters Guild, all RCQG activities are to be conducted according to current Ontario provincial guidelines including capacity limits, masking, and physical distancing. In all instances, RCQG in-person gatherings must include proof of vaccination and contact tracing. These gatherings include, but are not limited to monthly guild meetings, executive meetings, committee meetings, special interest groups and workshops.*

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