

December Modern Quilting Group Bracebridge Minutes

Meeting held at Bracebridge United Church on December 5th, 2019 at 1:00 pm

Twelve members attended the meeting and welcomed Mary Dunn who has moved to Huntsville. Wendy Wight chaired the meeting.

Discussion:

-QuiltX 20 in St. Marys will not be happening due to outrageous increase in costs at the venue

-Chatham-Kent Quilter's Guild will be presenting "[Stitches in Bloom](#)" in May 8th-10th

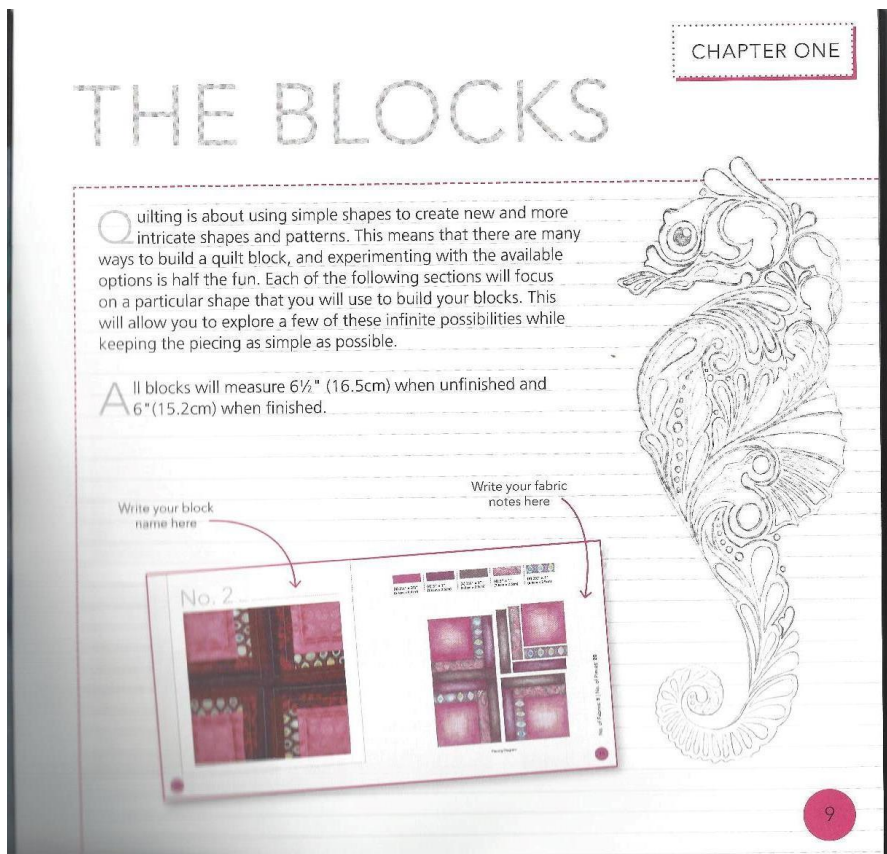
Block of the Month:

Jillian showed half square triangles done with a charm pack as a great example of how to add extra blocks to a quilt.

Tulas Pink's 100 Modern Quilt Blocks book #28 was Caroline's block last month

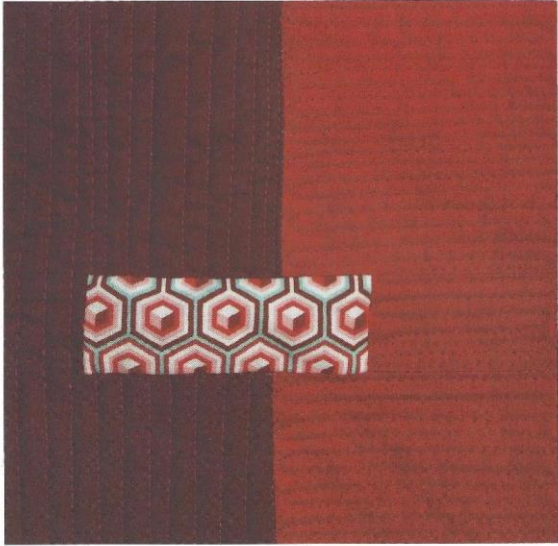
Sandi will be doing Block #56 in February (instructions to follow).

Pam Rimmer has scanned the instructions. Here are the instructions.



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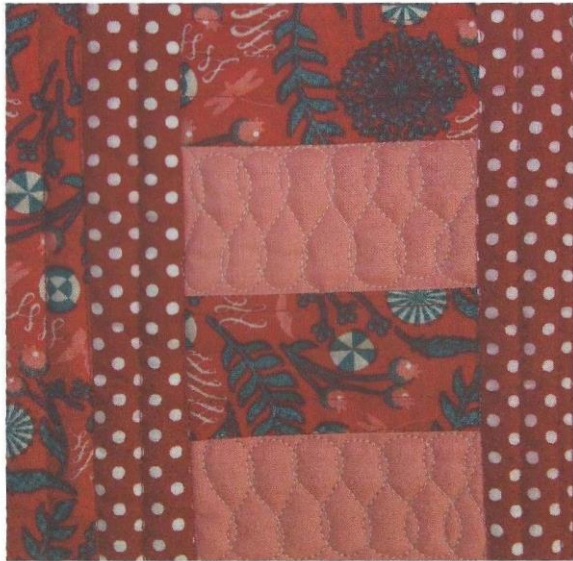
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Scheduling for Next Meetings

- Mary McF. is away until April
- Wendy W. away Feb./March
- January 2nd 2020: Modern meeting at 1:00 pm at Bracebridge United Church for those who are able to attend.
- Sandi will chair the February meeting on Feb. 6th
- March 5th 2020: Ardith will contact Sue at Quilting in Muskoka about meeting at the shop. More information to follow
- April 2, 2020: TBA
- May 7th: Tentatively Pot Luck
- June 4th: Tentatively plan to help set up for Quilt show
- Pam Rimmer to send out email communications for January to March.

Quilt Show Pamphlet

Following up on Mary's discussion about a small pamphlet about Modern quilting, Stella will work on putting this together. More information to follow.

Showing Christmas Ornaments:

- Stella showed "Folded Scandinavian Star", Check out [Shabby Fabric](#) website or [You-Tube](#) How to make No Sew Scandinavian Star; special notation: Make sure there is a twist at the points
- Mary D. showed a [Pine Cone shaped Christmas ornament](#) made from folded ribbon
- Wendy W. showed a [Christmas Hexagon Star](#) by Greta Gamma pattern (now need to pay for the pattern) and Santa appliqued on a block from Margaret Gage's Aunt.
- There are also [4 square stars patterns](#) made from fat-quarter bundles
- Ardith made Christmas Tree skirt for her daughter
- Stella: talked about celebrating various cultural Christmas celebrations
- Sandi showed 2 Christmas Tree pillows that she embellished with her new sewing machine

Show and Tell:

- Gillian showed a quilt she made for her son called "[Trash Polka](#)" (inspired by a dystopian style of tattoos) embellished with red spray paint
- Hanne showed her quilt, inspired from a pattern called [Ebony and Onyx](#) by Fat Buster Fat Quarters (Henry Glass pattern)

- Sandi showed her carrier bag made from 2 red and white plaid placemats, with Horse and Doll Swedish trim (typical Swedish Christmas colours)

Next Meeting: January 2nd, 2020 1:00 pm at Bracebridge U.C.

Season's Greetings To Everyone