

PINETREE QUILTERS GUILD OF MUSKOKA

MODERN MEETING

February 2, 2023

Attended by 15 enthusiastic members

Welcome to Claudette W. and Sandy M.

Mary M. spoke of an interesting article in The Guardian. “The New Bend” A Stitch in Time. It is an exhibit at the Hauser & Worth Gallery in Somerset, England.

<https://www.theguardian.com/artanddesign/2023/jan/26/the-new-bend-gees-bend-quilters>

Mary M. spoke of QuiltCon 2023, Atlanta, Georgia. February 23-26/23. The featured speaker is Chawne Kimber @cauchycomplete

Mary M. also spoke of two of Quilt Cons faculty members. Jen Carlton Bailey <https://www.bettycrockerass.com>

and Brigit Gail Dermott <https://www.brigitgail.com>

Lynda G. has volunteered to see about ordering the QuiltCon 2023 magazine from Pharmasave. If interested in ordering contact Lynda.

Sandy C. spoke of Hilary Goodwin <https://entrophyalwayswinsblog.com>

Her “Vision” quilt won Best in Show 2022 QuiltCon

Wendy W. gave a little history of the beginning of the Pinetree Quilters Guild of Muskoka. The first quilt show was 1994 at the Bracebridge Fairgrounds. It was held in conjunction with the Power show. Their first venue at the fairgrounds was in the poultry barn.

Suzanne B-R (Convenor of the quilt show)

Our guilds quilt show is June 2-3/23.

-the committee would like to have 300 quilts for the show.

-registration opened Feb. 1/23. All quilts will be registered on the website in the members only section.

-10 vendors have committed to being at the show.

-the Boutique committee is in the process of pricing all items that have been donated to the show.

-4 quilts have been selected for the raffle. Monies earned will be donated to 1. South Muskoka Memorial Hospital and 2. Hospice Muskoka.

There will be a "Café" run by the Legion. No profit will be made from the café for the guild.

Volunteer positions sign up will be available in the near future on the website.

Feature quilter is Kathy K. Wylie. Kathy will have a display in the arena and be available to converse with the patrons of the show.

We all give a huge shout out to the Quilt Show Committee!

Curved Piecing reviewed. Photos from:

Carol K-R

Leslie W. A piece from a Ricky Tims workshop.

<https://www.rickytimes.com>

Mary R. Cushions made from a “Warmfolk” pattern that was in the QuiltCon magazine from 2022. Modern Basics was the article in the magazine.

<https://warmfolk.com>

Sheila H. A 12” block from Modern Quilting magazine.

Wendy W. Quilt blocks from QuiltCon 2021 magazine

Sandy M. A quilt art piece done in a workshop with Al Cote and a quilt with inset circles.

Carolyn. A Labrador quilt cushion made for a friend. Quilt blocks with curved piecing to be made into the “Animal Planet” quilt.

<https://www.liveacolorfullife.net>

Mary and Wendy spoke of the modern BOM, designed to cover different elements of modern quilting. Suggestion for next month: improv. Design your choice. <https://www.faihandfabricdesign.com>
Tutorial for improv blocks from scraps.

Show and Share:

Hanne-a bag made from a Noodlehead pattern called “Redwood Tote”

<https://www.noodle-head.com>

Leslie W.-A Convergence Quilt made in a Ricky Tims workshop.

Mary M.-A play mat quilt made for her Great Grandson. The quilt displayed the use of the improv technique and negative space.

Next meeting: March 2/23

Sandy C. suggested discussing the quilts that were at QuiltCon at the March meeting.

Mary R. volunteered to do the minutes.

Thanks to Sheila H. for her zoom expertise and Mary M. and Wendy W. for hosting the meeting.