

Minutes for Bracebridge's Modern Group Thursday October 3, 2024

11 people in attendance and we welcomed Dorothy back after a long absence

Business:

November will be a Zoom meeting. Terry will set up the Zoom link and Sheila will organize the photo display. (Replay might be available?)

“Quilts on the Rocks” Show at Holiday Inn, Sudbury is October 19th and 20th

Lake Loop Shop Hop is Oct. 3-5th

Thimbles and Things is hosting TrendTex Trunk Show Nov. 19th 1-3 pm.

Sew and Quilt Thrift Shop (previously Simcoe Sew and Quilt) is now in the Horseshoe Valley area. Check out the website: sewandquilt.ca

Mary R. is taking any extra fabric to new sewers through Mennonite Central Committee.

Bobcayeon has a quilt shop called “Quiltiful”. Mary McF. says that the store has ‘Restash Quilt Kits’ for sale.

Saturday October 5th is the Anniversary for the “Workshop” quilt store in Sprucedale.

Mary and Wendy asked for any ideas for our Zoom meetings, like researching quilt/fibre art designers and sharing with the group. Please send any ideas to Mary or Wendy.

Update on Group Quilting Project for Quilt Show:

<https://my.modafabrics.com/2015/08/tropical-punch-quilt.html>

Margaret gave out 2-1/2 strips of the taupe background and batik strips along with written instructions to those who needed them. These blocks are to be completed and returned at our May meeting. If you are interested in making a block or two, please to Margaret, Wendy or Mary.

Extra batik fabric was collected by Terri and Liz for the Pine Tree guild’s sewing day in November.

Show and Share:



Mary McF.’s Guild in Guelph had a project that you got a brown bag containing a magazine and members who participated made a project from the magazine. Mary made this paper pieced log cabin quilt.



Wendy W. completed an outreach quilt from blocks that were donated. Sheila H. made one of the blocks. Wendy machine quilted it with a meandering stitch.

Hanne machine quilted the Friendship Quilt that Margaret made from donated blocks. Joanne donated the thread for machine quilting.



Hanne machine quilted this snowman quilt. The thread was donated by Joanne.



Carolyn created a caterpillar quilt from blocks that were donated by Joanne. Carolyn donated that background fabric.



Margaret made this quilt during covid and Laura Coleman custom quilted it. Margaret entered it into the Bracebridge Fair this year and won Best of Show (for machine quilted quilts) and First place. Congratulations Margaret!



Dorothy made this quilt top at a Laura Coleman's quilting retreat.

Next Meeting: Thursday November 7th, 2024 via Zoom.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Ardith