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Prairie Piecemakers Quilters' Guild

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First Tuesday of the month at 7 pm:

May 7th 2024

June 4th 2024

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President's Message

I've had this song running through my brain for weeks now ...

*Overture, curtain, lights
This is it, the night of nights
No more rehearsing and nursing a part
We know every part by heart
Overture, curtain, lights
This is it, we'll hit the heights
And oh what heights we'll hit
On with the show this is it.
Tonight what heights we'll hit.
On with the show, this is it.*

source: <https://www.lyricsondemand.com/tvthemes/thisisitbugsbunnyoverturelyrics.html>

You may or may not recognize this song called "This is It" as the opening for the Bugs Bunny and Tweety Show - which was later named the Bugs Bunny and Looney Toons Comedy Hour. You might think I've already gone a bit Looney Tunes, but this ear worm of a song is how I feel about our quilt show. We've rehearsed. We know our parts. We're ready. It's finally here. So, on with the show, this is it!

The next few days will be a lot of work, so thank you in advance for your help and support. Let's have fun as we show the world our incredible quilts. And finally, let's remember to be great ambassadors as we represent the Prairie Piecemakers Quilters' Guild to the public. - Sharon



Semi-Annual General Meeting Agenda - May 7, 2024

Welcome & call to order

Sharon

Minutes of the AGM - Sep 05, 2023

Sharon

Elections

Sharon / Cheryl

Treasurer's report

Marlene or Sharon

Appointment of Reviewer

Marlene

All remaining Reports including:

President's, Vice-President's, Program,

Workshop, Communications, Newsletter,

Library, Membership and Secretary's

Call for motion to approve these reports:

Sharon

Results of Elections

Cheryl

Adjournment of SAGM

Sharon



Agenda for General meeting - May 7, 2024

Call to order

Sharon

Minutes from April 02 meeting

Sharon

Quilt show update

Sharon

June Meeting update

Fay

Guild challenge voting instructions

Linda

break

20 minutes

Program introduction

Linda

- trunk show

Sharon B.

Membership

Judy

Door Prizes

Sharon

50/50

Betty/Sheree

Show and Share

Everyone

Adjournment

Sharon

Next Meeting

June 4th



Program - Linda

May Meeting: I would like to introduce... Sharon Brooks

I started sewing when I was 12 years old when I joined the local 4H Club. As a young girl I was primarily interested in sewing clothing and continued sewing in high school in the Home Economics program. I even made all the bridesmaid dresses and my wedding dress when we were married. I sewed clothing for myself and the children. As a young mother I always admired the sewing displays at the local exhibition and when a friend asked if I was interested in going to learn how to quilt we both jumped in and started running. We joined the PPMQ Guild in 1996 and have been quilting (and members) ever since.

When I started quilting I loved doing the piecing and eventually moved onto machine applique. I now also have a sit down quilting machine and I am learning how to do free motion quilting. I have moved through a variety of styles and recently I am loving more modern looking quilts and improv piecing. I love trying to recreate quilts that I see.

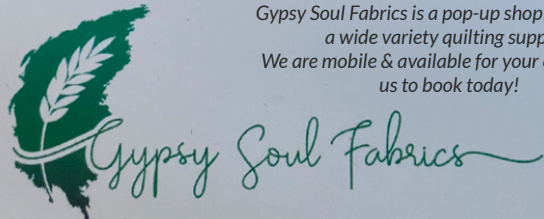
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Zoom Days - Lynn

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Everyone loves a sewing day with friends. Come for the day, come for a hour or two! It's super flexible! Looking forward to seeing you there!

May 18
June 8

You can find the link to register under the workshop tab on the website

UFO's - Renee

TEAM A 133 points
Beth H
Debbie W
Lynn B
Renee B
Robin B
Terri F

TEAM C 99 points
Carol G
Colleen L
Jill N
Lynne R
Betty U

TEAM B 227 points
Jacquie B
Joan G
Judy M
Leanne G
Shannon B
Sharon G
Sherill T



Workshops - Jacquie B

May Workshop Update

The May Workshop at our Quilt Show is full.

Brett Lewis The Natural Born Quilter

Waters Edge Gala Paper Piecing

May 11th

8:30am - 12:30pm

Callie Curling Club

See our Workshop Web Page for more info

June Workshop Wind Up

June 7th & 8th 2024

Victoria Square Mall Community Space

10am to 5pm

Free to anyone who participated in a workshop

between Sept 2023 - May 2024

\$10 for new participants



The purpose of this Sew Social is to give a big hug and say thank you to everyone who supported the Workshop Committee this year. And for a small fee of just \$10, to give those that missed out on the fun one last chance to come out and play before we break for summer!

To anyone who attended a Workshops this year, this is an opportunity to finish projects that you did not complete or wish to make more of!

Demos:

Requests for demos can be arranged.... Feel free to email us with your suggestions

September:

Charity Sew Days at St. Paul's Cathedral

Watch the website for more information to be posted soon.

THANK YOU!!!

A HUGE Thank You to all the 'worker bees' that came out to help get the merchandise and decorations for the Membership Booth and Salon done in time for the Quilt Show!!!

Couldn't have done it without y'all!!

I can't say it enough your help is very much appreciated!!

THANK YOU!!!



Endless Horizons Seminar 2024

Atlas Hotel - 4177 Albert Street, Regina

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC:

MEMBERS' EXHIBITION - Competitions and display of embroidery designs and techniques

1. May 27 - 29 - 8:30 am - 5:00 pm May 30 - 8:30 am - 2:30

MARKET MADNESS - Sale tables to build your stash!

Tuesday, May 28 only 7:00 - 9:00 pm

BOUTIQUE - Embroidery Marketplace (Calgary); Victorian Pleasure (Alberta); Needlework Adventures (Regina)

May 27 - 30 - 8:30 am - 5:00 pm May 31 - 8:30 am - 12:30 pm





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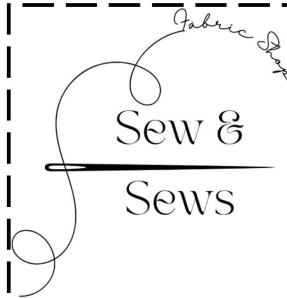
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RDMQG will meet at the Kinsmen Clubhouse at 5215 14 th Avenue on Sundays, May 5 and 26 from 9:00-5:00 pm with Sew Days, program: precision piecing and borders. Contact for a sew visit.

Happy escape from spring clean-up!

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Ruth B



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Library - Dianne

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The Quilter's Color Scheme Bible by Celia Eddy;
Foundation Borders by Jane Hall & Dixie Haywood

Pieced to Fit - Instant Quilt Borders from Easy Blocks by Sheila Sinclair Snyder

The Modern Quilts Sourcebook by Weeks Ringle & Bill Kerr

Sashiko and Beyond by Saikoh Takano

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and

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Annual Garage Sale
May 4, 2024 from 9 am to 4 pm
Will be held outside in the
parking lot - rain or shine!



I sincerely apologize for any mistakes or omissions. Thank you for reading and see you next month! Jill N