



Prairie Piecemakers Quilters' Guild

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Meeting Dates 2022-2023

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
3825 Hillside Street Regina SK

First Tuesday of the month at 7 pm:

September 6, 2022

October 4, 2022

November 1, 2022

December 6, 2022

*January 3, 2023

*February 7, 2023

*March 7, 2023

April 4, 2023

May 2, 2023

June 6, 2023

*** ZOOM MEETINGS**

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UFO's:

Renee B

Connecting Threads:

Marlene SC

Presidents Message

Welcome back quilters!

September may feel like the end of summer, but it's just the beginning of our quilt year.

Our September meeting is also our Annual General Meeting. And while that seems routine, we have some big plans in the coming year. One thing the board has decided on, is that we will do three meetings via Zoom again this year in the winter months - instead of meeting in person. Doing this means we can join from home, or for our snowbirds, they can join from a warmer location, during winter's most cruel months. It's also allowing us to bring in presenters from other provinces and cities. You'll hear more about it in the meeting from Linda B. The coming year's lineup of workshops is impressive as well - Aline M. will fill you in on that. We want to put more money towards things such as our program presenters and workshop, and that means we're making choices about other things, such as newsletter. We'll continue to have an online newsletter, but will only print what's necessary for the meeting.

We will continue to provide a zoom option for our regular meetings, and we are working on our sound issues - so that it's less noisy for those watching from zoom.

I'm super excited about our September meeting guest. It's always wonderful to find someone who loves quilting as much as we do, and loves to celebrate it. I have a feeling this is going to be a fun presentation, and a great year ahead.

Also wanted to give a high five to Lynn, one of our new board members. This is her first newsletter. And she's doing an awesome job.

One more thing, I know the province has dropped the mask mandate. But all indications are that there is a new variant on the rise. It's not mandatory, but please consider bringing and wearing a mask to the September meeting.

Sharon G.

Retreat Information

Dallas Valley Retreat Update
Oct 13th to Oct 16th, 2022

NEWS for ALL - Dallas Valley Pop Up Shop

Great News... We're so excited!

On Saturday October 15th 2022, we are hosting a Pop Up Shop with Second Story Quilting & Gypsy Soul Fabrics from NOON till 2:00pm during our Fall Quilt Retreat at the Dallas Valley Ranch Camp and all guild members are invited to attend the pop up. Fabric, batting, notions and ideas will be available for your purchasing pleasure.

Christa from Second Story will be doing a short presentation at 1:00pm. Here is what we need you to do..... RSVP to Shannon @ saskgirl1971@gmail.com by October 10th to get your name entered into an early bird draw. When you arrive at the pop up shop, your name will already be entered but you will get an extra entry to fill in and place it in the draw basket for chance to win the door prize and then shop till you drop!

FYI

you will need to bring a pair of indoor shoes, DV has a no outdoor shoes in the building policy. There is a large foyer at the main entrance with shoe racks for you to store your outdoor shoes. The Pop Up Shop will be located in the lower level great room of the camp's main ranch house, there is no elevator.

Don't forget to pop into the main room upstairs and check out what the retreaters are working on..... so many beautiful projects are created in that room!

Looking forward to seeing you out there!!!
Jacquie & Shannon

Dallas Valley Retreat is currently full but you can still add your name to a wait list. Please send your name to Shannon (saskgirl1971@gmail.com)



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By Cindy Radford

FALL IS UPON US

Hello, I hope everyone and their friends enjoyed a great summer! I thought I would try something new this year (unusual eh). Instead of sending advertising, I would write a little paragraph on the happenings @cindy-rella's each month. I hope you enjoy each month with a little story!

The picture on the side was a BBQ we had the summer of 2018. We were well on our way to enjoying our new location and thanking our customers for dropping by with a free picnic and really missing the Moosejaw quilts in the park day so we thought we try our hand at it. Then you can probably guess what happened, Covid! Little did we know, the next two years were about to change the way we do business forever. I lost all my staff for about 6 months and hired one, Alyssia. Alyssia and I came to work in our sweats and brought fabric to the window and filled online orders! Fortunately, we already had an online presence and we became busier then ever before. I even did machine demos thru the window while all classes were cancelled. We wondered when this would ever change...and if we needed a drive-thru!

CINDY-RELLA'S 2022/2023

Lots changed in the last 3 years. I renovated the store layout once again (I believe this is it!). Someone had told me that it takes awhile to figure out where everything goes and I laughed. Well...they were right. Within 5 years, we have had one ten year anniversary, a few new and familiar staff, the doctor's clinic closed (my husband is semi-retired) and more renovations! We are well on our way to a having 10,000 sq feet of sewing and quilting fabric, machines (the 3 b's as they say; Bernina, Brother, and Babylock) and notions. Please stop by and see our new Longarm, Seasonal, Blender and Licensed, Fashion, and Demo Room. Also check out our 1600sq classroom that has now been divided into 2 classrooms! This means our demos are coming back on Wednesdays again! Watch for the times and project in store, email, Facebook and Instagram.

Hope to see you soon,

Cindy-rella



UPCOMING CLASSES

Kimberbell No Place Like Home	
Sept 6,7	\$ 195
Kimberbell Pumpkin Spice (last one)	
Sept 10	\$ 135
Kimberbell Harvest Table	
Sept 17	\$ 149
Quilting Advanced Beginner	
Sept 24	\$ 75
Laura Heine Featherlite	
Sept 30, Oct 1	\$ 250
Kimberbell Home Sweet Haunted Home	
Oct 7, 8	\$ 195
Sewing Rea Harbus Sewing Bliss	
Oct 13, 14, 15	\$ 275
Quilting Absolute Beginner	
Oct 22	\$ 65
Quilting Quilt Finishing	
Oct 27	\$ 65

- Lunch is provided on Kimberbell classes only
- Machines and supplies are included in all classes
- Classes must be paid to reserve spot and no refunds

Library

The Quilt Guild has received a donation of two boxes of books for our library. We will be adding them to the collection as quick as we can.

We have also purchased five books over the summer. We purchased four books by Doug Leko - Winter Manor Quilt Book, Tabletastic Quilt Book, Tabletastic 2 Quilt Book & Tabletastic 3 Quilt Book. We have also added A Quilting Life by Sherri McConnell.

If there is a book you would like the Library to purchase please let us know.



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Program Information



Her Honour Donna Mirasty

Donna Mirasty was born and raised in the historic northern Saskatchewan community of Cumberland House. Her first language is Swampy Cree. One of eight children, Mrs. Mirasty's father was a trapper and fisherman, and her mother was a homemaker. Her father served in the South Saskatchewan Regiment during the Second World War. Cumberland House had the highest per capita enlistment by Indigenous Peoples during the War.

Her Honour's parents believed strongly in education and encouraged their children to pursue post-secondary education. Mrs. Mirasty studied nursing in Saskatoon and Nipawin, and is a Licensed Practical Nurse. She is an avid cross-country skier, and has volunteered for numerous ski clubs. She is also a skilled seamstress and experienced quilter.

Her Honour has lived throughout Canada and has travelled extensively in her home province of Saskatchewan. She and her husband, Lieutenant Governor Russ Mirasty, have a home in La Ronge, and they have two children and two grandchildren.

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Workshop Information

Our first workshop will be held on Saturday October 22nd from 9-4 at the Saskabilities Center.

Participant Cost \$40.00.

Holiday Applique Poinsettia bench pillow or table runner

Instructor- Lori Tourscher.

This pattern has been chosen because of all the different applique techniques that could be used. In this class we will cover several different applique methods using freezer paper, fusible interfacing and wash away interfacing. We will explore different ways to make and applique stems (skinny strips).

Title- Christmas Appliqué Pillow.

Payment due by Friday, October 14th
Class limited to 15 participants.

Lori has been quilting for 30 plus years and she has tried just about every kind of quilting. She started out making traditional quilts then art quilts and now has moved on to making mostly modern quilts. While she likes piecing and trying new techniques the greatest joy she gets is from doing the machine quilting a quilt is not done until it is quilted to death.

Lori is a member of the Prairie Piecemaker Quilters' Guild and Regina District Modern Quilt Guild. She has been teaching quilting classes for 30 plus years she has taught machine quilting and embroidery, creative clothing, creative and traditional quilt classes.

She uses traditional methods in a different way. She is always trying new techniques and methods and combines the new things learned with the old. She gets bored making the same block or pattern over and over as a result she seldom makes the same quilt twice. If she does make the same block she varies the fabrics used in the blocks resulting in a scrappier less structured looking quilt. So she can use a traditional pattern or block but because of the fabrics used it looks new and fresh. She has a unique and different color sense than most people; she sees the undertones in the fabric and not just the base color most people see. She has the ability in see what a project will look like before it is started.

Workshop Payment

To register pay the workshop fee by the workshop deadline date and send an etransfer ppmgtreasurer@gmail.com or by cheque to Marlene Smith-Collins, 168 Birchwood Crescent, Regina SK S4S 5N4, If paying by cheque please email ppmgtreasurer@gmail.com to let us know to keep your spot.

You are responsible to find a replacement that can pay the Workshop fee and take your place. The Guild does not refund the registration fee when you are unable to attend nor provide a credit for a future workshop. If the Guild cancels the Workshop registration will be reimbursed.

If there is a waiting list for the workshop the Workshop Committee will share the names on the waiting list for you to contact.

Some of our workshops rely on a certain number of participants to cover the expenses. We are trying to keep the costs as reasonable as possible.

The Guild abides by provincial health regulations as well as the regulations set by the facility we are renting. As such we may need to cancel face to face meetings. Masks are recommended if you have health concerns please do consider wearing a mask to protect yourself and others.

If you are unable to attend a workshop please notify a member of the Workshop Committee. You will find Workshop Lead contact information on the page 2 of this newsletter.



August 8, 2022

Hello Quilting Friends,

We are all busy enjoying the summer weather and meeting up with friends again, but make sure you take time to also enjoy your passion of quilting. CQA/ACC has some exciting quilt news coming up so stay tuned and keep in touch with us. Enjoy your summer.

If you wish to submit images of your quilts for the jigsaw puzzles, please send them to CQAmembership@gmail.com.

Look for the following activities you can join in the coming months:

- 2023 Individual Member Challenge (information late August/early September)
- 2023 Member Guild Challenge (information late August/early September)
- 2023 JN Harper Youth Challenge (information late August/early September)
- 2023 TrendTex Challenge (information late August/early September)
- 2023 Mystery Quilt (starting September 2022)
- 2023 Quilt Along (starting January 2023)
- Quilt Canada 2023 in Halifax (more information being added throughout the autumn of 2022)

You can check out the following on the website now:

- The [winners of the NJS](#)
- All the [2022 NJS entries](#)
- The [JN Harper 2022 Youth Challenge winners of Viewers' Choice awards](#) and the [random draw winners](#).
- [2022 TrendTex Challenge Entries and winners](#)

Don't forget to enter a picture of your completed [2022 Mystery Quilt to the Quilt Gallery on the CQA/ACC website](#).

[Regional Representatives](#) are busy connecting with guilds in their areas, and would love to make a presentation to your sewing group or guild to tell you all about the activities and events for both members and non-members to participate in. Book your representative now for a fall meeting.

Linda Lake

Membership Director

CQAmembership@gmail.com

Regina District Modern Quilt Guild (RDMQG)

It's September! It's a change of season. It's exciting! "It's the most wonderful time" in over two years!

Regina District Modern Quilt Guild Sew Days have resumed. Exciting times ahead with plenty of inspiration, new members, sharing and caring, stitching and creating, program and challenges, elections, field trip, thank you for a long-term project and a social before the end of 2022.

Our next Sew Day is Sunday, September 28 from 9:00am – 5:00pm at Sask Abilities.

Contact us at rdmqg1@gmail.com

Let your quilting happen! Let your thoughts and intuition guide your colour choice and design, your cutting and your piecing. Your quilt is a reflection of you.

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Meeting Minutes

Prairie Piecemakers Quilters' Guild
Semi-Annual General Meeting – May 3, 2022 - Minutes

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by President Sharon G. at 7:01 pm.

Minutes of AGM

Minutes of the September 7, 2021, Annual General Meeting were accepted as distributed. Motion to approve by

Tannis F. and seconded by Lynn B. Carried.

Approval of the Annual Reports

Motion that the committee reports be accepted as printed in the Newsletter by Jackie B. and seconded by

Shannon B. Carried.

Motion by Marlene S. C. and seconded by Carol G. to have the financial records for the current fiscal year

reviewed by Glen Stewart. Carried.

Change to bylaws

Proposed Bylaw change #1 - By-law 3.1- to rename the Director position of Website/Publicity to Communications.

Motion by Cindy T. seconded by Carol G. that the bylaw be changed. Carried.

Proposed Bylaw change #2 - By-law 6.1 - to change the start of pro-rated registration fees for new members

from January to February.

Motion by Tannis F. seconded by Joanne H. that the bylaw be changed. Carried.

Election Results

The positions to be elected are as follows:

President Sharon Gerein - Acclaimed Membership Cheryl Atkinson - Acclaimed

Vice President Tannis Fahlman - Acclaimed Library Dianne Petrich - Acclaimed

Secretary Beth Hicks - Acclaimed Newsletter Lynn Bryan - Acclaimed

Treasurer Marlene Smith-Collins - Acclaimed Programs Linda Brumwell - Acclaimed

Workshop Aline Munro - Acclaimed Communications Jymmi Kaye Demchuk - Acclaimed

Motion to approve the election results by Jackie B. and seconded by Shannon B. Carried.

Adjournment

Sharon adjourned the SAGM at 7:10 p.m.

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Prairie Piecemakers Quilters' Guild
Regular Monthly Meeting Minutes

2022 June 7

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 pm by the president.

2. Minutes of Last Meeting

Minutes of the 2022 May 3 rd meeting were presented. Motion by Lori T to accept the minutes, seconded by Carol G. Carried.

3. 2022 Quilt Show

Tannis F and Marlene S C presented the final results of the 2022 Quilt Show. The curling club was very well received and has been booked for the first weekend in May, 2024. Setup went very well. There were lots of volunteers. The guild studio and the "games room" were both successful. The statistics are:

Admission - 839

Profit - \$1044.18

Sponsorship - \$4820

Guild Table - \$1383.78

Guild Studio - \$504.92

Raffle Quilt - \$2720.72

Baskets - \$2318.43

4. 2023 Moose Jaw Quilt Show

Colleen M gave the details of the 2023 Moose Jaw Quilt Show. It will be held April 21-22 (Friday and Saturday), 2023 and the theme will be "Sew Full of Whimsy". Location is the Ford Curling Club which is a new location. There are 40 categories of quilts. Details are available on their web-site.

5. UFO Winners

There were 12 participants:

Team A - Carol G, Robin, Shannon, Beth - 137 pts

Team B - Jacquie, Cheryl, Joanne, Shannon - 242 pts

Team C - Renee, Joan G, Cindy, Jymmi Kaye - 248 pts

Everyone got a prize and the winning team (Team C) got extra prizes.

6. Membership - Cheryl

There were 53 members and 12 guests present. Because of the meeting format, there was no Zoom connection for this meeting. Of the 12 guests, 5 decided to join the guild.

7. Adjournment

The formal meeting was adjourned at 7:33 pm.

New Business

A group of ladies hold a quilting retreat at Mainstay in Riverhurst each September. They are looking for more quilters so they have enough to run. They need a minimum 10 participants (only have 7 at this time) to a maximum of 15.

Dates: September 16 to 18, 2022
Cost: \$197.94 - extra night \$60.60 plus tax

Meals are included. Friday will be pizza supper. Saturday brunch and order off menu for supper and Sunday brunch.

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Scrappy Mystery Quilt 2022 -2023

September 2022 by Tannis Fahlman

This year I am going for a beginner mystery quilt. No curves, half square triangles, or tiny pieces. Skill building lessons are accurate cutting and $\frac{1}{4}$ inch seams. Pattern testers are Darlene Stewart and Bonnie Racz.

I am trying to expand my horizons and try a scrappy quilt a first for me. I have been told, this is a great way to use up some of the scraps you have on hand or make friends with someone who has a stash. My suggestions are as follows: use one colour for a background, a different colour for the accent (I used the word black in my directions) and other colours for the scrappy part. You need anywhere from 15 to 30 different fabrics for the scrappy part. Example red is background, yellow is accent and blue is scrappy. Also, you can use white for background, black for accent and multi colours for scrappy.

Fabric Requirements

Background- 1.5 meters (can be scrappy also just use similar

Black .9 meters (can be scrappy also)

Scrappy .9 meters 15 to 30 different fabrics

Background

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$4\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ - 42

$3\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$ - 12

$3\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ - 4

$2\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ -40

Black

$3\frac{1}{2}$ Sq - 28

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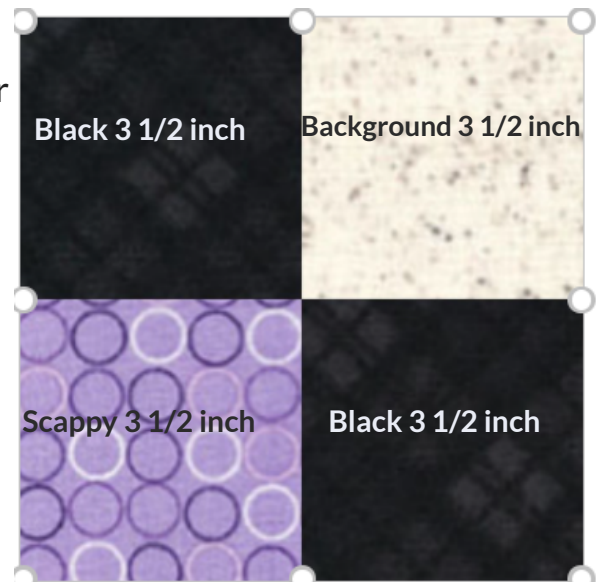
Scrappy

$3\frac{1}{2}$ Sq - 16

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$4\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ - 12

$2\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{2}$ -108



September Block

Make 8 Squares - $6\frac{1}{2}$ squares

Fabric

Background

$3\frac{1}{2}$ sq -8

Black (accent colour)

$3\frac{1}{2}$ Sq - 16

Scrappy

$3\frac{1}{2}$ Sq - 8

Directions:

Sew a black square to a background square using a $\frac{1}{4}$ seam allowance. Sew a black square to a scrappy square. Sew the four patch together making sure the blacks (accent colour) are opposite and the background is in the top right side. Make 8 - $6\frac{1}{2}$ inch squares

UFO Challenge

I can't believe it - another quilting year has gone by, the summer is over and Fall is about to begin. Last year was a very successful quilting year with many unfinished projects completed. In 2022 we are again going to have the UFO Challenge. I hope to have as many participants as we had last year. For those quilters who have never participated or need a reminder the following details should help explain the process.

A UFO is an unfinished object. One that you have started previous to September 1, 2022. The challenge is to complete these items to give your TEAM points and maybe win a prize. I randomly create teams after the October meeting based on how many participants/UFO's.

The guild member enters the name of the quilted item (please provide some details) along with the size (perimeter in inches) on the challenger register sheet. Each completed item with a label will earn an extra point. The completed list must be returned to me no later than October 20, 2022.

At the same time keep a copy for yourself as a reminder of what you have to finish and show the guild. The team that shows the most completed items on their list will win. I will also accept email lists sent to wat2so@accesscomm.ca

When you bring/ show your finished items to the meeting show them to the Challenge Coordinator (Renee B). I will check them off your list and at the end of the night tally team points. Showing your completed UFO at the meeting will give the guild members an opportunity to enjoy the quilts at the show and share time.

The Challenge is all about FUN - Cleaning out your quilting room, completing projects that have been collecting fabric fairy dust for months. The more space - the more fabric you can buy!!

SIZE	QUILTED ITEM	SCORE
0-60 inches	small wall hanging etc	1
60-100 inches	wall hanging	2
100-200 inches	baby sized quilt	4
200-300 inches	lap or double size	5
300-400 inches	queen size	7
400-500 inches	king size	10
	wallet, cushions, pillows, placemats	2
	table centre, table runner, bed runner, jacket, vests, bags, tree skirts, purses, bags	3

BONUS point for a label is 1



Guild UFO Challenge 2022- 2023

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I want to say thank you! It's a gorgeous quilt + makes me feel special!

I am enjoying the warmth + comfort your quilt is giving me.

Once again, thank you for your kindness!

Shirley ~~_____~~



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Agenda

Agenda - September 06, 2022

Welcome and call to order AGM	Sharon
Confirm attendance / voting numbers	Sharon
Adoption of the agenda	Sharon
Approval of minutes from SAGM May 3, 2022	Sharon
Approval of the Financial Statement 2021-22	Marlene
Approval of the Reviewers Report 2021-22	Marlene
Approval not to appoint an auditor for 2022-23	Marlene
Approval of the amended by-laws proposal	Sharon
Adjourn AGM	Sharon
Call to order general meeting	Sharon
Introduction - program with Her Honour Donna Mirasty	Linda
Show and Share	Everyone
Break 20 mins	
President's report	Sharon
Upcoming Program	Linda
Upcoming Workshop	Aline
Other reports	
• UFO	Renee
• Connecting threads	Marlene
• Retreats	Shannon/Jacquie
Mystery Quilt	Mystery person
50/50 draw	Betty/Sheree
New Business Arising	Sharon
Adjourn	Sharon

Next Meeting - October 4

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The Prairie Piecemakers Quilters' Guild is entering its 30th year as an incorporated organization, serving quilters, promoting the quilting arts and supporting the development of quilting in Regina. Your advertisement is an effective way to reach a local and a broader audience of quilters:

Local audience: the Prairie Piecemakers Quilters' Guild publishes 10 newsletters each year, monthly from September through June. The newsletter is distributed to all Guild members (currently 110 members and growing).
Extended audience: advertisers in the newsletter are recognized on the Guild website (www.prairiepiecemaker.com) with a link to their website and/or contact information. Each newsletter is posted on the Guild website and remains available for public download through the newsletter archive.

Timelines:
 Advertisers should send their advertisement copy to the editor of the guild newsletter two weeks before the end of the month prior to the next issue of the newsletter. Please see the Guild website for our Advertising Guidelines.

Contact:
 Inside the Guild Newsletter Editor
 Prairie Piecemakers Quilters' Guild
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 Regina, SK S4T 7X2
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Single Issue Rate			Full Year
Category	Size	Rate	Rate
Full page	7.5" x 10"	\$50.00	\$250.00
Half page (horizontal)	7.5" x 5"	\$25.00	\$125.00
Half page (vertical)	10" x 3.75"	\$25.00	\$125.00
Quarter page	3.75" x 5"	\$16.00	\$80.00
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Advertisement Sizes	Guild Member	Non-Guild Member
	Per issue	Per issue
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1/2 page	\$10.00	\$25.00

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