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# ISLAND THREADS



The Raffle quilt kindly donated by the members of LPQ and Rita Pittman

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## **From the President, Margaret Treloar**

The June meeting was a very happy day. We had so much positive feedback about the friendly atmosphere particularly from visitors and new members. This is wonderful, keep up the good work!

Well, the AGM is fast approaching and we are looking to replace several members of the Committee of Management. We have found a new Treasurer and a Workshop Co-ordinator but we still need a Vice President and Newsletter Editor as well as reps for the South and North West. Six years ago when I had only been a member of the Guild for a couple of weeks, I put my hand up to be Treasurer because Barbara Mellor said in an article she wrote looking for committee members that being on the committee was a good way to make new friends. She was definitely correct, I have made some wonderful friends during my time on the committee and have got to know far more of the members than I would have as an ordinary member.

I know meetings can be a pain but, really, we do have a lot of laughs and the food at Bakery 31 in Ross where we hold the COM meetings is wonderful. Please think about joining the Committee of Management, you would be made very welcome. Also, you will have a chance to make sure that the Guild is run the way you would like it to be run!

Last year we donated fourteen quilts from the blocks made at our quilting day at Government House and this year we will probably be able to donate around the same number, perhaps even more. Some wonderful members have already made up quilts and we have eight quilts complete. Some members and groups have taken sets of blocks to make up into more quilts and other quilt tops are being quilted. Well done everyone, I am sure that the quilts will be very much appreciated by those who are lucky enough to receive them.

We have heard that some of our members are not very well at the moment and we would like to let them know that we are thinking of them and wishing them all the very best.

As this will be my last President's report I would like to take the opportunity to thank all the members of the Committee of Management and the executive in particular. Susan has done a sterling job as Treasurer, it can be a very time consuming job. In fact, I think it is the biggest job of all as there is work to be done all year. I would also like to thank Deb for her work as Secretary, she is so reliable and helpful – nothing is too much trouble. Lastly, I would like to thank Yvette – she only volunteered to keep the urn topped up at general meetings and has ended up as President in waiting. I am very grateful for her support and particularly for her sense of humour – it has saved my life more than once. Thank you to everyone on the committee, your help and support has made my life much easier. Thank you also to our members, I have had a huge amount of positive feedback about meetings and other events we have organised and this has helped a lot when the committee is making plans.

Thanks again everyone, Margaret

### **A NOTE FROM YOUR TREASURER**

In future would everyone please pay any monies to the Guild either by cash at meeting or by EFT.

# REPORTS

## **Membership Report**

### **From the desk of the Vice President**

We would like to make welcome our new members; Michele Caldwell, Nicky Webster, Bettina Elischer, Gaye Marshall, Annie Hannon, Gwynne Glendenning, Frances Wadsley, Helen Fitzpatrick, Josephine Ann Brewer and Anna Matuszek.

We also have a new group joining us from George Town. Welcome to Tamar Sew-Ciety. Congratulations on joining the Tasmanian Quilting Guild and we wish you much enjoyment.

There are still some membership fees owing for the 2018/19 year, I will be sending out email payment reminders soon. Keep an eye on your inbox (and spam folder). If you are unsure if you have paid, please feel free to send me an email [yvettegilligan@hotmail.com](mailto:yvettegilligan@hotmail.com) or call 0437 218 091.

At the 30th of June 2018 we had 217 individual members and 29 affiliated groups. This number is sitting steady, but we would love to increase our Guild Membership (the more the merrier), so if you have a friend that maybe be interested in joining invite them along to a meeting for a visit.

The new Guild name badges have been very popular. We now have just under half our members badged up. If you would like yours ready to wear when you volunteer at Island Quilts in October, please fill in the form and get it into the Guild PO BOX (or email it to me) as soon as possible. Payment of \$12 can be direct deposited into the TQG account. Remember to use your name or member number as a reference as well as "badge", makes the job in Treasury a lot easier.

I hope everybody is finding plenty of time in the cooler months to get some sewing and quilting done. Especially if you have quilts entered in our Island Quilts Exhibition...can't wait to see them.

Yvette Gilligan  
Vice President  
Membership Secretary

### **DID YOU KNOW**

- That if you want updates from the website , then you can subscribe to the website. You just have to click on the SUBSCRIBE button on the right hand side of the website and give your email address and you will receive all updates
- All forms are available on the members only section of the website
- Members password is member2018



# WANTED!!!!

## NEWSLETTER EDITOR

- A knowledge of Publisher software would be helpful but our current Editor is happy to assist anyone who wants to learn.
- Only four newsletters a year so this is not a huge job but it is lots of fun!
- You will have the chance to work with a small, inspiring team who will be there to support you at all times
- If you have ever wanted to be a journalist/editor – now is your chance!

If you are interested, complete the nomination form in this newsletter and send it to our Secretary, Deb Groves.



### News from Poatina!

Louise has supplied our great meals for the past seven years at TQG Poatina retreats, but has decided to retire. We will miss her very much, but wish her the best for the future, spending time in the garden and by the beach.

Lee donated the quilt, made at retreat & pattern is appropriately named 'kitchen sink'.

Louise loved it & thanks everyone for the lovely messages and kind wishes.



# REPORTS

## **NORTHERN With Karen How**

Sudden onset of cold weather and people away on holidays to warm up has made for quiet times , I'm sure many UFO's are being caught up on ..

LPQ's had a day of celebration at Legana Tavern 12th July to celebrate all ladies having 0 Birthdays this year!! What a great idea .

In Stitches night group ventured out into the cold and had an amazing time St Charlie's dessert house!' Yummy!!! And are getting ready for their annual retreat at camp Clayton later in September ...

Hope we are all working on Yvette's portrait challenge and quilts for exhibition during these chilly winter months ..

## **SOUTHERN With Jenny Croxton**

My tenure as TQG Southern Rep is about to end, so this is my last report for *Island Threads*.

TQG needs a new Southern Rep. Remember that Committee members are elected for only a year at a time, and the Rep's responsibilities are not onerous. If you know of a TQG member (possibly yourself?) whom you'd like to see in the role, ask her to nominate, or contact me or any Committee member.

### **News of a new quilt shop!**

Janine Clifford has recently opened her new shop, **The Quilted Teapot**, in New Norfolk at 6 Bathurst Street – the old St Matthew's Church opposite the park. As the name suggests, it's also a café. Look on Facebook for some photos of the shop: it looks lovely.

### **Reports from groups:**

**Stitching and Beyond** continue to see a wonderful array of members' diverse textile pursuits at our two monthly gatherings. (Check the calendar on [www.stitchingandbeyond.com](http://www.stitchingandbeyond.com) for details). Over the next few months some lucky members are looking forward to gathering new skills and ideas in workshops led by Gloria Loughman (quilting), Julie Ryder (printing with mordants and indigo), Mary Hettmansperger (jewellery and basketry) and Gemma Black (pencils and colour inspired by Margaret and Charles Rennie Mackintosh).

No doubt we will see pieces inspired by these tutors in our next Biennial Out of Hand Exhibition in September 2019, together with the 2018 Challenge, "Spice of Life", currently being completed. - Chris H

**The Beachside Quilters** have been completing a Flower Garden Quilt. The pattern is designed by Kim McLean. They all look fabulous, all different just like us all. We also work on various individual projects. We take it in turn to set challenges and one of our members has just designed a mystery project for us. We meet every Tuesday and enjoy each other's company and help and encourage everyone. - Pam W

Thanks to all Southern members for your support.

Happy Quilting,  
Jenny Croxton

# Tasmanian Art Quilt Prize Report

## Exhibition-

25 quilts and 8 sculptures across 5 states and territories.

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### Winners- TAQP

1<sup>st</sup> Prize Sandra Champion  
runner up Glad Howard Queensland  
Highly Commended  
Dianne Finnegan NSW  
Yvette Gilligan TAS  
Josephine Allen NSW

### Sculpture

1<sup>st</sup> Prize  
Alvena Hall SA  
Robyn Eves NSW  
Viewer's Choice  
Neroli Henderson Vic.

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### Budget

Aim to cover costs. The budget indicates a good profit (\$1,400 approx.) largely due to the two anonymous donations of \$500. There may be a bit more to pay for insurance, but it is looking very healthy and there is enough to advertise in the magazines for next time.

We try to make money wherever we can, ie raffle, sale of catalogue and printing of cards.

Winners of Raffle at Maritime Museum all Hobart

- Voucher form Huon Acqualculture - Yvonne Roberts
- Wine – Peter Brown
- Basket of Goodies – E. Roberts
- Also Bay of Fires Winter Art Festival at the long weekend in June. – this is the third year I have held an exhibition in St Helens. This year \$310 profit.

Winners of raffle were -

- Leesa Chandler Bag – Bev Reid –Hobart
- Silk Scarf- Jacqui Hume -St Helens
- Set of Cards- Carolyn Bassett -Kempton

### Workshop

Very successful. Eileen Campbell was wonderful, we learned all her secrets. She brought lots of her quilts with her so we all had a very close look. Thank you to Judy and the Aberdell group for allowing us to use the space.

### Opening

Over 90 guests came to the opening. 19 of the finalists attended -several from interstate. Greg Alexander and Kerrie Hayes flew down from NSW. Greg was very pleased with the exhibition. Dianne Snowden co author of 'Patchwork Prisoners' opened the exhibition, she gave a very good speech. The Carnegie Gallery at the Maritime Museum was a terrific venue.

### Exhibition

Every time we do this it gets bigger and better. I do need someone to take on promotion and advertising. Anyone who is interested for next time please let me know.

### Travelling Exhibition

August - Wonders of Wynyard

September Gone Rustic Gallery St Marys

October – Island Quilts Craft Alive.

Thank you to the Committee- Pip Scholten, Fran Bowden, Kate Berry, Helen Lutz, Kathy Mumford, Jenny Croxton.



## 2018 Island Quilts Report

Thank you to all the members who have entered Island Quilts this year. We don't have as many as last year, but are quite happy with the number. It will be a fantastic exhibition! I am particularly pleased with the number of student entries this year. Well done!

### Timeline

Change of date for delivery of quilts to depots now 26<sup>th</sup>- 28<sup>th</sup> September. Judi Spurr will have bags with her at the September meeting. Members may bring their quilts to the meeting.

### Depots –

NW -The Fabric Parcel (please check when open) - Lesley Lyons contact

N - Esme's and Deb Grove

NE- Barbara Mellor

S – Wafu Works and Patchworks, Judi Spurr Jenny Croxton contact

### Judges -

Jane Rundle from Queensland

Marlene Boatwright –appraiser

Sandra Champion

Student textiles- Lauree Brown and Dorotea Hinrichsen

**Workshops-** See form in newsletter

**Volunteers – *see form in newsletter.*** It is expected that all entrants will volunteer their time.

We are also looking for volunteers who would like to demonstrate at Island Quilts. Could be by machine or hand sewing.

**Raffle –** Thank you to everyone who has sold raffle tickets. If you return your raffle tickets by 15<sup>th</sup> September you will go in to a draw for a \$100 gift voucher at the patchwork shop of your choice.

**Evening with the Judges and Presentation - *see form in the newsletter* .**

**Pick a Prize –** Helen Lutz is looking for donations you may leave them with your quilt(s) at the your depot.

**Quilts for Sale during exhibition *see form on website.***

Thank you to the committee for all their continuing hard work

Barbara Mellor



# ISLAND QUILTS

## TASMANIAN QUILTING GUILD INC

The members of the exhibition Committee are all busy working behind the scenes in preparation for Island Quilts in October. This will be the beginning of a new era in Tasmanian Quilting. I am looking forward to seeing all your beautiful quilts

### TIME LINE FOR ISLAND QUILTS

<b>15 September</b>	Return of raffle tickets
<b>26-28 September</b>	Delivery of quilts to Depots
<b>4 October</b>	Judging day
<b>5 October</b>	Photography day and final judging
<b>6 October</b>	Workshop—Funky feathers and simple fillers (HOBART)
<b>7 October</b>	Quilting with rulers (ULVERSTONE)
<b>9 October</b>	Workshop—Funky feathers and simple fillers
<b>11 October</b>	<b>HANGING DAY</b> <b>EVENING WITH THE JUDGES &amp; PRIZE PRESENTATION</b>
<b>12-14 October</b>	Island Quilts Show
<b>16-19 October</b>	Quilt Pickup from Depots

### **Island Threads Prize Presentation and Judges' Evening**

**Thursday, 11 October, 2018, 6:45 for 7 pm**

#### **Moonah Arts Center**

23-27 Albert Rd, Moonah TAS

opposite Harris Scarfe car park

<http://www.moonahartscentre.org.au/visit/>

**Adults \$10, students free**

#### **Direct Deposit Account:**

BSB 067600

Acct No. 10733963

Reference: "Evening" Member No and number of tickets,  
including students

#### **Ticket purchase**

**Cash Only at  
Guild Meetings**

Depending on pre-purchase, there may be tickets at the door by cash only.

Maximum of 150 attendees!

Purchase early, or put your name on a waiting list via [kathleenmumford@yahoo.com.au](mailto:kathleenmumford@yahoo.com.au)

Supper is being prepared by Rebecca, who catered for the Tasmanian Art Quilt Prize. Savories and sweets, tea, coffee, and water; and wine will also be available at \$5/glass.

Helen Ducker, Guild Historian, is preparing a slideshow loop of past Guild activities and exhibitions while we gather, during supper, and as we depart.

**Some helpers are needed for the evening, please!**

## **Island Quilts 2018 Judges' Biographies**

### **Mainland Judge**

#### **Jane Rundle**

I have been quilting seriously since 1983 when I moved to Hobart. I remember being in the front room at The Patchworks learning machine piecing while everyone else was hand piecing!

While I was one of the early members of TQG, we moved to Queensland 13 years ago, where I have continued my quilting journey.

My first passion is traditional patchwork, followed closely by machine quilting. All those lessons learning the basics have been lessons well remembered and have stood the test of time and are still very relevant today! Original quilts are top of my agenda, I love starting out with a piece of fabric and an idea and making up the design as I go along. Many of my quilts are made with one idea which then changes as I move along, not much ends up the way it started out to be!

I love and am inspired by colour, shape and design, and I love a good quilt challenge! I have recently come to enjoy art and modern quilting. These style of quilts are such fun to make, and can be a joy to stitch.

The buzz of winning a ribbon in a quilt show started in Tasmania, I have since gone on to win a few more ribbons in Queensland. Recent memorable prizes have been First in Queensland Quilters State of the Art Quilts, Best theme quilts at Queensland Quilters twice in the past few years, first Art quilt, and a Best Machine Quilted a few years ago.

Last year I worked with Bernina as guest artist at the Craft and Quilt Fairs, this involved a lot of machine quilting on the Bernina Q20 which was my kind of heaven!

I am passionate about sharing my skills and knowledge, I have been recently teaching both machine quilting and machine quilting with rulers. Facilitating quilters to make and then finish a quilt on their home machine is one of my aims. I find such pleasure in teaching others to master the often difficult looking machine quilting techniques. Ruler work revolutionised my quilting, and I look forward to sharing my knowledge in Tasmania.

### **Tasmanian Judges**

#### **Marlene Boatwright**

My quilting journey started over 34 years ago first making a sampler quilt which my daughter still uses and loves as well as her many others.

I love scrap quilts and these are given to family and friends to celebrate birthdays or the arrival of a new baby.

I also enjoy very much enjoy working with Civil War fabrics and machine piecing reproduction quilts.

I have been a valuer/appraiser since 2001 and judging at local shows.

Belonging to groups has also been an important part of my patchwork. Going to retreats can be so much fun and seeing what others are working on. Great to swap ideas and patterns.

## **Tasmanian Judges Continued**

### **Sandra Champion**

Tasmania is a place where the beauty and diversity of the island's ancient landscape is inspirational in many different ways; for me they are the piercing colour of the light, and the texture and design in the natural environment.

My exploration of textile as an art form, particularly paper textile, has continued since my experiments with the airmail-weight newspaper, The Manchester Guardian, while at Art School in the 1980s. I particularly like using paper collage to discover ways in which paper can be deconstructed to create different colours and textures. I also use rusted papers, with the expectation that each piece will change over time as the more fragile pieces deconstruct and the nature of the piece evolves. I then add layers of depth, with painted translucent paper hand stitched into textile to create colour, texture and depth in my works.

The inspiration for my work comes from the natural environment, in particular, interpreting the Tasmanian wilderness and its influences. I work in series; one such is based on the Buttongrass Plains of the Cradle Mountain World Heritage Area. Another series explores the devastating effects of a wildfire at Lake Mackenzie in 2016, caused by climate change, which destroyed a remnant ancient alpine habitat, a delicate ecosystem of Pencil and King Billy Pines and large cushion plants that have lived for more than 1000 years. My latest series interprets an old sea wall in Secheron Bay which has seen many changes since it was built nearly two hundred years ago.

I use the art quilt medium to pursue awareness of our collective responsibility for our impact on the environment.

## **THINGS VOLUNTEERS NEED TO KNOW**

The Guild has a special arrangement with Craft Alive whereby volunteers get in for a discounted \$7 per day, or \$12 for all 3 days. Please wear your Guild Badge, and give your name to the Craft Alive ticket office personnel. They will have a list of all volunteers' names.

Please then report to the Guild desk at the start of your duty. All volunteers must sign in and out each day for insurance purposes.

Judging will take place on 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> October at St Peters Hall, Eastside Lutheran College, Warrane, and the Exhibition will be held at the Goods Shed, Macquarie Point Hobart.

### **JUDGING DAY**

- Wear covered in shoes and if you have a safety vest please bring it
- Bring your own mug. Morning tea and a light lunch will be provided
- You will be required to sign a confidentiality agreement
- Be silent at all times, and give no body language as to your thoughts on a quilt.

### **HANGING DAY**

- Wear covered in shoes, and bring a safety vest if you have one.
- Bring your own mug and lunch. Tea and coffee will be provided
- Some very nice volunteers also bring a slice to share

### **EXHIBITION DAYS**

- Wear comfortable shoes and wear your Guild badge
- Sashes and white gloves will be provided
- Bring your own mug and lunch. Food can be purchased at the café.
- The Guild will provide tea and coffee
- Duties are not onerous and include white glove duty, "meet and greet" the public, selling raffle tickets, handing out Viewers' Choice forms, and answering any questions.



## Island Quilts Volunteer Registration Form

The Island Quilts Exhibition is being held in conjunction with Craft Alive at the Goods Shed, Macquarie Point Hobart, from 12 -14<sup>th</sup> October 2018. We need many Guild members to volunteer to assist with making our Exhibition a success. Could you please complete this form and either:

Post it to Fran Bowden, 27 Maning Avenue, Sandy Bay 7005

Email it to [franbowden@iprimus.com.au](mailto:franbowden@iprimus.com.au)

Advise your availability in an email message

Name	
Phone	
Email	

Please circle times you are available				
Thu 4	Judging	9 am - 5 pm	9 am - 1 pm	1 pm - 5 pm
Fri 5	Judging/photography	9 am - 5 pm	9 am - 1 pm	1 pm - 5 pm
Thu 11	Set up	9 am - 5 pm	9 am - 1 pm	1 pm - 5 pm
Fri 12	Exhibition	10 am - 12 noon	12 noon - 2 pm	2 pm - 4 pm
Sat 13	Exhibition	10 am - 12 noon	12 noon - 2 pm	2 pm - 4 pm
Sun 14	Exhibition	10 am - 12 noon	12 noon - 2 pm	2 pm - 4 pm
Sun 14	Take down	4 pm – 6pm		

Please let me know if you have any queries about these duties, or need any information about the Exhibition. We also need volunteers to demonstrate handwork, eg, applique, needle turn, paper piecing etc during the Exhibition. Please let me know what you would like to demonstrate and when.

Fran Bowden

Volunteer Coordinator

[franbowden@iprimus.com.au](mailto:franbowden@iprimus.com.au)

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# ISLAND QUILTS

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## TASMANIAN QUILTING GUILD INC

### ***Pick - A - Prize***

Thank you to everyone who contributed raffle prizes for the very successful Pick - A - Prize 2017 - a great additional fund raiser to the Island Quilts Raffle.

Island Quilts Committee is again seeking donations of homemade prizes for the 2018 Pick - A -Prize Raffle.

For those who are unfamiliar with the process, Pick -A – Prize works as follows:-

The daily prizes are numbered and attached to a board. Containers, one for each prize with corresponding number, are placed on table. Participants purchase tickets for \$1 each and place in in the appropriate container for the item they wish to win. Prizes are drawn each day at 3 pm.

Examples of donations :- bags, arm chair notion holders, cushion covers, aprons, placements, zip bags, pin cushions, thread catchers, table runners etc.

The Committee are grateful for all the support members can offer. Donations can be brought to the September AGM or left at the participating Depots.

For more information please email [hmlutz@bigpond.net.au](mailto:hmlutz@bigpond.net.au)

Helen Lutz  
Pick – A – Prize Co-Ordinator







# Jane Rundle

**Interstate Judge**

## **A Machine Quilting Extravaganza**

3 one-day  
workshops in the  
North West and  
Hobart.

### **Hobart**

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**Oct. 6th & 7th**  
10 AM - 4 PM

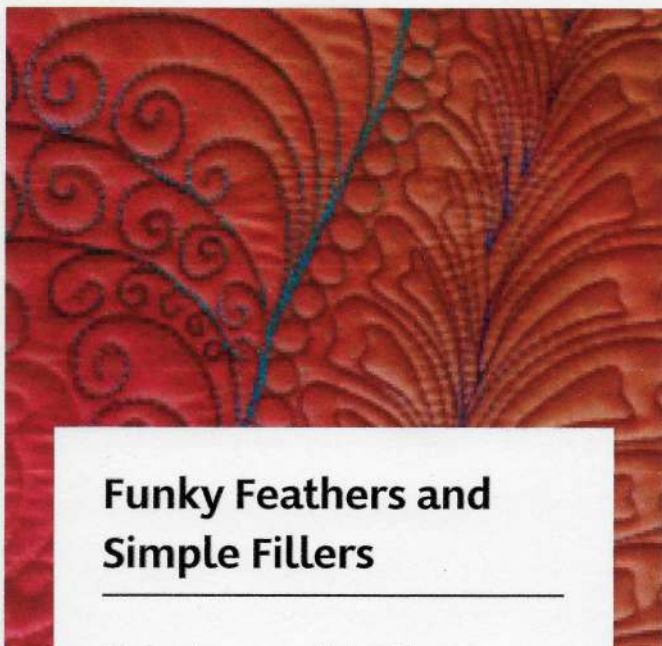
Moonah Arts  
Centre

### **Ulverstone**

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**Oct. 9th**  
10 AM - 4 PM

Camp Clayton



## **Funky Feathers and Simple Fillers**

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Hobart      Oct. 6th  
Ulverstone      Oct. 9th

### **Machine Quilting for everyone**

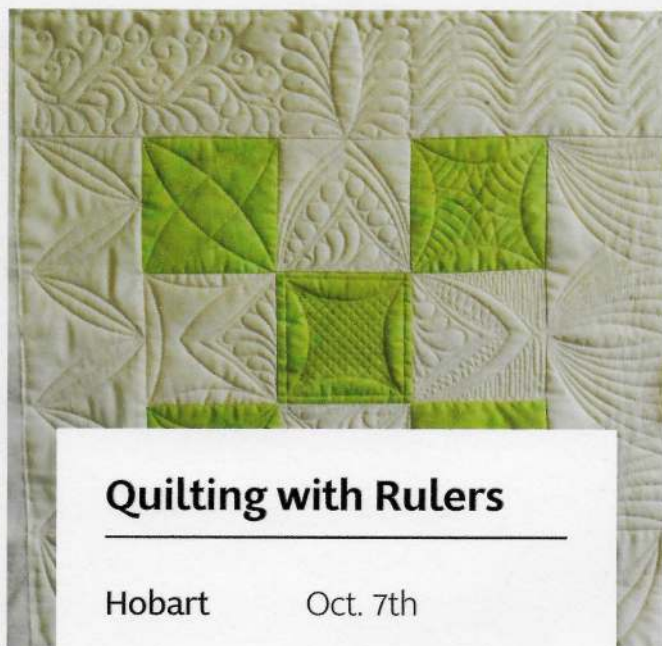
**Level** - beginner or intermediate machine quilters.

Hone your skills and become confident with a variety of free motion feathers and fillers. Learn simple free motion fillers - traditional and modern. Learn to quilt a basic shape and expand on it to have a great library of designs at your fingertips. Learn how to make lovely funky smooth feathers using a no fuss approach.

This is a hands on stitching class, there will be lots of stitching with some drawing included - be prepared to have a fun and busy class!

This workshop is suitable for beginner machine quilters, or anybody wanting to expand their repertoire.

Samples only will be stitched.



## **Quilting with Rulers**

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Hobart      Oct. 7th

### **Ruler work for the domestic machine**

**Level** - intermediate or experienced machine quilters.

Do you have machine-quilting rulers and a special foot and are not really sure how to use them? This is the class for you. Learn how to use your sit down domestic machine to quilt achievable designs using a ruler foot. Learn to create designs using your new rulers that will revolutionise your quilting life!

This workshop is suitable only for quilters who have a ruler foot suitable for their sewing machine.

### **Limited Spaces**

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These are technique based workshops and numbers are limited to maximise individual tutor student time. Please complete and return the booking form with payment to confirm your space. Where there is an over subscription priority will be given to TQG members. Participating Non - members joining the guild within 2 months of the workshop will have the non-membership surcharge deducted from their joining fee.





## One-day workshop Fees

TQG members	\$75
Non-members	\$85



## Booking Form

I would like to attend the below workshop/s. (Please tick the relevant box/s below).

- ☐ **Hobart 6th Oct.**  
Funky Feathers and Simple Fillers
- ☐ **Hobart 7th Oct.**  
Quilting with Rulers
- ☐ **Ulverstone 9th Oct.**  
Funky Feathers and Simple Fillers

Name

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Membership Number

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Contact Address

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Contact Email

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Phone Number

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## Payment Enclosed

- ☐ Cheque
- ☐ Money Order
- ☐ Cash (Payment in person **only**)
- ☐ Direct Deposit with reference of membership number and Title and location of Workshop to:

**BSB** 067600  
**Account Number** 10733963

## Email Form

Fill out form and email to:

**Hobart Workshop Co-ordinator:**

Tina Thain

tmthain@netspace.net.au

**Ulverstone Workshop Co-ordinator:**

Lesley Lyons

lesleylyons1@hotmail.com

## Post

**Jane Rundle Quilting Extravaganza Workshops**

Tasmanian Quilting Guild Inc.

P.O. Box 181, North Hobart TAS 7002

## MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS *are due.*

Membership fees are due by the 30<sup>th</sup> of June for the 2018/19 financial year. Any Members whose fees still remain overdue 3 weeks after the AGM in September will result in them being unfinancial and will have to pay the re-joining fee of \$10

The renewal fee is **\$40**

You can pay using Direct Deposit:

**Tas Quilting Guild Inc**

**BSB 067600**

**Account Number 10733963**

Cheques can be sent to:

**Tasmanian Quilting Guild**

**PO Box 181**

**North Hobart**

**Tasmania 7002**

Please use your Member Number as reference when direct depositing.

If you have forgotten your member number please feel free to call or email me and double check.

Yvette Gilligan

Membership Secretary

[yvettegilligan@hotmail.com](mailto:yvettegilligan@hotmail.com)

0437 218 091

## TESTING AND TAGGING of ELECTRICAL ITEMS

Due to changes in laws and insurance many venues where retreats and workshops are being held are insisting all electrical items are tested and tagged. This includes sewing machine, irons, power cords and boards and lights. Prior to attending workshops please check with the coordinator to ensure you don't miss out if you arrive with untested items.

To find a qualified professional in your area please consult the phone book or internet.

Some businesses will offer discounts for multiple items tested, so it might be an idea to join with friends to share the costs.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

	Event	Date	Location
Meetings	AGM	15 September 2018	Punchbowl
	Christmas Luncheon	TBA	Punchbowl
Newsletter	Deadline: End of October 2018	Mailing: November 1 2018	
Committee of Management		21 Oct 2018	Ross
Appraisal Days		20 October 2018	Punchbowl
Island Quilts	Evening with Judges	Thursday 11 October 2018	Hobart
	Island Quilts Quilt Show	Friday 12-14 October 2018	Hobart

### *T.Q.G. Vice-Presidents Challenge*

Topic for 2018 is

## PORTRAIT

The size is approximately A3 (16 ½ x 11 ¾ inch OR 42 x 30 cm)

Use your favourite techniques or try something new to create a  
PORTRAIT of you, your friend, your dog or a complete stranger.

Have your work ready to be displayed at our **Christmas Meeting** in 2018.

Please give appropriate credit for any patterns or photos you may use.

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## NAME BADGE ORDER FORM

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## Problems??? You ask the questions and I'll try to give you a simple solution

Dear Linda,

I'm pretty new to quilting and I'm loving it so with the coming "Island Quilts" Exhibition on the horizon, I'm thinking of entering one of my quilts that I think has turned out rather well. However, I'm worried that my friends will think I'm showing off or worse, that my quilt will not compare well with the other entries.

Worried

Dear Worried,

Don't beat yourself up, most people feel the same way when they start but there are good reasons to put your quilts in exhibitions. Hanging your quilt among lots of others gives you a chance to compare it with others. This will enable you to see how well you're going and where you need improvement. Remember, not winning a prize often means that the competition was just better, NOT that your quilt was not well done. Take notes on your strengths and weaknesses to guide you if you want to seek help.

The other very important thing to remember is that everyone starts somewhere and it is often very encouraging to see "starter" quilts. Other quilters suffering lack of confidence can be buoyed up by imperfect quilts. Quilting is all about helping each other.

Happy Quilting



**TASMANIAN QUILTING GUILD Inc.**

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Nomination Form

For 2018 – 2019 TQG Committee of Management position

Name (BLOCK LETTERS) .....

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The secretary

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4 day master class with Gloria Loughman  
Multiple Images in the Landscape



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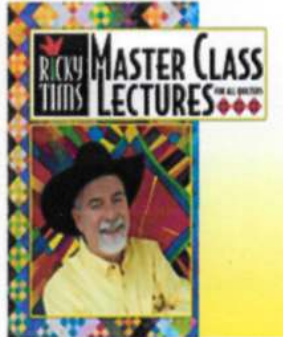
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- To promote the art and craft of Patchwork and Quilting
- To bring quilters together from all parts of the state
- To encourage the establishment of affiliated groups
- To encourage and maintain high standards of workmanship and design in both traditional and contemporary quilting
- To foster interest in the history of patchwork and quilting
- To organise exhibitions
- To publish a newsletter
- To arrange for the giving of lectures to members of the Guild on subjects of concern or interest to them



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### **SOUTH**

**Aberdell Haven Quilters** Meet Wednesdays 10-4 and Fridays from 4-10pm, in Acton Park area; limited spaces for machine and hand sewing Contact: Judi Spurr (03) 6248 1100

**Beachside Quilters**, contact Pam Watkins, 6265 9159, [pi2watkins@bigpond.com](mailto:pi2watkins@bigpond.com)

**Channel Quilters** Meet alternate Tuesdays in members' homes from 10.30am to 3.00pm Contact: Lauree Brown ph 03 62297529

**Claremont Quilters** Meet every Wednesday from 10-3, at Claremont RSL, 9 Bilton Rd, Claremont. New members welcome. Contact: Karren Walker 0409 471 112

**Come Quilting Loose Threads** Meet each Wednesday morning 9.30am to 12 noon, in the hall under St Francis Xavier Church Hall, cnr Adelaide & Anglesea Sts, South Hobart. Contact: Shirley Gillam (03) 6223 4835

**Kensington Quilters** Meet at the church hall Kensington Street, Glenorchy Wednesdays 9.30 - 12 noon and on the last Wednesday on each month 9.30 - 2pm including lunch. contact Janice 0362729343

**Quilt Inn** Meet fortnightly in members' homes. This is a closed group with a waiting list.

**Quilting Companions** New Norfolk New Members Welcome Contact: Jenny (03) 6261 3795, 0400 166542

**Scattered Pieces** Meet last Saturday of the month from 12.30 to 4.00pm at Corpus Christie Church, Alma Street, Bellerive. Contact : Lisa Rose (03) 6273 9933

**Sommers Bay Quilters** Meet on the second and fourth Saturdays of the month at 623 Sommers Bay Rd, Murdunna at 1.30pm. Contact : Margaret Pendlebury (03) 6253 5609

**Stitching and Beyond** Meet on the third Monday of the month at the Adult Education Centre, Hutchins Street, Kingston from 10.00am to late lunch, and on the first Thursday of the month at The Friends School, Argyle Street, North Hobart, from 6.00 to 8.00pm. Contact : Faye Twining (03) 6272 0531

**Tasmanian Modern Quilt Guild** Meet on 1st Wednesday of month at the New Town Bay Rowing Club from 6-8 pm. Meeting cost \$5; Membership \$35 + \$10 joining fee. Contact: tassiemqp@gmail.com; facebook.com/tasmanianmqg; instagram.com/tasmqg; blog tasmanianmodernquiltguild.blogspot.com

**Willow Court Quilters** Meet every Monday from 10 am—3 pm , at the Patchwork Café 15 George Street, New Norfolk. New members welcome Contact Janine 0362615730, 0417016479

**WWW Group**, Contact Helen Shearer, PO Box 53, New Town 7008 Phone 0404345979 Email, [tork2helen@internode.on.net](mailto:tork2helen@internode.on.net)

### **NORTH**

**Dorset County Quilters** Meet on the third Wednesday of each month at the Uniting Church Hall, King Street, Scottsdale from 9.00am to 4.00pm. Contact: Jenny Millwood 0439 258 266 .

**George Town Wilted Quilters** Meet at George Town Yacht Club monthly, first Monday of the month. Contact: Carla Coogan (03) 6382 1154.

**In Stitches quilting group**, Sue Hodgkinson, P O Box 41, Exeter, 7275. My contact number is 0438523825, the meeting times are 7 – 9.30 Tuesday nights and 9 – 1.30 on Wednesdays and although our books are full at present we are happy to put names on a waiting list.

## Affiliated Groups

<b>NORTH</b>
<p><b><u>Launceston Patchworkers &amp; Quilters</u></b> Meet at the Punchbowl Bible Chapel, 100 Punchbowl Rd, Launceston, and every Thursday from 10.00am to 2.00pm and the second Saturday of the month from 11.00am to 4.00pm. Contact: Fran Williams (03) 6331 9498.</p>
<p><b><u>Lilydale Moderns</u></b> Meets the first and third Monday of each month from 10am at Whites Mill Road Lilydale. Call Rach Denholm on 0427951498 if interested</p>
<p><b><u>Bridport Textile Group</u></b> Meets Tuesdays weekly at the Bridport Hall, 10-2 Contact Margie Milne- phone number is 0438 561516</p>
<b><u>NORTH-WEST</u></b>
<p><b><u>Burnie Piecemakers</u></b> Meet on the first and third Monday of the month (except public holidays) at the Baptist Church Hall, 57 Mount Street, Burnie from 10.00 am. Contact: Lynn Hoodless (03) 6431 7596</p>
<p><b><u>Smithton Town &amp; Country Patchworkers &amp; Quilters</u></b> Meet every second Saturday of the month at the Smithton Christian Fellowship Building in Nelson St, Smithton, from 10.30am to 4.00pm. Contact : Cathy Parsons 0409 522 006</p>
<p><b><u>Wynyard Cottage Patchworker &amp; Quilting Group</u></b> Meet on the first Monday of the month 11.00am -3.00pm, and the second &amp; fourth Tuesday evening 7.00pm – 10.00pm meetings will be held in members homes. Contacts Helen Dixon 64 42 3181 or Lorraine Hyland 0428 422 305.</p>
<p><b><u>Devon Patchworkers &amp; Quilters</u></b> Meet at the Devonport Library, Fenton Street, Devonport each Thursday evening from 7.00 to 9.00 pm. The contact persons are: Alana Bessell Ph 0405 318 904 or Lesley Lyons Ph 0417 871 478</p>
<p><b><u>Leven Quilters</u></b> Meet every Monday at the Catholic Church Hall, Alexandra Rd, Ulverstone from 10.00am to 3.00pm. Contact: Janine Richardson, (03) 6431 6299.</p>
<p><b><u>The Sewing Sisters</u></b> We meet every Wednesday at the Youth Centre (Sports Stadium) Cotton Street Latrobe from 10AM to 3PM Contact : Karen Parnell 0429447357</p>
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<b><u>EAST COAST</u></b>
<p><b><u>Break O'Day Stitchers</u></b> Meet every Friday at the St Helens Neighbourhood House Bungalow, St Helens, from 10.00am to 3.00pm. General meetings held on the last Friday of the month 10.00am for about an hour. Contact : Ann Luttrell - mlutrell2@bigpond.com</p>
<p><b><u>Which Stitches</u></b> Spring Bay Community and Health Centre, 3 Melbourne Street Triabunna every second Monday night form 7pm – 9pm. Phone Sue Khan on 0419288250.</p>
<p><b><u>Sippers and SewHers</u></b> Meet every Tuesday, from 10 am - 4 pm Contact: Caroline Wells (03) 6254 7133</p>

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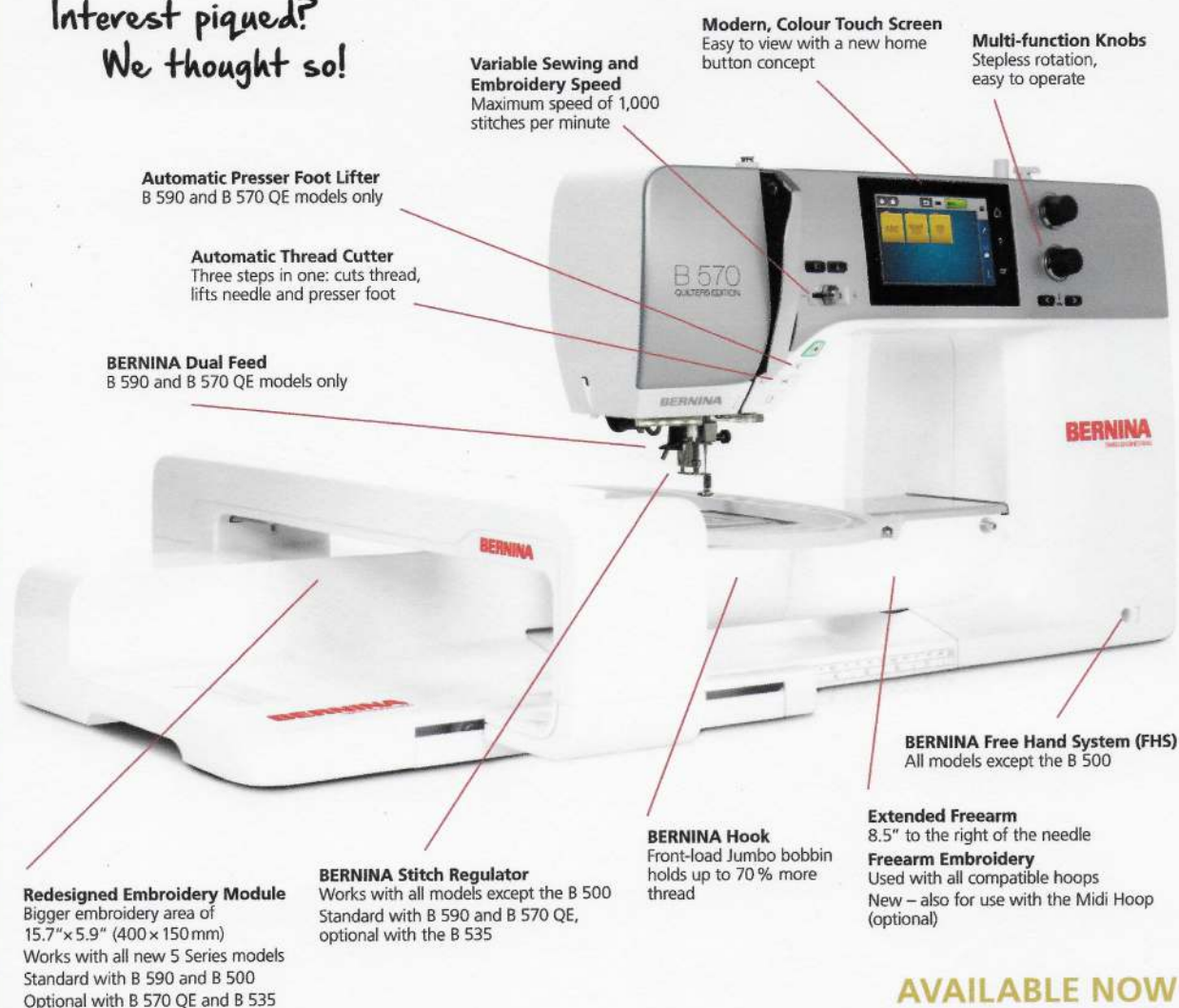
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