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Message from our CO-Presidents

Fellow members.... Greetings to you on a wet spring day. You can see the grass growing and the rhubarb is almost ready. The next crop that is a favourite is asparagus...first vegetable from my garden.

We were hoping to be enjoying meetings together but that still isn't possible so we will continue to meet via Zoom. It has been a successful tool to keep us connected and hopefully more of you will decide to give it a try. Oksana is willing to practice with you so don't be shy!

We are excited to have received several post cards for the challenge and hope more will be in the mail this month. We would like to receive all the entries by June 3/21.

This month is our annual meeting which is a short procedure and then we will be on to our program. We will be inspired with ideas to make our sewing rooms/space more efficient and organized.... always a challenge!

The Saturday sew mornings are going very well and we have been treated to the knowledge and talent of our fellow members. Our next sew session is May 15, hope you can join us. Just drop in for a chat or stay for the morning, your choice.

To feed your appetite for our craft, check out YouTube for lots of video/tutorials. Pinterest is another good source for inspiration, but it can be quite a rabbit hole. Our newsletter editor has been including various internet sites recommended by our members.

Enjoy the spring season and keep well.

Oksana & Fern

Zoom on May 17
Meeting at 7:15 Social at 6:45



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The Executive

Co-Presidents:	Fern Pugh, Oksana Slipenkyj
Vice-Presidents:	Julie MacFarlane and Heather Sheridan
Past President:	Linda Lewis
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Membership:	Christine Robinson, Yvonne Guse-Ruhn
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The Committees

Birthday Club:	Leah Mitchell,
Block of the Month:	Judy MacLeod, Sheila Klein
Bulletin Board:	Vacant
Community Projects:	Karen Turcott, Karen Hunter, Connie Walterhouse, Trish McKibbin, Penny Squirrel, Fern Pugh (pillowcases)
Financial Reviewers:	Diana Cordingley, Maxine Barnes
Historian:	Leah Mitchell
Librarians:	Liz Nash, Lorna Raney, June Moir, Linda Horner
Lucky Draw:	Helen Currie, Stella Graham, Sharon Courage, Marie Tupling, Louise Cornelius
QBA	Vacant
Quilt Show:	TBD
Refreshments:	Diana Cordingley for socials only
Retreats:	Judi Sullivan, Yvonne Conway, Susan Pirie,
Show 'n Tell	Cathy Smith, Mindy Swack, Dale McMillan
Stitch 'n Share	Leah Mitchell
Web Coordinator:	Oksana Slipenkyj
Facebook:	Judy MacLeod

Please send newsletter submissions to:
dpqgnewsletter@gmail.com

OR

Judi Sullivan : sulljudi@gmail.com



LIBRARY BLOCK 2021

Liz Nash, Lorna Raney, June Moir, Linda Horner

In recognition of National Quilting Month in March, two quilting books have been donated to our 4 local libraries (Shelburne, Grand Valley, Orangeville & Caledon), plus one copy of each title to our guild library. Playing with Patchwork & Sewing by Nicole Calver and Walk Run Jog Free Motion Quilting Workbook by Dara Tomasson. (We missed 2020, thus 2 titles this year.) Contact Liz Nash if you would like to borrow either title: nashliz@hotmail.com:




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*Dufferin Piecemakers
Quilting Guild*

The address for the website is: <http://www.dufferinpiecemakers.org/>

Members Corner: Login is the e-mail address the guild has for you
Password: password10 (until you change it)

**Guild Facebook Page—Did you take a look yet?
Please add a photo or two.**

Dufferin Piecemakers has a Facebook page! If you're on Facebook pop over and click "Like". Just search for Dufferin Piecemakers Quilting Guild and there we are! We'll post lots of pictures from Guild meetings, news about upcoming speakers and workshops, and things you don't see in the newsletter due to space constraints. If you have news to share with the Guild, send an email to Judy MacLeod jmacleod11@hotmail.com and she'll put it on to the Facebook page for you.

Program Notes May 2021

May 19 Brandy Maslowski - Quilter on Fire

In May we have Brandy Maslowski from British Columbia. She is a Quilt teacher, speaker, judge and the author of the children's picture book Kristy's Quilt. She has been a light-hearted stitcher for 30 years. From clumsy beginner quilter, she has progressed all the way to showing her fibre art in galleries. Brandy has a passion for fabric, stitching, colour, texture and everything quilting. She loves to travel the world with quilters to ignite their creativity with the tag line "More JOY, less OVERWHELM." You can visit her website at <https://www.quilteronfire.com/>

Her presentation entitled "**Studio Magnificent**" will focus on making sewing areas more organized so that our creativity will flow more easily.



Our Annual General Meeting will occur during the business session at the beginning of the meeting.

Zoom link for the meeting will be e-mailed to you the day before.

June 21 Virtual Quilt Show

In June we will have our second Virtual Quilt Show where our own work will be the stars of the show. In order to do this, we need you to take pictures of what you have worked on, completed or not, along with a few lines of description. We're counting on you.

So.....what we need you to do is send your pictures of up to 3 items to Linda Lewis (llewis1@rogers.com) by June 7th.

We will also be thanking those members of the executive and committees for their work this past year.

Your Program Committee: Linda Lewis and Sue Pirie



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Three drop off points
Sue Pirie's house in Orangeville,
Barb Davis's house in Nobleton,
Dianne Hope's house in Tottenham
Call for directions



84696 Southgate
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COMMUNITY PROJECTS Report - May 2021

Sadly, no deliveries were done this past month.

Community projects is looking for fleece fabric, and anyone that would be interested in making hammocks and other small blankets for wildlife, like squirrels, skunks and raccoons. They would be donated to an Orangeville group, Hav-a-Heart Wildlife Rescue, run by Tiffany Devon. If interested text or call Karen Hunter 416-786-2081.

Connie and Penny are looking for volunteers to do some cutting and will supply blades.

Connie has kits and/or pre-cuts ready for anyone interested. Contact her by email, conniewalterhouse@hotmail.com or text cell phone [519-939-8783](tel:519-939-8783) to arrange pick up or drop off.

If you have been cleaning up or out your fabric stashes, they are accepting donations on Connie's front porch. Call or text Connie [519-939-8783](tel:519-939-8783) or Penny [519-217-2935](tel:519-217-2935) to let them know you are coming.

Fern is in need of bright, colourful and soft feeling fabrics for pillowcases. [519-941-8515](tel:519-941-8515) Email: lianmor@sympatico.ca

Your CP committee: Karen Turcott, Karen Hunter, Connie Walterhouse, Trish McKibbin, Penny Squirrell, and Fern Pugh (coordinates pillow case donations).

C.A.S.E.S. = Children and Sewers Exchanging Smiles



[Comfy Cases](#) was launched in September, 2020 as a Canadian organization and a Program of [OPACC](#) (Ontario Parents Advocating for Children with Cancer). Prior to that we were sewing the same colourful and fun pillowcases as members of Ryan's Case for Smiles Toronto Chapter - an American organization - unfortunately not registered as a charity in Canada.

481 is the total number of pillowcases distributed up to April 2021. That means we're on a path to exceed our 2020 total of 1,173!! We deliver to 14 hospitals plus Emily's House and Candlelighters of Simcoe and, of course, to OPACC families.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/354360395912941>

Thanks for your contributions!

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Editor's Note: Moved? Change of address? **Change of e-mail address?** Change of phone number?
It is important that you notify membership first, then newsletter. The members of each committee are listed on page 2 of every newsletter. **And ...** if you have any photos, quilty stories, tips, hints, web sites you might like to share, send them to your editor (email on pg 2) but remember the deadline which appears on every odd page of your newsletter!
Thanks, Judi



Zoom Hints

If you need instructions on how to use Zoom on a computer, watch the video here:

[https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/](https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362193-Joining-a-Meeting)

[articles/201362193-Joining-a-Meeting](https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/201362193-Joining-a-Meeting)

Joining the monthly guild Zoom meetings is as easy as 1,2, 3.

1. Click the meeting link that is sent to you in an email the day before the meeting.
2. Click on "join meeting".
3. Click on "with video" and "with audio" if you have a camera and a microphone. (You can still watch without these 2 items, it's just that no one else can see or hear you.)

You can watch on your smart phone, tablet (e.g. I-pad) or computer.

MEETING START TIME: SOCIAL 6:45 MEETING 7:15



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Deborah Anne Arnold

April 15, 1953 - April 5, 2021



Debi will lovingly be remembered by her husband Brian of 48 years, her children Chris (Kathy), Jeni and late Brian Jr. (BJ). She was Grammie to Brian and Katrina.

Debi was a gifted sewist, who shared her passion for sewing and her talents with the community. She contributed to her husband's business for many years. She was a member of the Orangeville Agricultural Society and served as its first female president, something she was very proud of. She was proprietor of *Cotton Threads Quilt Shop* here in Orangeville for a number of years. She initiated the Machine Embroidery group from her shop. That group continues to meet today, presently via Zoom. At one point she served on the executive of a now defunct Sewing Guild.

As an active member of this guild since she joined in 1998, Debi served as Financial Reviewer, and on these committees: Quilting by Association, Lucky Draw and Bag Ladies. She created the bags that are used by the bag ladies to store their blocks.

Debi was a regular Stitch & Share hostess (in her home and her quilt shop) for meetings, potluck lunches and pool parties. She was a generous sewing/quilting mentor to many. We will miss her.

"She showed her love & lived each day to the fullest."

Samples from April 17 QBA Sew Along

Led by
Judi Sullivan

Darlene Cordingley's
St. Nick



June Moir's
St. Nick

Lee Moir's
Wizard



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The International Quilt museum is located on the University of Nebraska's campus in Lincoln.

How to Enter the Quilt Guild Portal:

Click on "Login" on the top menu bar at

www.internationalquiltmuseum.org

1. Enter our guild **user name:** dpqgnewsletter@gmail.com

2. Enter the password

The password can be found in the members section of our website or contact Julie MacFarlane: julie.macfarlane@rogers.com

Once you are into site, visit

<https://www.internationalquiltmuseum.org/guilds>

to access to all of the information. They advised that we should check back frequently as they add more information, including more Pre-Recorded Programs that we can present to our guild members.



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Guild Archives ~ History of the Mastectomy Pillow Project.

by Leah Mitchell

At one point in time the Cancer Society, through their Reach for Recovery Volunteer, visited patients in the HHCC Recovery Room following mastectomy surgery, briefing them on what to expect following their surgery, tips on how to care for themselves and to give them a pillow. The Volunteer in Orangeville was Shirley Perry, a long time breast cancer survivor. When the lady who made the pillows could no longer make them, Shirley reached out to the Guild members for help. Not long after that the Cancer Society discontinued the Program and the Morning Glories (Grand Valley S&S) took over providing pillows for the Recovery Unit at HHCC. When the Morning Glories disbanded Leah, Beckie and Madeleine continued making the pillows with generous donations of fabric from other Guild members. We provide about 24 pillows a year. Each pillow comes with two pillowcases and a note with suggestions on when and how to use the pillow and the Guild's address.

If any member wishes to help by donating 100% cotton print, sewing pillowcases or donating money to buy ribbon, muslin and Soft Loft polyester stuffing please contact Leah. Hileahandbob@gmail.com:



2010- Morning Glories: LtoR; Joanne Kiser, Berva Buttery, Shirley Roberts, Mary DeVries, Marion Cole, Leah Mitchell, Madeleine Rentsch, Beckie Shaw, Betty Sanderson.

A Thank You April 7, 2021

I recently was diagnosed with breast cancer and had surgery on March 25th.

The nurse who was getting me ready to go home handed me this small pillow. She said it was useful and to place it under my arm. She was right. This is the most amazing pillow. It helps relieve some of the discomfort while sitting and sleeping. It wasn't until I took the pillowcase off that I found an extra pillowcase and a slip of paper explaining its use.

So I just have to thank you for this lovely little pillow. It was been so useful and I appreciate what you have offered.

Thanks you so much ... Charlene Fry

Nomination Committee Report

Thank you to all our volunteers! We assume you are remaining in your current positions if we haven't heard from you. Please contact Linda Lewis at llewis1@rogers.com if you wish to join a committee or take on another position. Please volunteer to keep our guild active and vibrant. It's a great way to get to know our members!

Here is our nomination slate for the 2021-22 Executive.

Co-presidents: Heather Sheridan & Julie MacFarlane

Vice- President(s): [VACANT](#)

Past President: Fern Pugh & Oksana Slipenkyj

Secretary: Yvonne Conway

Treasurer: Karen Webster

Treasurer Assistant: Michelle McGee

Program: Sue Pirie, [VACANT](#), Linda Lewis

Membership: Christine Robinson, Yvonne Guse-Rahn

Newsletter Editor: Sue Hopkins Van Zant

Newsletter assistant: Judi Sullivan

Newsletter Proofs: Ida Cunningham, Sue Pirie and
Judi Sullivan

The committees are as follows:

Birthday Club: Leah Mitchell

Block of the Month: Judy MacLeod, Sheila Klein

Bulletin Board: [VACANT](#) 1 person required

Community Projects: Karen Turcott, Karen Hunter,
Connie Walterhouse, Trish McKibbin, Penny
Squirrel, Fern Pugh (pillowcases)

Financial Reviewers: Pat Kalapaka, Maxine Barnes

Historian: Leah Mitchell

Librarians: Liz Nash, Lorna Raney, June Moir, Linda Horner

Lucky Draw: Helen Currie, Stella Graham, Sharon Courage,
Marie Tupling, Louise Cornelius

QBA: [VACANT](#) minimum 2 required

Quilt Show: TBD

Refreshments: [VACANT](#) (for socials only)

Retreats: Judi Sullivan, Susan Pirie, Lynda Black

Show 'n Tell: Cathy Smith, Mindy Swack, Dale McMillan,
[VACANT](#) 1 required

Stitch 'n Share: Leah Mitchell

Web Coordinator: Oksana Slipenkyj

Facebook: Judy MacLeod

Zoom Coordinator: Julie MacFarlane

Many Hands Make Light Work

Two very important positions need to be filled, **vice president and program**. Please share your talents and volunteer to help keep this amazing guild the best it can be.

Job Descriptions

Vice President(s)

- i) Shall assist and take the place of the President when necessary.
- ii) Shall attend committee meetings acting as liaison between Committee and President as required.
- iii) Shall be the Public Relations liaison between the Executive/the Membership and the Guild/the Community
- iv) Shall, in consultation with the Executive, arrange for media coverage of special events.
- v) Shall be responsible for the Guild display at the Orangeville Fall Fair, Community Section
- vi) Shall ensure that the Museum (MOD) applies for the education grant each year
- vii) Shall keep records in good order and pass on to the incoming Vice President(s).

Program

- i) Shall be responsible for the programs presented at the Guild Meetings.
- ii) Shall contact and arrange for speakers.
- iii) Shall make arrangements for all equipment required.
- iv) Shall collect fees, make all appropriate arrangements, and oversee workshops.
- v) Shall summarize the program year in the June Newsletter
- v) Shall keep records in good order and pass on to the incoming Chairperson.

Chat with Sue or Linda as you will be assisting them.

Lots of ideas for speakers and workshops can be found in the newsletters received from other guilds.

Bulletin Board

Display information at meetings about up-coming events

QBA (Quilting by Association)

- i) Shall be responsible for arranging workshops given by the Guild members throughout the Guild year
 - ii) Shall collect fees, make all appropriate arrangements and oversee workshops.
- In "normal" times these workshops take place the first Saturday of the month in the community room of Meridian Credit Union in Orangeville.

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Rockin' the Show by Jackie White

Registration for the conference is now open.

<https://canadianquilter.com/quilt-canada-2021/>

The admission fee for the conference is \$10 + tax for everyone.
This fee is required for everyone to enter the virtual conference site.
Individual sessions are an additional \$10 + tax for members and
\$12 + tax for non members
Specially priced packages available.

Samples from the Petal Placemat QBA Sew along May 1



Left -
Gwen
Valliere

Right -
Oksana
Slipenkyj

Led by
Leah Mitchell



MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL TIME

It's hard to believe that we have been holding our Guild meetings via Zoom since September! We had some amazing speakers during this time, some from out of province, and the QBA sessions have also been a bonus.

At this time, the Executive has decided that Guild meetings will continue via Zoom perhaps until March 2022. We want everyone to be able to attend in person with no limits on the number of participants.

The Guild year runs from 1st July to 30th June and so we are pleased to start receiving your fees for the upcoming year.
The fee for 2021/22 will be **\$30.00** (discounted from the usual \$45 fee).
This will allow the Program Committee to continue to provide us with a top quality program. This is what needs to be done:

1. Everyone must complete the Membership Form* and return it by 20th November, 2021. Only new memberships will be processed after this date.

***See page 12 for the membership form**

Forms should be emailed to:

christine.robinson.7@icloud.com

OR included with your cheque.

*** a form that can filled in on screen & emailed will be sent separately.**

2. Please indicate your date of birth on the form as we would like to acknowledge members' birthdays at meetings. (Year is not necessary.)

3. Payment can be made by

- a. Etransfer to dpqguild@outlook.com

(be sure to indicate the reason for the transfer and give your name if your email address is in someone else's name) OR

- b. Drop cheque & form at Sue Pirie's at 30 Bredin Parkway OR

- c. Mail to the guild mailbox at Box 325, Orangeville, ON L9W 2A6

We look forward to Zooming and sewing with you again.

Thank you , your Membership Committee
Christine Robinson and Yvonne Guse Rahn

Sabina
Auberger's
placemat



BULLETIN BOARD

We say good-bye to **Lana Hickey** and wish her well as she returns to Newfoundland after 35 years in Ontario. Lana has been a "retreater" for a number of years.

Our best wishes for a speedy recovery to **Charlene Bryan** after heart surgery.

April Meeting: **Diane Carson's** prize winning long arm quilted quilts were so beautiful. Her piecing partner, Anne, has received two National Awards in piecing excellence and provides the perfect canvas for Diane's quilting designs. The poem about the "F" words (fudge, fuse, fussy cut, flange, etc.) that quilters use as they fabricate their quilts was fun as was the poem "Maybe Someday". Maybe someday we will all meet again in person :-) LM

Your Presidents' Challenge is....
create a postcard using FOOD as the theme.
Any technique can be used.

Mail your postcard to the guild post box. Dufferin Piecemakers Quilting Guild, Box 325, Orangeville, ON L9W 2Z6, preferably by June 3.

Special Thoughts

If you know of someone who should be sent a card from the guild, contact secretary Anne Nicholson
anicholson1@sympatico.ca

Block of the Month

April Block # 10

from Sheila:
sklein@live.ca

and Judy:
jmaclead11@hotmail.com

Questions?
Send them a note.

Pattern sent separately.



Looking for a Quilter

Looking for someone interested in a paid quilting project that includes making 2 quilts from my children's old baby clothing.

Please contact Michelle Andrews
michelle.andrews@rogers.com
if interested in assisting.



Bag Ladies

Reminder that bags are due back for exchange by June 1.



224 Centennial Rd (by the Dairy Queen)

We hope everyone is doing well and staying safe.
We find ourselves in another challenging shut down.

During this time if you wish to place an order on-line for Curb Side Pick up,
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Social distancing measures and mask protocols remain in effect.

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CQA (Canadian Quilters Association) Corner



A Celebration of Quilting in Canada 2021

June 16 - 19

This year we are excited to present *A Celebration of Quilting in Canada*, <https://canadianquilter.com/quilt-canada-2021/>, a virtual alternative to our annual in person *Quilt Canada* conference. What better way to celebrate 40 years than to invite quilters from across the country to join in our online party? So, mark **June 16-19, 2021** on your calendar and get ready to celebrate with us!

Join CQA on Saturday, May 15, 2021 at 3 pm ED

Linda Schmidt will present a Zoom Webinar

Mostly Modern Trunk Show

Linda is excited to share some of her 300 quilts. As the title implies, Linda leans toward the modern aesthetic while occasionally returning to her traditional roots. We will take a virtual tour of Linda's collection of recently completed quilts and get a peek at her studio. She will discuss the "why" of her design choices and explain some of the processes used. Join us for 40 minutes of colourful inspiration.

<https://canadianquilter.com/>

\$10 + tax for CQA/ACC Members. \$20 + tax for non-members.

Membership in this Association will give you 3 magazines per year, a monthly Newsletter, information on upcoming events, challenges, patterns, quilt galleries, blogs, as well as a list of Quilt Shops and professional teachers.

INTERNET FAVOURITES

Share your internet tips with members by sending them for publication in the newsletter to:

dpqnewsletter@gmail.com

Sharing this month is **Trish McKibbin**

Monica and Alaura Poole <https://www.patternpoole.com/>

An Australian website I like for patterns and information

And Etsy, of course: <https://www.etsy.com/ca/>

Quilt calendars and other ideas:

[2021 Quilt Calendar - Freemotion by the River \(conniekresin.com\)](https://www.conniekresin.com/)



QBA - Quilting by Association

Workshops for members by members

QBA is a program within our guild with members teaching members, from patterns or workshops that they have learned from. They are passing on their knowledge.

Join us on Saturday May15 at 10:00 AM for a Sew Along with Sue Pirie - Hand Sanitizer Holder



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Join us on Saturday May 29 at 10:00 AM

for a Sew Along with Darlene Cordingley - Carry Bag



Other virtual workshops need to be planned. They'll be the first or third Saturday of the month.

Do you have a project you would like to share with the Guild? Contact Fern: lianmor@sympatico.ca or Linda Lewis: llewis1@rogers.com and they will be happy to assist you.

ADVERTISING RATES

Type of Ad	Ad Size	Same ad Every Month		Ad Changes Required	
		Guild	Non-Guild	Guild	Non-Guild
Secret Sister		free	n/a	n/a	n/a
Classified	1"x3"	\$ 7.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 8.00	\$10.00
Business Card	2"x3"	\$10.00	\$12.00	\$12.00	\$15.00
Quarter Page	5"x3"	\$12.00	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$20.00
Half Page	7"x5"	\$25.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$35.00
Full Page	7"x10"	\$50.00	\$55.00	\$55.00	\$60.00

Prepay for the year and get a 10% discount!



Birthday List

Celebrating this month: May

Happy Birthday to anyone celebrating this month.

*If you would like your name to appear on the birthday list, contact Leah Mitchell and let her know your birth date.
hileahandbob@gmail.com*

Birthday Names Submitted by: Leah Mitchell 519-928-3059

N.B. Due to lack of interest and Covid 19, the Secret Sister Birthday Club has been suspended for 2021.

REFRESHMENTS

We no longer enjoy refreshments at our meetings except at our socials.

Please supply your own drinks.

DATE CHANGES

In the month of February our meeting will occur on the 4th Monday of the month in order to accommodate Family Day. (May meeting, on the 17th, is not a holiday this year.)

Want to contact a guild member?

The e-mail addresses of members can be found on the guild website in the private members' section. www.dufferinpiecemakers.org

Keep receiving the newsletter

If you change your e-mail address, be sure to let the newsletter editor know.

E-mail: dpqgnewsletter@gmail.com



WANTED: JOURNALS Family Transition Place

Our commitment to FTP is 200 journals for the year. Please help by donating them at any time. The journals need to be about 6" x 8", lined pages, bound by either coil or glue. Please leave them in the basket provided at the membership table at every meeting.

Journals are always needed.

Please deposit your donations in Sue Pirie's mailbox
30 Bredin Pkwy (beside Family Transition Place)

Meeting Information

General Meeting:

Date: Monday, May 17, 2021
Via Zoom
E-mail with link to follow.

Time: 7:15 PM Social at 6:45 PM

Place: your choice

Executive Meeting:

May 27 7:00 pm.

Place: your choice via Zoom

Please call/email co-president Oksana Slipenkylj if you wish to join in: oslipenkylj@rogers.com

Stitch 'n Share Leah Mitchell

Since mid March of 2020 the S'n'S Ladies have been staying in touch with each other with a weekly email chain called "Wed Chat". We share our individual activities, our gardens, our pets and anything else that takes our fancy.

If you wish to join this email "Wed Chat" group please let me know. Meanwhile stay safe and keep well.

Leah Mitchell (Afternoon Stitch 'n' Share Committee)
hileahandbob@gmail.com

Next Meeting Whenever We Meet in Person Again Bring

- ♦ Name tags worn
- ♦ Your mask
- ♦ Indoor shoes please
- ♦ Library books to return
- ♦ Any completed Community Projects or pillow cases
- ♦ Workshop or QBA fees
- ♦ Show and Tell
- ♦ \$\$\$ for lucky draw and raffle tickets
- ♦ Journals for FTP
- ♦ Plastic milk bags



**NEXT ISSUE DEADLINE: Monday, June 03,
no later than noon**



DUFFERIN PIECEMAKERS QUILTING GUILD

MEMBERSHIP FORM

JULY 1 2021 to JUNE 30 2022

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____

Date of Birth _____

Please return this form with your payment of \$30.00 Email form to
christine.robinson.7@icloud.com **OR** mail it to:

DPQG
P.O. Box 325,
Orangeville, Ontario
L9W 2A6

Make cheques payable to: **Dufferin Piecemakers Quilting Guild**
OR etransfer to dpqg@outlook.com (Include your name and reason
for the transfer in the note box.)

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Receipt Issued: _____

Membership Card Issued: _____

Name Tag Issued: _____

New Membership Info Pkg Issued: _____

/New Membership Form 2018-2019