

Snippets

MAY 2019



Hello

Here we are at the end of May, rapidly heading into June! How time flies when you're sewing! We are excited to welcome Stacey Henderson as our new president and look forward to the coming year as she leads us through all the fun and exciting things we have coming up.

In June we have the anniversary dinner on the 28th and the workshops on the 29th and 30th. Please don't forget to sign up for these worthwhile events.

Entry forms for TQ19 are due no later than 15th July and quilts and other items are due on 18th August. There is also the workshops in August so don't forget to put your name down for those.

Saturday Stitches looks fascinating so let Janelle know if you're coming along.

Just a reminder to get items to me by the 20th.

Thanks and happy sewing!

☐ June Birthdays ☐

	Sorry still no list		

Meetings

Next Meeting Monday 3rd June at 6.45pm for 7pm start.

Venue DPAQ clubrooms, 96A Winnellie Rd, Winnellie.

Supper Roster Leanne, Barb Melon and Lesley Every

Supper Duties Before meeting - fill and turn on urn, check and put out coffee, tea, sugar and milk supplies.

At meeting break - put food out on table, with napkins, and condiments, plates and cutlery if required.

After meeting - clear and clean table; wash and put away dishes; empty and put away urn; put away coffee, tea, etc.; wipe down benches; lock cupboards and fridge. Empty bin in kitchen and replace with a clean garbage bag.



President's Patch

Presidents Report May

As member of DPAQ for 25 years or so, it is my pleasure to be accepted by the committee as president of the club. I am looking forward to keeping up the good work of our previous club president Susan Webb, and would like to again thank her for all of her hard work as president over the last two and half years.

The club has had a couple of great events in the last month that have been well supported by members, the Quilt in a Nighty in April and the annual Mt Bundy retreat, and Biggest Morning Tea. Thank you to all the ladies that have put in time to organise these events.

This month's Saturday Stitches was held with around 10 members making some lovely woven baskets, I hope we get to see some of those at this month's show and tell!

Robyn McDonald and Susan Webb attended Quilt Australia conference in April, and have brought back some interesting information for us including on the National Quilt Register, the National Quilt Register is an online resource for the Australian quilting community and more information on this can be found nationalquiltregister.org.au

It has been DPAQ privilege to donate a quilt to be a part of the auction for Gavin Howie at the Fred's Pass Show. Thank you to all involved for making this happen.

The committee has initiated a review of its constitution and this subcommittee will be headed up by Tip Wade, nominations are still open for members that would like to be a part of this.

We have a busy time ahead of us with our 35th anniversary dinner celebrations on Friday 28th June, please put your name down when you are at the clubrooms next or email darwinpatchworker@gmail.com

I hope you are all busy with making quilts for our TQ19 exhibition in August, entry forms are due 15th July! Don't forget at our next club meeting to bring along your first quilt made, for show and tell! I hope to see you there on 3rd June.

Regards

Stacey

Quilt Appraisal Dates for 2019
To be advised

Saturday Stitchers

May 18, 2019

Woven Baskets with Heather Van Muster



A big thanks to Heather for leading us into woven fabric baskets. We all got a little frustrated with all the ironing for the preparation of the strips - no one likes to iron. This stage also generated a pile of scrap paper. Heather showed a great deal of patience when showing us how to weave the strips up the sides. Although we were unable to finish our baskets as the tensioning of the strips takes some time, we were very happy with our results. Hopefully you will see some completed baskets at the next general meeting.



Heather showing Monica the side weaving.

Saturday Stitchers

Saturday Stitchers
June 15, 2019
10:00
Wire Work
With Robert Birch
Cost: \$20

Robert will provide all the materials and tool that are required. If you have any beads or stone chips that you would like to include, by all means bring them along. If you do have some jewellery making tools, bring them along as well.

Robert will be teaching the “Tree of Life” necklace and a dream catcher.



The above picture shows some of the work that I have done in Robert's workshops.
Janelle Northcott

Royal Darwin Show

Royal Darwin Show is on Thursday 24th July to Sat 26th July 2019.

I will be looking for volunteers to help out with the roster each day. We take this opportunity to promote DPAQ and sell raffle tickets in our major raffle.

I will be purchasing a couple of member passes that we can use to gain entry to the show for our volunteers.

I thank you in advance for volunteering and placing your name on the Sitters Roster.

Annie Radomski (Showgirl)



*Forest Floor by Helen
Tate*

Mt Bundy 2019

A great time was had by all.



35th Anniversary Dinner

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Friday 28 June 6.30pm Penthouse @ Ramada Zen on Carey Street

Current financial members \$30 / partners and non-financial members \$40 / cash bar for drinks

Special guest – Louise Brown-Thomas trunk show

RSVP via darwinpatchworker@gmail.com with payments due by 21 June via bank deposit or to a committee member

May Show and Tell



What's on in June

MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT	SUN
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			Thursday Threads 9am – 9pm			
	3	4	5	6	7	8
DPAQ Meeting 7PM			Thursday Threads 9am – 9pm	Friday Stitchers 9am	Christmas Club 10am	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Monday Sewing 9am – 3pm			Thursday Threads 9am – 9pm	Friday Stitchers 9am	Saturday Stitchers 11 - 4	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Monday Sewing 9am – 3pm			Thursday Threads 9am – 9pm	Friday Stitchers 9am		
			Snippets Deadline			
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Monday Sewing 9am – 3pm			Thursday Threads 9am – 9pm	35 th Anniversary Dinner	Louise Brown-Thomas Workshop 9.30am	Louise Brown-Thomas Workshop 9.30am

Committee Members and Contacts

Name	Position/Roles	Email	
Stacey Henderson	President Workshops coordinator 96A Officer	darwinpatchworker@gmail.com For all contact with committee	
Tip Wade	Vice-President Social media		
Robyn McDonald	Treasurer		
Tania Ray	Snippets Editor Junior Quilter Liason	Snippets.darwinpatcher@gmail.com	
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Cheryl West	Memberships Assistant to treasurer		
Robyn Davies	Work & Safety Officer Key register Assist with hospitality		
Annie Radomski	Darwin Show coordinator Assistant to workshop coordinator Raffle quilts		
Lillian Furre	Hospitality		

Meetings

General Meeting	1st Monday of the month at 7.30pm	All sessions are free for members – to be reviewed in June 2018. Visitors \$5	96A Winnellie Rd, Winnellie	Don't forget to bring your Show and Tell and a coffee mug. For visitors the first visit is free
Christmas Club	2nd Saturday of each month		96A Winnellie Rd, Winnellie	Work on different themed projects each month Contact Belinda or Debbie
Friday Stitchers	Every Friday 9am onwards		96A Winnellie Rd, Winnellie	Work on own projects. BYO lunch/snacks Contact Robyn Salmon 047 356 028
Saturday Stitchers	3 rd Saturday of each month		96A Winnellie Rd, Winnellie	A sewing activity demonstrated by a volunteer. Material costs may apply. Contact Janelle Northott 0438 691 163
Thursday Threads	Every Thursday 9am – 9pm		96A Winnellie Rd, Winnellie	Sit and sew. BYO food Contact Sue Britton 0418 839 475
Monday Sewing	Every Monday 9.00am – 3pm		96A Winnellie Rd, Winnellie	BYO food Contact Tip Wade 0405 838 242 or Barb Mellon

Visitors who are not residents in greater Darwin area can come to club rooms and pay nominated daily fee of \$5 per day for sewing (excluding workshops). Visitors will be required to sign in with their contact details.

Our supporting businesses generously provide the following discounts:

All Art Framing Pty Ltd – 15%

U3 74 Dick Ward Drive, Coconut Grove

Ph: 8985 5166

sales@arthangingsystems.com.au



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Shops 2 & 3, 53 Alawa Cres, Alawa

Ph: 8948 0691

dragonfabric@bigpond.com

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Ph: 8981 2779

darwin@jacksons.com.au

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Ph: 8941 0088

janome.darwin@bigpond.com

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42 Cavanagh St, Darwin

Ph: 8981 8242

ntgs@bigpond.com

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Ph: 8941 7142

paperbarkwoman@bigpond.com

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Discount offered to members

11 Ridgehaven Cct, Leanyer

Ph: 0414 333 467

The Quilters Rest – 10%

(Quote membership number when ordering)

562 Weens Rd, Kingaroy, Qld, 4610

Ph: 07 4162 3987 Fax: 07 4162 7938

Starwin Shopfront – 10%

Shop 2/93 Mitchell St (Double Tree by Hilton)

Ph: 0402 303 867



GENERAL INFORMATION

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Quilt Appraisal Service

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