

# SNIPPETS

*Darwin Patchworkers & Quilters.*

Established 1 May 1984

## *From the Editor*

We are so excited that at this month's meeting we will have Special guest Meng Hoeschle from Cycad Studio.

Meng will talk about her art including, Indigo, Book Binding, and much more

*Beginner Patchwork Classes starting September 14th. See page 14 for details*

**Please wear your best BLUE outfit to the September meeting**



## *Next meeting*

Date - Monday 7th September

**CWA Rooms**

**27 Bishop St Winnellie**

**6:45 for 7pm start**

Supper Roster -

Tanya Ray,

Lillian Furre,

Jenny Armour



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.

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## PRESIDENT'S PATCH

This month's General Meeting saw a healthy number of members (32) attend the CWA venue, for an evening that included Katrina Fong Lim from Variety NT giving us a run down on all the lovely community support project the organisation does, and how well used our donation of \$1500 will be used.

It is good to see how well the club rooms are being used at the moment, we had a full complement of 18 for Saturday Stitches this month, so well done to Jill and Christine for putting on topics that the members are really interested in! The sewing days are being well supported now also, with the Monday quilters reporting that they had 15 come and sew!

Plans are underway for Territory Quilts 21, as the committee has met for the first time, so stay tuned for more information on categories and challenges for this!

Most exciting is a beginners quilter program of lessons is being put together for members, thank you so much to Alison McShanag, Nicky Honan, Pam Pemberton, Helen Tate and Christine Garrett for putting this together!

Carry on Quilting ;)  
Stacey Henderson  
DPAQ President



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE SEPTEMBER BABIES .....

3rd	Di Howard	13th	Carol Birch
10th	Robyn Salmon	19th	Kathi Lague
12th	Leslie Beissel	22nd	Susan Webb

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Saturday Stitches  
19th September  
10am to 2pm

## CIRCLE OF GEESE FOUNDATION PIECING

### Requirements:

Coloured Fabric: 12 - 4" x 4" - (These can be an assortment of colours or just one colour)

Black/background Fabric: 40 cms

Bring your 'Add a Quarter' ruler if you have one, or a 6 1/2" square ruler

Sewing machine and  
General sewing supplies

Rotary cutter and

Small cutting mat if you have one



Puppy love



From August Saturday Stitches



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## Library News

Lots new in the library with over 50 books donated by a lovely lady. Her name is Barbara Keogh, who has been collecting Patchwork Magazines and Books for over 10 years. She is unwell and unable to continue with her passion for Patchwork, so has donated her collection to our library. The books have been accessioned for borrowing and new and old magazines have filled the gaps in our present collection.

Overflow magazines are available to take home FREE and for KEEPS. Please help yourself to the tall stack in the library or from the bottom FREE shelf.

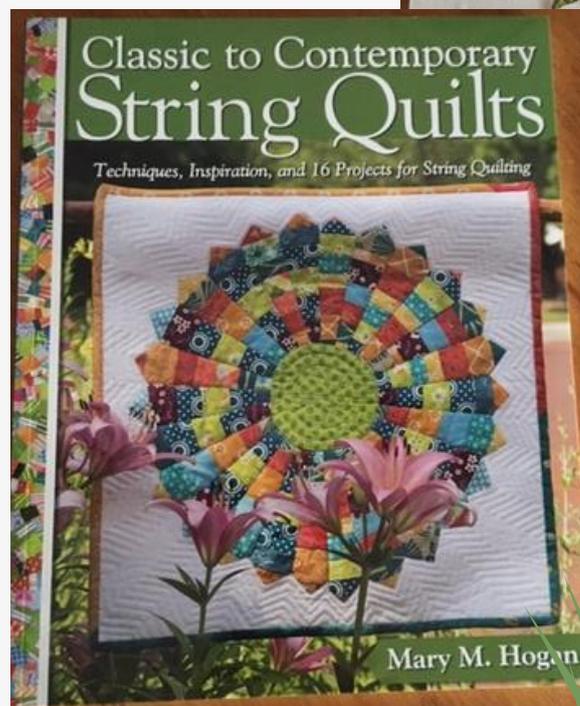
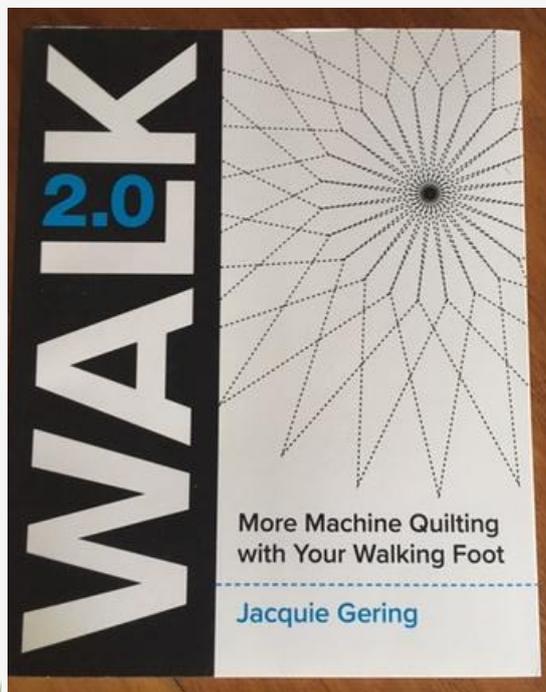
A very BIG "Thank You" to Sue Britton for creating a beautiful embroidered card as a "Thank You" to Barbara.

Books have also been donated by Fran, a new club member. Thank you Fran.

New PURCHASES for the library are:

WALK 2 by Jacquie Gering (The second instalment in all you need to know about Machine Quilting with your Walking Foot)

STRING QUILTS, by Mary M Hogan (Classic to Contemporary Quilts using the String Technique)



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## Territory Quilts 2021

### Committee

Susan Webb, Helen Tate, Robyn McDonald, Annie Radomski, Christine Garrett, Alison McShanag,

TQ21 Committee held their first meeting recently. The venue is booked for opening on Thursday August 19th until Sunday 22nd. Dates for entries will be available soon along with categories and conditions of entry.

The exhibition committee will be working to ensure we get participation from as many NT quilters as we can. Can you help us? We know we will get entries from Alice Springs quilters, however it would be good to get entries from other quilters who are NT resident (you don't have to be a member to enter). Also how do we get more entries from students?

The Library Award will continue. The criteria is that you enter a quilt you have made using a pattern from a book you have borrowed from the DPAQ library. The entry form will require the details of the book and pattern. I know there are many quilts made from our library books, we just need to get them to our exhibition.



Assistance required!

Do you have any "Homespun" magazines?

Pam Pemberton would like to beg, borrow or buy an intact copy of Number 98. (Vol.12 No.7

September 2020 Show and Tell August meeting



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First quilt made a long time ago.



Nan and grand daughter



Barb Mellon also deserves our thanks for cleaning those pesky carpet sweepers. Thanks Barb



Welcome to our youngest honorary member: Bohdi James Browne  
Born on the 27th August 2020  
Weighing 7lb  
Length 19.2"

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## Recipe - Delicious Rhubarb cake

### SUZIE'S RHUBARB CAKE

$\frac{1}{2}$  cups brown sugar  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  cup butter (110g)  
2 eggs beaten  
1 cup sour milk (2 tbsps vinegar or lemon juice)  
1 teaspoon bicarb. soda  
1 teaspoon salt  
 $2\frac{1}{4}$  cups flour (plain)  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  cups rhubarb, sliced finely

Topping :  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup brown sugar  
1 teaspoon cinnamon

Helen Tate kindly shared this recipe with us. Its for that delicious cake she made for us for our August General meeting.

Cream butter + sugar, add eggs + beat. Sift flour, bicarb, salt + add alternately with sour milk. Add vanilla. Fold in rhubarb. Pour into greased + floured sq. cake tin. Sprinkle with topping. Bake at  $180^{\circ}\text{C}$  for  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours, or until coming away from side of tin. Keep in fridge + serve warm.

Annie Buckley said thanks for the beautiful flowers. Annie has moved to Palliative care where she is much more comfortable.



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## Charity Quilts

Charity Quilts/Quilts of Love sewing day at 96A. Saturday 29th of August

Fabulous day at Winnellie spent by volunteers making quilts for our charity cupboard. Thanks to all those who could make it to help out. There are already several quilts completed.



Nymboida - Well deserved recipients of charity quilts



Jenny, a visitor from Hervey Bay managed to make a charity quilt for us while she was visiting her son. She expressed thanks to DPAQ for making her feel so welcome while she was in the NT.

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## Social Media



Tip Wade, is the DPAQ Committee member who looks after our web page and can assist us with most things to do with Social Media. Tip has been a huge help with Snippets as well.

I asked her for some of her favourite sites to visit & Facebook follows

Facebook & Website - Machine Quilting by Angle,  
[quiltingismytherapy.com](http://quiltingismytherapy.com)

Facebook & Website - Night Quilter, [nightquilter.com](http://nightquilter.com) Facebook -

Facebook & Website - Meredith Woolnough Artist  
[meredithwoolnough.com.au](http://meredithwoolnough.com.au)

Facebook & Website - That Embroidery Girl, [thatembroiderygirl.com](http://thatembroiderygirl.com)

Facebook & Website - International Quilt Museum,  
[internationalquiltmuseum.org](http://internationalquiltmuseum.org)

Facebook & Website - National Quilt Circle, [nationalquiltcircle.com](http://nationalquiltcircle.com)

A few of mine

Website for Darwin Patchworkers and Quilters Inc -  
[darwinquilters.com.au](http://darwinquilters.com.au)

Website - Geta Grama - [getasquiltingstudio.com](http://getasquiltingstudio.com)

Facebook page - Darwin Patchworkers and Quilters Inc

Facebook page - Quilt Club Australia

Facebook Page - The Modern Quilt Guild

Facebook Page - Scandinavian Modern Quilters

Facebook page - Hollis Chatelaine textile artist



Patterns from Geta



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## Saturdays at 96A

Christmas Club - 2nd Saturday of each month

Coordinators Deb Selter and Belinda Shaw

Saturday Stitches - 3rd Saturday of each month.

Sewing activity demonstrated by a volunteer, see Snippets for details.

Coordinators Jill Adams and Christine Garrett

Please email [darwinpatchworker@gmail.com](mailto:darwinpatchworker@gmail.com) for more details.

## Visitors welcome

Non Darwin Residential visitors are welcome to participate in sewing days (excluding workshops) for a fee of \$5 a day.

Visitors will be required to sign in with their contact details.

Please follow Covid19 protocols regarding, cleaning, kitchen, food preparation and social distancing



## BEGINNER PATCHWORK COURSE

Beginner Patchwork course starting Monday 14th September

We have some spaces available for our Beginner Patchwork course.

Eight weekly classes for \$80 which includes DPAQ membership until March 2021.

Please contact us at [darwinpatchworker@gmail.com](mailto:darwinpatchworker@gmail.com) if you are interested.



**General Information**

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND ROLES**

Stacey Henderson	President, Workshops 2020, 96A Liaison
Tania Ray	Vice President, Membership Officer, Junior Quilter
Annie Radomski	Secretary
Deb Perkins	Treasurer
Lillian Furre	Hospitality, Assets and Key Register
Alison McShanag	Snippets Editor
Christine Garrett	Saturday Stitches, Purchase Officer
Tip Wade	Social Media Officer
Kathi Lague	Public Officer, Bookkeeper
Elaine Castles	Charity Quilts
Jenny Molloy	Librarian
Di Howard	

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**Online/ Social Media**

Support  
Tip Wade  
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**Charity Quilts**

Elaine Castles

**Library**

Jenny Molloy

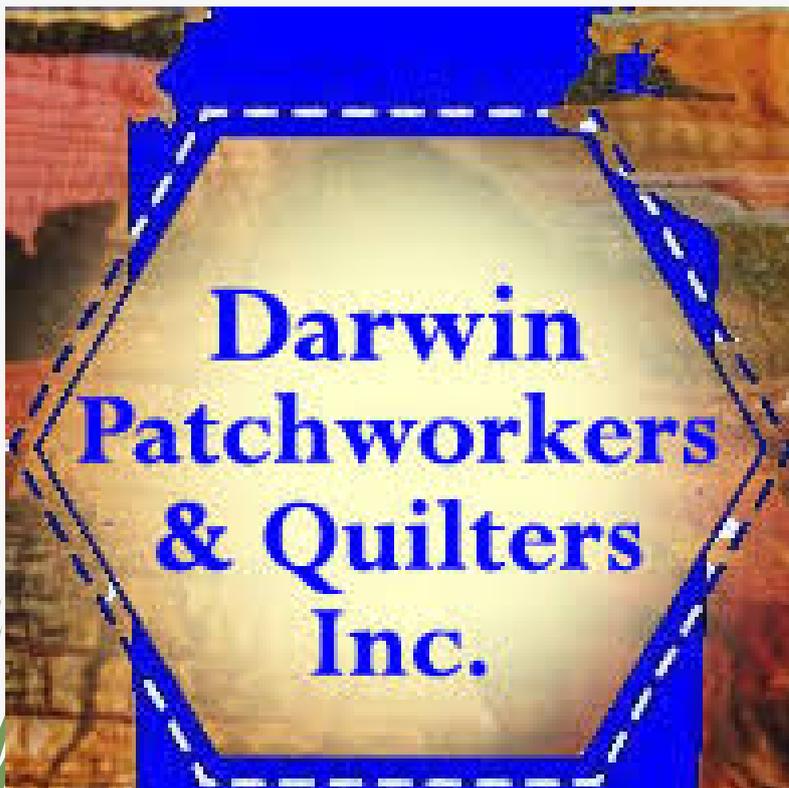
**Archivists**

Beverley Lee, Jenny  
Armour,

**Tropical Retreat**

May Long Weekend  
Annie Radomski, Belinda  
Shaw, Debbie Selter, Judy  
O'Callaghan

Please send any questions for the committee to  
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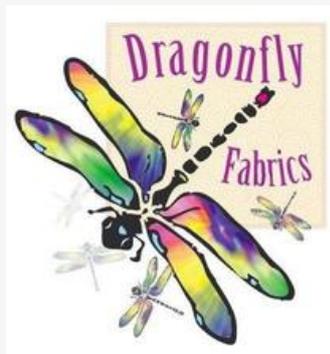
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