

SNIPPETS

Darwin Patchworkers & Quilters.

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Territory Quilts 2021
Proudly hosted by Darwin
Patchworkers & Quilters
Doubletree by Hilton Esplanade
116 The Esplanade Darwin

Thursday 19 August 9am - 6pm
Friday 20 August 9am - 6pm
Saturday 21 August 9am - 5pm
Sunday 22 August 9am - 2pm

Admission \$5 per person

Enquires 0419416712
territoryquilts@gmail.com

Next meeting

Monday August 9th

96A Winnellie Rd

6:45 for a 7pm Start

96A Winnellie Rd, Winnellie 0800

Supper Roster

**whoops forgot to ask for volunteers
so it will be a surprise :)**

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

**Bring your oldest UFO to our August meeting on Monday
the 9th for some fun discussions. You never know
someone might want to finish it for you**

**Gloria Loughman has been travelling in the NT and has
kindly agreed to run a two day workshop for us. For details
see page three**

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July 2021

Presidents Report

Can you believe we have already arrived in August? It is an exciting month for us with our Territory Quilts exhibition opening to the public on Thursday 19th August. The exhibition committee have been working hard to pull this together and will shortly be asking for volunteers for the roster, please make time to take turn in staffing the exhibition.

Like many of you I have been in "quilting jail" for a few weeks now, and have been making good progress, but I am looking forward to being "released", I am keen to get back to my Rachael Daisy projects...and see all the wonderful entries in our exhibition, we have had a bumper 170 entries!

Last month the committee were busy organising a couple of great events for the club which were very successful, firstly the zoom lecture with Helen Godden, thank you Tip Wade for the technical support, and Alison McShanag for booking Helen! Secondly, our stall at the show was a great success, we sold 39 raffle books at the show, and we had many people interested in our club, the show is such a great way to promote our club, thank you to everyone that took a roster spot over the show weekend. Thank you to Christine Garrett for organising us :)

Hope to see you all at some time in August! Please remember our general meeting is on 9th August this month, as the 1st Monday is a public holiday, don't forget to bring your oldest ufo!

May all your quilting be fabulous!

Stacey Henderson
DPAQ President

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE AUGUST BABIES..

Kaye Boath 10th

Belinda Shaw 14th

Mary Noble 12th

Tip Wade 16th

Debbie Perkins 12th

Lyn Bates 24th

Gloria Loughman

Gloria will be doing a two day workshop on 14th and 15th August. The cost of this workshop will be \$130. And most importantly she has agreed to stay in the Territory and judge TQ21.

[Click this Link to Register](#)

The Painted Landscape



Design and construct your own landscape quilt using a chosen image as your starting point. The key elements of design, including focal point, perspective and balance will be discussed and then you will design your own wall hanging working from your selected image. This project features strips of fabrics in the background sky and water contrasting with a silhouette of land. After drawing your pattern, participants will paint areas of sky and water on white fabric. These strips are cut and rearranged on a cloth base and then quilted through the sandwich. Commercial and hand-dyed fabrics can also be incorporated.

Cliffs or other land forms are formed on a light interfacing base and then stitched to a dark fabric which is trimmed leaving a dark edge outline. Other elements including trees are fussy cut, then fused and stitched in place. Different techniques for foliage will be included and the foreground can be further enhanced with machine embroidery. The quilt can be finished with a faced edge or borders.

This is a class where everyone is challenged to produce their own design but is supported through each stage of the process.

July 2021

DPAQ calendar 2021

Monday August 9th General meeting

Territory Quilts 2021

Sunday 15th August 2pm – 4pm - Quilts to be dropped at Doubletree by Hilton

Wednesday 18th August 6pm - Invitation only opening

Thursday 19th - Sunday 22nd August

Sunday 22nd August - Quilt collection 4pm – 5pm

Quilt collection – DoubleTree by Hilton Esplanade

Saturday 4th September - COTA NT has postponed its Seniors Expo to Saturday 4th of September. It will be held at at the CDU Stadium Sitzler Netball Centre, 235 Abala Road from 10am to 2pm.

Monday 6th September - General meeting

WALKING NETBALL

If you are over 55 years of age, this might be for you:
Cota Expo Saturday 4 September 10-11.30 am at CDU Stadium. Demonstration of Walking Netball with opportunity for newcomers to try our sport on for size. Come along and help out – FREE - bring you friends, your runners and a water bottle

July 2021

Royal Darwin Show

2021 Royal Darwin Show - how lucky was Darwin to actually have such a successful show this year. It was great to see so many quilts entered in the show.

Our little stall looked so good showing off that beautiful raffle quilt.

Thanks to all DPAQ members who were able to volunteer and spend a few hours selling raffle tickets. Almost 40 books were sold at the show.



Christine Garret and helpers thanks for setting up and taking down the stall



Donations forwarded to RDH and Maleluca Sewing Group



Donations left at
96A Winnellie Rd
have been passed
on



Nappy bags going to
Royal Darwin Hospital

Maleluca Refugee Centre -
ladies receiving donations

Quilts of love

We have been asked to advise the sizes for quilts
of love. Here they are.

Quilt sizes: Quilt of Love: 12, 20 and 24 inches.

Lap quilt/wheelchair: 50 x 50 inches

Single bed: 65 x 70 inches

Cuddle quilt: 36 x 36 inches

Make these quilts with love, and quality.

We will have a pattern published for the small
hooded quilt next month.

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Scented hearts and an Octopus for premature babies

Thanks Kaye Boath and Judy O'Callahan for these details

In conversation with a nurse while at work at Darwin Private Hospital Judy found there was a need for Scented Hearts for premature babies. With help from Friday Quilters they have been able to supply them. The scented hearts help the babies bond with their mothers and the Octopuses, (Octopi, or Octopodes) are small enough for the babies to hold onto instead of all the tubes in the crib.

The sense of smell is one of the earliest senses to form





**FEEDBACK AND THANKS TO HELEN GODDEN
ZOOM presentation –**

My Top 10 Art quilt Techniques

Entertaining, informative, inspirational, amazing,
innovative, entertaining and funny.

I asked a couple of members to give me some
feedback on our ZOOM meeting in July.

In ten seconds they gave me the above words.
Thanks Helen you truly are an inspirational quilter.

AND

Thanks to Tip Wade for organising the zoom
account, purchasing the equipment and especially
setting up and making it all happen on the day.
What a fun meeting and we can now make use of
Zoom more often

July 2021

From Saturday Stitches July

It was a quiet Saturday Stitches this month, Everyone enjoyed themselves and went home with a small quilt.



Vale Ann Foster - a founding member of DPAQ
Older members will be sad to know that Ann passed
away recently in Queensland. There will be a
commemoration in Darwin in September. Date to be
confirmed.

Ann was one of the first members of DP&Q along with
Joy and me.

A polio victim, her health had recently been poor and
after living in Palmerston for many years she moved first
to Katherine to be with family then to Queensland, also
with family.

She was known for exquisite hand work of many kinds,
and I am proud to have some of her work on the quilt
that was made for my 70th birthday.

Jenny Armour

July 2021

No Saturday Stitches in August

There will not be any Saturday Stitches in August
We will be busy finishing off our quilts and
getting ready for TQ21

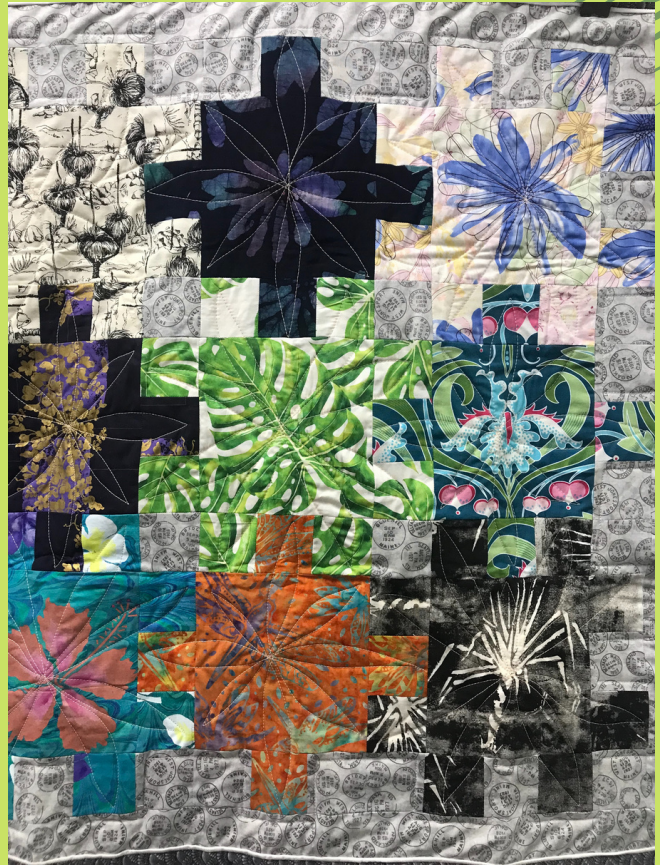
Show and Tell from July



Jenny visits the NT
each year from
Hervey Bay and
always makes a small
quilt for the Charity
cupboard.

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Show and tell July



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TQ21 Timeline

Sunday 15 Aug 2pm - 4pm

Hand in day for quilts - Double Tree by Hilton Esplanade

Wednesday 18 Aug 6pm

Opening night for members and entrants

Exhibition open to the public

Thursday 19th - 9am - 6pm

Friday 20th - 9am - 6pm

Saturday - 9am - 5pm

Sunday 22nd August 9am - 2pm

Last people admitted at 1:30pm on Sunday

Sunday 22nd August 4pm - 5pm

Quilt collection- Double Tree by Hilton Esplanade

The TQ21 handbook is available from our website.

darwinquilters.com.au

BERNINA

made to create

Borrowing Equipment from DPAQ

DPAQ Committee is presently working on a process which will make it easier for you to borrow equipment we have at 96A Winnellie Rd. Once the process is in place and we have set up a register of things to borrow and time lines for borrowing them we will let you know.

Keeping in mind that during Workshop times and classes etc equipment will have to be at 96A.

Recipe

from Cheryl and I know how good it tastes

Recipe: Apricot Slice

Ingredients: 375gms chopped apricots, 250gms butter, Cup Sun flower kernels, 1 pkt Saos, 1 Pkt yo-yo's, 1 Can Condensed Milk, 1 tspn vanilla, 6 Tblesp Coconut.

Crush biscuits + add coconut, apricots, sun flower kernels. Melt butter + condensed milk + add to dry ingredients. Mix together + press into tin. Sprinkle with coconut + Refrigerate

Method:

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Bernina Servicing

Both Martin & Sharon are coming to Darwin this year (Covid restrictions allowing) for the servicing of Bernina machines. Their first day of servicing will be on Monday 16th August through to Friday 20th August, between 8.30 am – 5.00 pm. They will be again servicing at 96A Winnellie Road Winnellie NT.

Contact them directly tech@berninachermside.com.au

What we require:

1. Machine/s model number.
2. Any known faults or known parts required.
3. Anything else required eg bobbins, needles, oil, feet, etc which we can bring for you.
4. Mobile Phone number - contact details.

To book your machine in for servicing you MUST email & answer the 4 Questions . We will then book your machine in and advise you by return email of the day to bring your machine in. As usual it will be on a first in first serve basis.

If there is anything else that you need please ask us. We have also been advised that Machines are not insured if left overnight at the Winnelli rooms. We are both looking forward to seeing you all again,

Kind regards
Martin & Sharon

Please note: we will update you when we are informed of any of the other Machine Servicing people are in Darwin.

Saturdays at 96A

First Saturday of each month is now available for quilting.
Coordinator - Bernadette Izod
(She is able to assist you with your free motion quilting)

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 Christine Garrett & Di Howard

General Sewing Days
Monday from 9am
Thursday from 9am - 9pm
Friday from 9am

Please email 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.

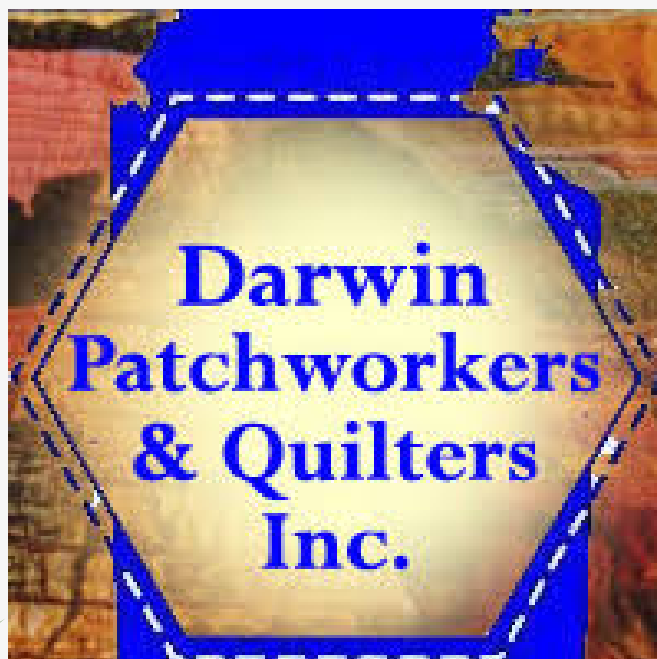
Please follow Covid19 protocols regarding, cleaning, kitchen, food preparation and social distancing



COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND ROLES

Stacey Henderson	President, Workshops 2020,
VACANT	Vice President,
Lillian Furre	Secretary, Inventory and Key
	Register
Deb Perkins	Treasurer
Alison McShanag	Snippets Editor
Christine Garrett	Saturday Stitches, Purchase Officer,
	Membership Officer
Tip Wade	Social Media Officer
Kathi Lague	Public Officer
Rosé Manison	Gift Quilts
Jenny Molloy	Librarian
Di Howard	Purchase Officer, Saturday Stitches,
	Fundraising/Raffles
VACANT	96a Administration/ WHS Officer
VACANT	Junior Quilter

Please send any questions for the committee to
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1/0 page \$40

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\$30 Fast Track (Members
Only)

Online/ Social Media Support

Tip Wade
Alison Brown

Workshop Coordinator **VACANT (non Committee Role)**

Library
Jenny Molloy

Archivists
Jenny Molloy
Jenny Armour,

Tropical Retreat
May Long Weekend
Annie Radomski, Belinda
Shaw, Debbie Selter, Judy
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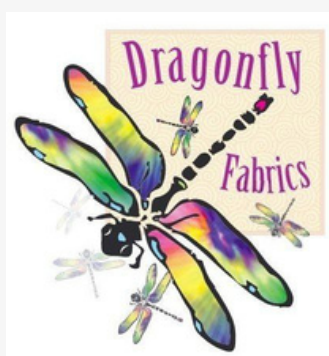
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