



Mole Valley Quilters



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April 2018



I hope you all had a very Happy Easter with time to sew and let us hope that the sun will shine again and the rain will stop!

The March meeting was cancelled because of adverse weather and was rescheduled a week later in the Barn Hall and 24 people attended including 4 visitors. Linda showed us how she put her random quilts together and I will bring the block I showed to the April Meeting.

We welcomed 4 visitors Catherine Clayton, Gill Harrold, Jane Atkinson and Jennifer Bostock.

This year I come off the Committee and we are looking for new persons to join our other members. A change is good, it brings new and different strengths so if you would like to join the other members we would love to hear from you.

Gill Harris, our Treasurer, will be staying on until after the Exhibition. So we have posts to fill!

Marie-Louise



Linda's random quilts

Subscriptions 2018-2019

A reminder that subscriptions are due this month. £38. Cheques payable to Mole Valley Quilters. Thank you.

REMINDERS

Bookham Village Day—16 June 2018

The theme for this year's Bookham Village Day is 'Bookham takes flight'. Blue squares were handed out at the February Meeting asking members to appliqué a bug. Blocks should be handed in at the May Meeting at the latest.

Summer Challenge

A reminder that the Summer Challenge should be handed in by July. The theme is 'Summer'. If you have not got a blue square of fabric please see Ruth Archer.

Workshops with Sue Atkinson 8, 9 and 10 June

There are still places available on the above workshops. Forms will be available at the AGM. (£10 deposit) to secure your place.

Pam Rose sent in the following article:

Nancy Hand

Some of you may remember Nancy Hand who joined Mole Valley Quilters in 1999 and who remained a member for several years. Sadly she died earlier this year.

While I was working in Leatherhead Library recently, I got chatting to a couple from the States. It transpired that this was Nancy's son and daughter-in-law, over from North Carolina. They were delighted that a couple of her quilting friends had come to her funeral. They also told me that, for the service, they had draped the coffin with the quilt Nancy had made them when they got married.

Small world! Sweet memories!

Website

All the Newsletters from last September are on the website. We also have Mole Valley Quilters Data Protection Policy on the website as a sub menu under 'Home'.

House Groups

If any member wishes to join a House Group please talk to any member of the Committee. All House Group members must be Members of Mole Valley Quilters.

Thank you

A big thank you to Marie-Louise and Gill Harris who are leaving the Committee this year. Marie-Louise, as chairman, has guided, encouraged and amused us.

Gill with her hand on the cheque book has kept Mole Valley Quilters on a strong road!

We shall miss you both on the Committee, but look forward to your expertise at the Meetings!

