



Mole Valley Quilters and Crafters

October 2026

Our meeting on 1st October was a talk from Joanna Kent who showed us quilts she has made over the years showcasing Ombre fabrics. She runs a part time business selling fabric and thread and attends quilt shows with her stand. Her quilts demonstrate the beauty and versatility of fabrics with a graduated colour scheme across the width. A number of us were tempted to buy fabric and patterns on the night and I will be taking a look at her website <https://craftyquilter.co.uk/> for the variegated thread which really complemented the designs. I took lots of pictures which I have put on the Whatsapp group but here are two of my favourites



Our next meeting is a fun one, making yourself something for Christmas! We will be making fabric wreaths by tying strips of fabric or felt to a small floristry wire wreath. You will need to bring about 80 fabric strips 1.5" x 8" approximately. You can also use felt where you will need fewer strips as it has more body to it. The committee will provide the wire wreaths and some felt and fabric in Christmassy colours. You could also add small decorations or a bow as a finishing touch.



Mole Valley Quilters Stash Sale Sat 7th November 10-12am

Our stash sale is fast approaching. We have 11 tables allocated to 7 different people, one of which is our club table. If you have any craft supplies of any kind you would like to 'let go' we would be happy to sell them on behalf of this year's charity (to be decided by the members). We also need volunteers to man the stall, make teas and coffees and donate cakes for sale. Thank you to those that signed up at the last meeting, if you can help please let me know.

Most importantly we need you to advertise the event far and wide. **We need customers** so tell your friends and craft groups there will be bargains to be had!

FABRIC & CRAFT STASH SALE

Hosted by Mole Valley Quilters

Saturday 7th November, 2026

Time: 10am - 12 noon (set up from 9am)
Venue: The Harrison Room, The Old Barn,
55 Church Road, Great Bookham,
Surrey KT23 3PQ

A Selection of:
Scrap bags - Wool - Art & Craft Materials
Fabric - Remnants - Books - Magazines
Haberdashery

Refreshments
FREE ENTRY
To book a table (£10)
Further info contact
claytonk054@gmail.com



Workshop with Joy Harber

“Pineapple Quilts”

Friday 13 November
10am - 4pm

Room 10
St Paul's Methodist Church
56 Woodfield Rd,
Northgate, Crawley
RH10 8ER



Bring a Packed Lunch
Tea and Coffee provided
Limited Free Parking on
site



Members £45



Non Members £67.50

Workshop Saturday 24th October £5 10am - 4pm

This workshop run by our members Penny and Judith involves printing on paper using paint, string, ink and shaving foam! Intrigued? Well come and have a go.

We will be creating patterns then, when they are dry, using them to make greeting cards.

Bring: an apron, rubber gloves a small rigid tray approx 6" x 8" (a tray from a ready meal or a takeaway is ideal.)

Lunch

We have been sent this invitation from the RSPB to make a mini quilt for an event in March

The link to enter the competition is <https://craftyquilter.co.uk/https://events.rspb.org.uk/events/174609>



Mini Quilt Competition 2026

Started 1 week ago

Start: Monday 21 September 2026 - 00:00
End: Sunday 28 March 2027 - 23:30

Location: RSPB Pagham Harbour
[View on map](#)

£ 8.00

About

Calling all textile artists, embroiderers, needleworkers and anyone interested in sewing! Are you a keen stitcher? Want to try your hand at creating a mini quilt? RSPB Pagham Harbour invite you to take part in their Mini Quilt Competition.

When you enter we will send you an RSPB pin-badge as inspiration for your mini quilt creation, which should also feature as part your finished artwork, and there are some lovely prizes on offer for the winners.

Full Terms and Conditions can be read before purchasing an entry ticket - simply click 'Buy now' to view them.

Location

RSPB Pagham Harbour
Selsby Road
Chichester
West Sussex
PO20 1NE

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Dates for your Diary

Saturday 24 Oct - In-house workshop - playing with paint on paper

Thursday 5th Nov - Fabric Wreath making

Sat 7 Nov - MVQ Stash Sale - 10am - 12pm

Thursday 3 Dec - Christmas party

Sat 16 Jan - Workshop - Helen Creasey - Foundation Paper Piecing

Sat 20 Feb - Workshop - Helen Mole - Paper Flowers