



Mole Valley Quilters and Crafters

September 2025

I hope you would agree that our last speaker, Christine Green, gave us a really interesting talk. Entitled Bust the Rules and get Creative, it encouraged us to be more relaxed in our approach to creating quilts. She used all sorts of fabrics in her creations and her sheer joy of playing with fabrics shone through. I was particularly drawn to the trousers she was wearing! They were covered with small squares of fabric all hand stitched on!



Our **next meeting** is a talk from Jill Kipnis. First and foremost an embroiderer, she has brought together contributions of embroidered squares from people all over the world and the UK creating something that illustrated their experiences and heroes during the first COVID lockdown of 2020.

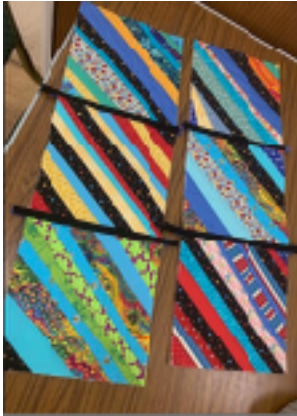
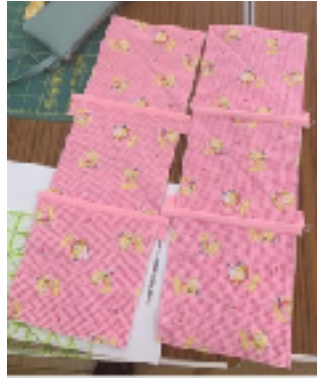
Christmas is coming!



Join us for a fun workshop creating a fabric covered bauble. Materials and full instruction provided, no need to bring anything just a packed lunch if required. Venue - The Harrison Room, Old Barn Hall, 10am this **Saturday 4th October** Cost £5.

Add your name to the list at the meeting tomorrow. See you there.

MVQ will have a stall at a Christmas market, possibly in Ashted on 14th November. If anyone can help man the stall it would be much appreciated. Please talk to one of the committee to volunteer.



'The Quilt as You Go' workshop on Tuesday was well attended and I think a good time was had by all... (in the end, after some migraine tablets and lashings of tea and cake!) It was lovely to see the different fabrics and blocks people had brought along. Some may be added to and progress to larger quilts, some may stay as small projects.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 2 October - Jill Kipnis - Heroes Quilt

Saturday 4th October - Christmas Bauble Workshop

Saturday 1st November - Free motion quilting workshop

Thursday 6th November - Sewing for Christmas

Thursday 4th December - MVQ Christmas Party.