

SASKATOON QUILTERS' GUILD

Quilt Show

Friday, October 21, 2011

10 am - 9 pm

Saturday, October 22, 2011

10 am - 6 pm

Prairieland Park

Hall E, Plaza Entrance

Admission: \$8⁰⁰

Children under 12 free with an adult

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Making Waves

Setting Sail

Our Grand Opening Event

Thursday, October 20 – 7:00 p.m.
(doors open at 6:30 p.m.)

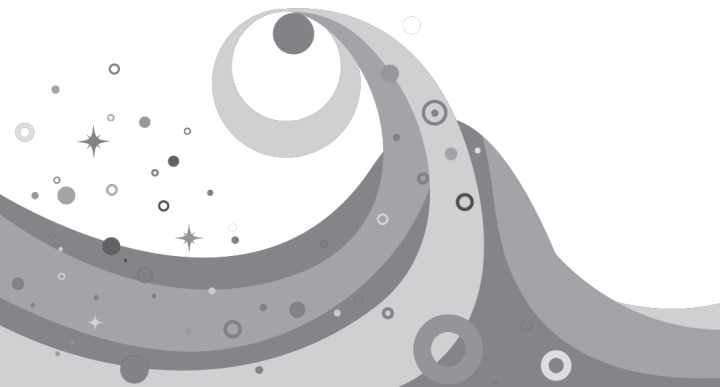
\$15.00 per person

Our mighty ship, the SQG, will begin "making waves" on Thursday evening with a gala Grand Opening Event.

Come join us as we cruise through a wonderful night of fun and excitement.

Here are the highlights of our Cruise Director's agenda for the evening:

- ⊗ Delicious desserts & coffee included, plus wine for sale by the glass
- ⊗ Fun entertainment by the "Raging Grannies"
- ⊗ A live auction of exciting items, including works of art created by members of the guild
- ⊗ The opening of our Secret Santa silent auction
- ⊗ An opportunity to be among the first to view our amazing show



Navigating Quilt Design

A Presentation by Debora Barlow

Friday, Oct. 21 – 6:30 p.m. **OR** 7:45 p.m.

\$5.00 per person

Debora is a juried member of the Saskatchewan Craft Council as a fibre artist and an international award-winning floral designer. She is also a longarm quilter and operates Debora's Quilting and Design. Debora is currently in the CQA judging certification program.

With Debora at the helm, this presentation will cover the elements and principles of design, and offer tips and hints to help you sharpen your quilt design skills.



Ports of Call

Sales in the Sunset

Friday, October 21 – 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Our Merchant Mall vendors will have all hands on deck to offer you a variety of specials that will only be available during this Friday evening event.

You will have time to shop both before and after the Design Presentation.

NOTE: There will be demonstration sessions presented by some of our vendors throughout the show. A schedule will be posted in the classroom area at the show and in the show program.

Anchors Aweigh

Breakfast & Trunk Show

Saturday, October 22 – 8:00 a.m.
(doors open at 7:30 a.m.)

\$15.00 for guild members

\$20.00 for non-members

Ahoy maties! It's an early start on Saturday morning, but it will be well worth it. The galley will serve up a delicious hot breakfast buffet, followed by a trunk show presentation by Pearl Braun-Dyck.

Pearl has been doing fibre work since childhood when, as she told us so expressively, her mother gave the family the "gift of hands". Her preference today is still for hand work over machine work.

Pearl was the owner of Quilters' Jewel in Morden, MB from 2004 to 2010.

She has taught extensively and has won many awards for her excellent work.

Her Baltimore Album quilt was juried into the Pacific International Quilt Show.

Commissioned quilts by Pearl hang in Manitoba, Ottawa and Germany.

Pearl will share her quilting journey with us through a selection of her beautiful quilts.

NOTE: Advance tickets are required for the Grand Opening, Design Presentation and Breakfast/Trunk Show. Please call Dorothy Booker-Tymchatyn at 306-664-4768 after September 15.

Treasure Island

Explore the guild's own Marketplace where you will find unique items handcrafted by guild members. You'll discover gems for yourself, for your home or for gift giving. Souvenir show pins will also be available at Treasure Island.

Merchant Mall

Sail into "Merchant Mall Harbour" and discover over 30 shops from near and far. They'll be loaded to the gunwales with a wide range of fabrics, quilting supplies, patterns, kits, sewing machines and more.

Secret Santa

Denny Carr was a radio announcer who lost a very courageous battle with cancer in 1999. It was Denny's dream that every child in Saskatoon would receive a gift at Christmas. His wish has come true through Secret Santa, which is affiliated with CJWW and the Saskatoon Salvation Army. This organization provides food hampers and toys for families in need.

Serendipity, a group of quilters who make quilts for those in need, has donated 25 quilts for auction and the proceeds will be donated to Secret Santa. We will also provide a collection depot for new, unwrapped toys, non-perishable food items and cash donations. If you contribute, your name will be entered in a draw for a quilt.

Our Featured Quilter –

Dorothy Thomson

After trying many different types of crafting, Dorothy started quilting in 2000 because she wanted to make a millennium quilt. It quickly became her passion! She has experimented with a wide variety of techniques and styles. Most recently, circles and curves have been her focus.

Dorothy has an uncanny ability to see the potential in almost any fabric. Some pieces that others might consider "ugly" have been transformed into something wonderful by her skillful eyes and hands.

Dorothy is legendary in the Saskatoon guild for her prolific output. In the year she turned 60, she decided to make 60 quilts and, as in most everything Dorothy sets out to do, she was successful.

Dorothy is an active member of the Saskatoon Quilters' Guild. She has served on several committees, including the Quilt Show committee in 2007 and 2009. Her flair for decorating has added extra panache to many of our events.

Our display of Dorothy's work will be "a quilt show within a quilt show". You don't want to miss it!