

Mole Valley Quilters

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Dear Members

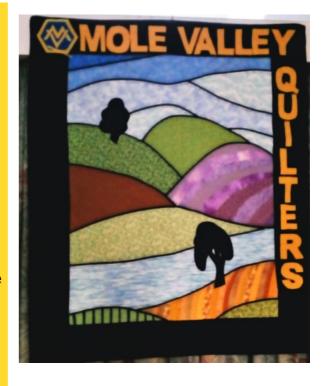
What happened? It is already July and midsummer has been and gone. Bookham Village Day is now behind us and next week is our July meeting.

The BVD on the 18th June was very successful, raising our profile and some funds for the club. The stall looked really lovely and was in a good position up on the stage - some pictures at the end of the newsletter. The Challenge quilts on the subject of Jubilee showed very well at the front .

The raffle quilt - hand quilted by Penny - made £156 with MVQ keeping £50 and the rest going to the Bookham Community Association. The couple who won the quilt were really pleased with it so it went to a worthy home. The sales table made £159 for MVQ which was a good result but hopefully next year we could raise even more by members making items gradually throughout the year.

There is some information below about our August meeting which is our annual Summer Garden Party - Pam Rose has kindly offered to host. Sign up at our meeting on Thursday - look forward to seeing you there.

Marie Louise x



NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is this Thursday 7th July

The working title for the meeting is "Sewing activity", and it will be in the Harrison Room as usual please arrive at 7.15 for the normal 7.30 start.

As mentioned at the last meeting, we are hoping to start making some sales items for next year's Exhibition which is probably going to be held in September 2023.

The activity this week is making cards, and the idea is that we each make a couple, one for yourself and one for the sales table.

There will be cards and fabrics, buttons, embroidery threads and "notions" for decorating the cards.

Please bring any bits and trims, pretty wools and scraps you have and want to use AND sewing kit, glue stick/pen, scissors!! decorative colour/gold/silver pens... and lots of ideas!!

So come and have a fun evening! Tea and biscuits while we work.

AUGUST GARDEN PARTY

There is no MVQ meeting in the Old Barn Hall in August. Instead you are invited to a (hopefully) relaxing Summer Lunch in the garden of Pam Rose's house in Ashtead on FRIDAY 5th August (12.30 - 3.30pm).

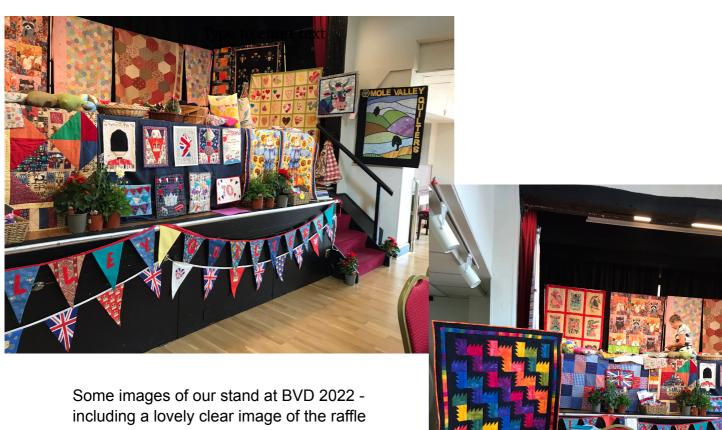
Please sign up on the paper list circulating at the July meeting or ring Pam on 01372 272471. We ask you to bring a savoury, salad or a pudding dish (enough to share with about 8 people), as well as your own cutlery and mug. Nearer the date Pam will send you detailed instructions for finding her house.

There will be a raffle at the Garden Party and Pam's husband will be donating a jar of his homemade honey as one of the prizes. NB - in case anyone has an allergy to beestings, Pam's husband keeps bees, so there will be bees in the garden.

There will also be a sale of an ex members stash at the garden party - so please remember to bring money for the raffle and any purchases you want to make

MEMBERSHIP LIST

A new members contact list was circulated at the beginning of last week. This supersedes any previous contact lists. There is one member shown - Annette Platt - who has since decided not to renew her membership to the group.



Some images of our stand at BVD 2022 - including a lovely clear image of the raffle quilt which was beautifully hand quilted by Penny Anslow, and a view of our Jubilee challenge entries.