



Mole Valley Quilters

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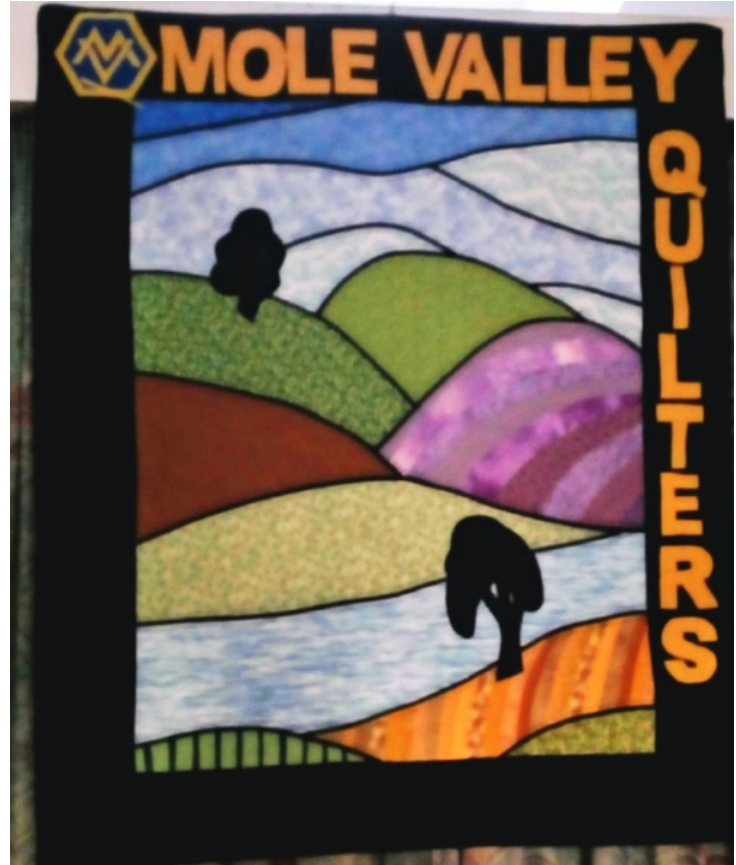
Dear Members

The newsletter seems to come around more and more quickly - time flies by these days and policemen and doctors look too young - I must be feeling my age!

We have enjoyed lots of bank holidays this month and now the weather has finally improved there is some gardening to be done, but hopefully still lots of time for some quilting and projects to be made for the stall at Bookham Village Day - more information below.

Some of our members enjoyed a very successful workshop this month learning how to make crazy patchwork with Jane Byford - we are hoping we can persuade her to come back another time to do another workshop - watch this space

Jane



THE NEXT MEETING IS

THURSDAY 1st JUNE

This month there is a talk from Gail Lawther entitled "Seaside Celebrations". This is such a topical subject and Gail will be talking about quilts she has made to celebrate sun, sea and surf. She brings lots of quilts with her to illustrate her talk - no slides -and these can be examined and handled afterwards.

Her website where you can see some of the quilts that she has made is www.gaillawther.co.uk

Do come and support the talk and remember that you are always able to bring a guest for a small fee!

As usual please arrive from 7.15 for a 7.30 start in the Harrison Rooms at Old Barn Hall.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

1st June - MVQ June Meeting - a talk by Gail Lawther on "Seaside Celebrations"

17 June - Bookham Village Day

22 - 24 June 2023 - National Quilt Championships Sandown Park 10 am - 4.30

4th July - MVQ meeting - a talk from Ruth Archer "My Journey"

3 - 6 August 2023 - Festival of Quilts, NEC Birmingham

10 August 2023 - MVQ Annual Garden Party - to be held at Pam Rose house in Ashted from 12.30 to 4.30. The address is: **Cresta, Druids Close, Ashted, KT21 2UH. Tel 01372 272471**

NOTE the change of date to prevent a clash with with the Festival of Quilts at the NEC which some of our members wish to attend

Also please be aware that Pam and Pete keep bees and there will be bees in the garden in larger numbers than would normally be present.

URGENT REMINDER - SUBSCRIPTIONS DUE

A small number of members have not yet paid their subscriptions. These need to be paid asap.

Please contact Pam Rose (07811 902984) or bring the subscription to the meeting on Thursday evening.

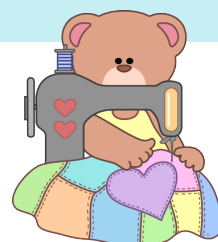
If you no longer wish to belong to MVQ we will be very sorry to see you go but could you please let Pam know and confirm so that we don't keep trying to chase you

CRAZY QUILTING WORKSHOP

With Jane Byford

This was a great success and all the members who attended really enjoyed it.

Some lovely work was produced which we will hope to see at our next show and tell session



BOOKHAM VILLAGE DAY 17 JUNE 2023

Believe it or not this is nearly upon us. We urgently need items to sell (much of our revenue comes from the various sales we hold throughout the year which enables us to enjoy our wide variety of speakers) and hope that many of you have been busily making items which you can please bring along to give to Marie Louise or Eleanor Cullingham on Thursday evening.

If you are bringing a quilt along to display please can you ensure it has a hanging sleeve and a small description - who you are, what the quilt is called or what inspired you etc

We are also in need of helpers on the day - to setup, man the sales table and help pack up. There will be a sign up sheet at the meeting on Thursday or contact Marie Louise