



### Next Meeting

**February 18**

Brechin United Church

Doors open at 12:30

Meeting starts at 1:00 & 7:00



### Next Executive Meeting

**February 11 1:30 p.m.**

Save On Foods, Woodgrove

### Next Quilt Show Meeting

**February 5 1:30 p.m.**

Save On Foods, Woodgrove

### Newsletter Deadline

**February 22** (22nd of each month)

### Things to Remember:

- name tag
- coffee/ tea cup
- change for raffles
- library books
- workshop registrations
- Quilt Bee quilt completed
- UFO list to hand in
- Show and Share
- placemats (no comfort quilts in Feb)
- block of the month (for February)
- newsletter
- baking or store bought goodies (if your surname starts with O,P,&Q)
- fat quarter fabric exchange
- a donation for the food bank: suggested for February: **FRUIT JUICES** and/or **CANNED FISH/MEAT**



### Membership

Please stop at the Membership table when you arrive to sign in and pick up your ticket for the name tag draw.

### Hospitality

Please stop for a moment to check in with Kathy Bush, Julie Seiersen or Barb Peters at the entrance door when you come to Guild meetings.



### Yummy Baking ...

Thanks to everyone who brings delicious goodies for our meetings. **For February, it's the turn of everyone with a surname beginning with O, P and Q.**

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### From Our Presidents' Pens



At the January afternoon meeting Maureen Eykelenboom spoke of her journey following the death of her son Andrew ("Boomer"), a Medic in the Canadian Forces in Afghanistan. This was Maureen's second visit to our guild and it was poignant to hear of her visit to Kandahar last year. Our guild members have joined many others in knitting "boomer hats" and more recently, quilts, and Maureen confirmed to us that these efforts are indeed making a profound difference to the people of Afghanistan. It reinforces that every act, be it small or large, can have a huge positive effect in the lives of others. This Guild has a long standing history of charitable acts that touch the lives of those who have a need and the generosity of our members knows no bounds. We applaud each and every one of you for this selfless work.

Charlotte Warr Andersen's "Portrait" class at the Oliver Wood Centre is Feb. 7 & 8. Our February Guild meeting will be presentations from members who will pass on "HOT TIPS" to make our quilting journey easier and more exciting, inspire us and get our creative juices flowing (see the program below).

I hope you are looking at our web site; pictures of the Houston trip will soon be posted. Remember to email pictures of guild events or members you would like to see on the Gallery page to me (Avril) and I will get them posted.

We ask each of you to think about getting together with a friend to assume a position on a Guild committee. The May meeting will be the annual elections and there will be vacancies, as current serving members have reached the end of their term. When two people assume a position you have the support of your partner - it also allows you to continue on your life and travels knowing your partner will be covering for you.

We hope you are able to spend time working on projects as we make our way through Winter. December and January have seen remarkable weather for the Coast and we take comfort that we can ignore the snow and fog as we create our latest "masterpieces"! *Avril and Eimear*

### 'Hot Tips for Cool Quilters' February Meeting Program

We are having mini demos this month. There will be 2 - 30 minute sessions at both the afternoon and evening meetings. You can sign up for 2 sessions at these meetings. The following demo's will be at the afternoon meeting:

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|---|------------------------------------|
| 1. Applique Technique for Transferring Artwork to a Quilt | 5. Quilted Duvet Cover             |
| 2. Stippling Methods made Simple                          | 6. Start with Squares              |
| 3. Quilt as You Go  | 7. Journal Quilting                |
| 4. Fabric Chenille Scarf                                  | 8. Computers & Digital Cameras 101 |

The evening meeting demo's will be:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1. Applique Technique for Transferring Artwork to a Quilt | 2. Quilt as You Go                                       |
| 3. Start with Squares                                     | 4. Paper Pieced Quilt Labels & 'Paperless' Paper Piecing |

There is a maximum of 10 spaces at each demo, so please sign up early! Your program committee: *Cathy Welte, Lillian Charron, Barb Root*

### Our Annual Quilt Bee Was A Beehive of Buzziness

A huge thank you to Leslie and Sandy for our great quilt bee! Please bring your completed quilts from the Quilt Bee to the meeting on February 18. There will be a table set up for the quilt collection. A representative from Haven House will be at the meeting to receive our quilts. Thanks to everyone for your enthusiastic participation, and to Marcia Miller and Chris Potvin for kitchen duty!



## Program Committee

We have a busy schedule for the upcoming months and we are very pleased to see that members are taking advantage of these activities. Our program for January had to be changed after the newsletter had gone out, therefore there was no advance notice to the membership. We regret any inconvenience this may have caused. If you have Boomer Hats, quilts or would like to make a donation to this cause, I can put you in contact with Maureen or you can turn your items into Coreen Zerr.

**"Hot Tips for Cool Quilters"** will be February's program (see page one). Sign ups were available at the January Guild Meetings and will also be available for a short time at the February meeting.

**Workshops:** To register for classes, or cancel your registration before Feb. 5, please contact Lillian Charron at [meme150@shaw.ca](mailto:meme150@shaw.ca) or 250-245-8345. After Feb. 5, please contact Barb Root 250-245-3320 [rootco@shaw.ca](mailto:rootco@shaw.ca) Charlotte Warr Andersen...class is full Margaret Miller...class is full Pam Godderis-Dangerfield..class is full Pippa Moore... we have 2 openings. Pippa Moore will bring her trunk show to our Guild meeting in March. If you are interested in these classes, and they are

full at the moment, we encourage you to put your name on the waiting list. We always have cancellations.

Our Sewing Room Tour will be held on Sunday May 24. This tour will take in the Ladysmith, Saltair, and Duncan areas. There will be sign up sheets at our March and April Guild meetings. More info will be coming about this event. Those of you who participated in the last tour will remember what a good time it was!

We have begun to book the 2009-2010 program sessions. We are still looking for someone interested in assuming the duties of program coordinator for next year. Now would be a good time for someone to come forward and take this opportunity to work with the present program coordinators. It would make their job much easier and they will have a good understanding of what has to be done. Program for 2009-2010 will be light because of the Quilt Show demands on the Guild and it's members. *Cathy Welte, Lillian Charron, Barb Root*

**"PORTRAITS" Saturday, February 7 and Sunday, February 8, 8:45-3:45 @ Oliver Woods Centre** In Charlotte Warr Andersen's two day class we will create fabric and thread portraits. For the supply list, please see December's newsletter.

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Margaret Carmichael  
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**"ANGLE PLAY" Saturday, March 7 and Sunday, March 8, 8:45-3:45 @ Oliver Woods Centre** We will learn to cut with AnglePlay™ templates, make a number of blocks, and get a glimpse of refreshing new ways of putting them together. Basic rotary cutting and machine piecing skills are required. Supply list, see December's newsletter. website: [www.millerquilts.com](http://www.millerquilts.com)

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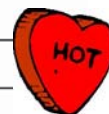
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**2009 SCHEDULE ~ WRITE THESE DATES IN YOUR DIARY**



DATE	AGENDA	PROGRAM
Feb. 5	Quilt Show Meeting	Save-On-Foods 1:30
Feb. 7 & 8	<b>WORKSHOP 9-4</b>	“Portraits” Charlotte Warr Andersen
Feb 11	Executive meeting	Save-On-Foods 1:30
Feb. 18	Guild: Short business, Full program	“HOT TIPS for COOL QUILTERS”
Mar 7 & 8	<b>WORKSHOP 9-4</b>	“ANGLE PLAY” Margaret Miller
Mar 11	Executive meeting	Save-On-Foods 1:30
Mar 18	Guild: Full business Short Program	“PIPPA MOORE TRUNK SHOW”
Apr 4	<b>WORKSHOP 9-4</b>	“NEW FANGLED” Pam Godderiss Dangerfield
Apr 8	Executive meeting	Save-On-Foods 1:30
Apr 15	Guild: Short business, Full Program	“BEST AND WORST GADGETS” Show UFO’s
May 13	Executive meeting	Save-On-Foods 1:30
May 20	Evening meeting	“ELECTIONS” UFO Prizes, Challenge Prizes
May 24	Special Event!	Ladysmith/Duncan Sewing Room Tour
June 7	<b>WORKSHOP</b>	“African Sunshine” Pippa Moore
June 10	Executive mtg	Save-On-Foods 1:30
June 17	Social	POTLUCK PICNIC

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### New Books

*Machine Quilting Solutions*, Christine Maraccini  
*Fast, Fun & Easy Fabric Dyeing*, Lynn Koolish  
*Thread Painting Made Easy*, Terry White  
*Super Simple Quilts #1 & #2*, Alex Anderson & Liz Aneloski  
*Batik Gems*, Laurie Shifrin  
*Big One-Star Quilts by Magic*, Nancy Johnson-Srebo  
*Fuse-and-Tell Journal Quilts*, Laura Wasilowski  
*Irish Quilting magazine*, premier issue  
*Quilting for Joy*, Barbara Brandeburg & Teri Christopherson  
*The New Handmade*, Cassie Barden  
*Quilts, bibs, blankies..oh my!*, Kim Schaefer  
*The Crazy Quilt Handbook revised*, Judith Baker Montano  
*Stack-n-Whack Ipedia*, Bethany S. Reynolds

**Coming Soon** We hope to have our Library Book List posted on our website! *The Library Team*

## Quilts That Comfort Committee

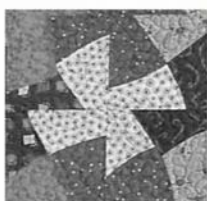
Please note that we will not be collecting comfort quilts at the February meeting. The Comfort Quilt Committee wish to announce they have just delivered 50 quilts to the following: Nanaimo Family Life, Connections & Pre Natal, Victim Services and Building Better Babies. The dollar value of the 50 quilts were \$5050.00 Please keep up the wonderful work is the message we received from each place. *Barbara Clement, Jo-Anne Dodson & Judy McLaughlin*

## Quilt Show 2010

Our next committee meeting will be on February 5 at 1:30pm at Save on Foods in the Woodgrove Centre. We hope you all have your budgets and timelines completed and ready to turn in. We have another opening on our Committee for the position of "Sponsorship Coordinator". If you are interested, or would like more info on what the responsibilities are, please contact Lillian Charron

We have had a great response for donations for our "Raffle" and as a result, we are considering two early draws. The details of this still have to be worked out. We have a terrific Quilt Show Committee and We are sure we will have another successful Quilt Show 2010. *Lillian Charron & Carol Bailey*

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## January Raffle Winners

**Mystery Fabric:** Mary Christianson, Nancy Lutes

**Raffles:** Dana Roncin, Florence Dorscheid, Marcia Miller, Phyllis Prince, Liz Simonson, Sue Artuso, Mel Campbell, Gail Lambourne, Leslie Millward, Lois Anderson, Sue Royle, Kylah Evans, Bonnie Dormuth, Sandra Longland

**Show & Share:** Lois Anderson, Judy Moran, Pat Clements

**Door Prizes:** Lori Skerget, Betty Stone

**Block of the Month:** Vivian Scott

Special thanks to Yvonne Jans; Marsha Whitney; and Laura Morrissey for their donations to our raffle stash.

*Gail Lambourne & Margaret Carmichael*

## Trips and Retreats

There are still spaces available for our fall retreat at Camp Homewood; if you would like to join us, Sue and I will have the registration forms at the February guild meeting. As a reminder, our new dates are from Monday, November 9 to Thursday, November 12 or Friday, November 13, 2009 (we can stay for 4 nights now as long as we have a minimum of 20 who stay the extra night). The cost is (so far): \$160 basic rate for three nights and 9 meals, rooms with their own bathroom are an extra \$48 and the basic rate for four nights is \$214 and an extra \$64 for a room with a private bathroom. We require a deposit of \$50 to secure your place at retreat and this is due at sign-up. Just remember, after the February guild meeting our retreat is open to gals outside of the guild (and we have several waiting to sign-up) so this your chance to guarantee your space with us at this fun event. *Bonnie Dimitry and Sue Artuso*



*Gail Lambourne*



*Eimear Keane*



*Leslie Jones*

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## Going for the GREEN

### A Challenge Update

Anonymous once said "I cannot count my day complete until and needle, thread and fabric meet." As the tree is down, the snow is melted and the baking is just a few crumbs at the bottom of a recycled fruit cake tin, now is the land of "Bowl Games" so who would notice if you slipped into your sewing room and created something—perhaps something "Green"? Time is speeding by and April's Guild meeting will be here before you know it...and time to submit the Challenge at hand. I know that it is a Challenge in itself to find time but review the rules in the archive section of our Newsletter under 1 September 2008 and you will feel good for having done so. There is a use for the piece of tinsel that just wouldn't leave your trouser leg alone. If you have any questions just email me at [lorie.rogers@shaw.ca](mailto:lorie.rogers@shaw.ca) Happy Quilting 2009!

## Food Bank Donations

For those who requested suggested items for the Food Bank, please bring either FRUIT JUICES (any size, tetra packs, 1 litre etc.) and/or CANNED FISH / MEAT to the February meeting. Of course the volunteer staff at Loaves and Fishes welcome anything you choose to donate so do not feel you must bring the items I have suggested. Many thanks for your support. *Norma Franks*

## THANK YOU!

A HUGE Thank You to Kathy Bush who came forward and offered to make a quilt for the Nanaimo Child Development Centre. This organization requested a quilt for fundraising initiatives.

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## Minutes of January 21 Membership Meeting

Meeting called to order at 13:00 by co-president Avril Valentine. She welcomed and wished everyone a Happy New Year. 86 members and 2 guests in attendance. Thanks was extended to the Program committee for the classes scheduled for 2009.

**Hospitality:** Kathy Bush introduced our guests, Juanita Holland from Ladysmith and Debbie Ballantine from Australia.

**Secretary:** On behalf of the membership, a get well card was sent to Gladys Dikken, and sympathy cards to Roberta Shepherd and Buelah Friesen on the loss of their mother, and Lynn Bentsen on the loss of her mother-in-law. Thank you letters were received and read to members, from Nanaimo Meals on Wheels and Nanaimo Family Life Association.

**Treasurer:** Florence Dorscheid presented an Interim Budget Report.

### Committee Reports

The following committee reports were received, attached to the minutes and published in the Guild newsletter: Program, Quilt Show 2010, Quilt Bee, Trips and Retreats, Comfort Quilts, and Library. The quilt made by "The Pearls" satellite group which they donated to the Chemainus Volunteer Fire Department was on display. Proceeds from this raffle will go to the Victoria Burn Unit, and tickets are for sale. Sign up sheets for the February program "Hot Tips for Cool Quilters" were available at the program table. Val Ursulak announced that the next meeting of the applique group will

be held February 4.

**2nd Vice-president:** Norma Franks extended thanks to members for their generous donations to the Christmas food drive for Loaves and Fishes. They were delighted and the 12 boxes we filled were a great help to them. They would also be happy to receive slightly used bottles of shampoo or conditioner. Norma was asked to put the suggestion for our monthly collection back in the newsletter as it helps to know what is needed. Members can choose to follow the suggestion or bring their own choice.

**Membership:** Marcia Miller welcomed 3 new members, Judy Peterson, Mary Christianson and Julia Fall, and also Corinne Perry who has rejoined the guild.

**Old Business:** Avril has a couple of reminders for members. First, the Island Quilting Seminar to be held in April 2009 by the Campbell River Friendship Quilters Guild. Elections are coming up in May, and we ask that people start thinking of assuming a position on the executive or a committee.

**New Business:** Avril has received a request for a possible donation of a quilt for fund raising for the Child Development Centre.



Avril gave a very warm and heartfelt introduction to our guest speaker Maureen Eykelenboom who spoke about "Boomer's Legacy".

Following a break, an enjoyable show and share was held, followed by the draws. Meeting adjourned at 15:35. Submitted by Lillian Dalton, Secretary

### Minutes of the January 21 evening meeting

The meeting was called to order at 19:05 by Evening Chairperson Patty McRory. There were 26 members and 4 guests present. The guests were; Dorothy Taylor, Kyla Evans, Nancy Lutes from Nanaimo and Carrie Baisley from Edmonton. The order of the meeting followed the afternoon agenda and no new business was brought forward. The Block of the Month draw winner was Vivian Scott. After show and share and raffle draws the meeting was adjourned at 20:05. Notes submitted by Val Ansell, Evening Secretary and transcribed by Lillian Dalton, Secretary

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### March Block of the Month

**Storm at Sea** is a block I've always wanted to try, but thought it was too tough. Here's a simple version to make. As always, give me a call if you have any problems with or questions about the block. All seams 1/4".

The 12 1/2" block (12" finished) divides easily into 3 sections. **A:** the corner unit and **B:** the centre unit are both "square in square" and are similar in construction to January's BOTM. If you cut and sew carefully, you won't need to trim these units. If you want to be on the safe side, make the triangles a little larger and trim. Each of the two side units (**C**) is a diamond and four triangles and is the trickiest part of the block. The colours in this block are a range of blues. You may use the same or a variety of very dark blues in each unit, but use the same pale blue in both **C** unit corners. If you are using the same neutral in each month's BOTM, use it in **B**.

**Corner unit A:** Cutting:

- 1 3 3/8" square, Medium blue
- 2 3" square, Dark navy

Cut both dark 3" squares in half diagonally to make 4 triangles. Centre the long side of one triangle on one side of the 3 3/8" medium square and sew. Repeat for the other 3 sides. Press. Makes a 4 1/2" square unit.

**Centre unit B:** Cutting:

- 1 4 1/2" square Medium teal
- 2 3 7/8" squares, Background (or Light blue)
- 2 5" squares, Dark blue

Cut all dark and background (light) squares in half diagonally to make 2 sets of 4 triangles. Centre the long side of one light triangle on one side of the 4 1/2" medium square and sew. Repeat for the other 3 sides. Press. Centre the long side of one dark triangle on one side of the unit and

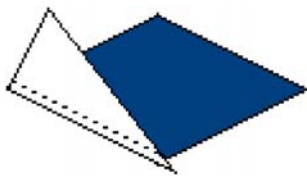
sew. Repeat for the other 3 sides. Press. Makes an 8 1/2" square unit.

**Side units C:** Cutting:

- 1 9 1/8" x 4 5/8", Dark navy rectangle
- 4 2 7/8" x 5 5/8", Pale blue rectangles

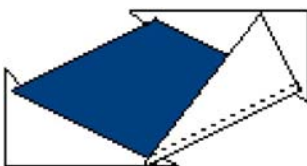
On the wrong side of the dark navy rectangle mark the middle of all 4 sides. Carefully join the marks to form a diamond shape. Cut off the four corners. The distances between opposite points of the diamond should be the same as those of the rectangle. Using the pale blue rectangles, with 2 layers of fabric right sides together, cut the light rectangles diagonally to make 2 sets of mirror image triangles.

Put 2 of the same pale triangles by your machine. With right sides together, align 90° corner of triangle with sharp point of diamond. (See sketch)



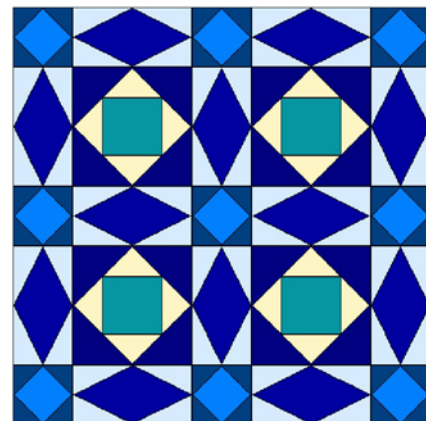
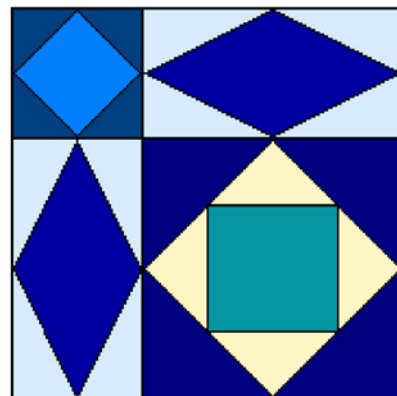
Placement of first triangle on diamond for sewing

Sew on dashed line and press open to light. Repeat on opposite side with the second triangle. Following the same directions, sew a set of 2 opposite image triangles on the other two sides as per sketch.



Check that the *inner* diamond now measures 4" x 8" and that there is at least 1/4" seam allowance beyond each diamond point. Adjust seams to fix if necessary. Trim to 8 1/2" x 4 1/2" centring diamond and maintaining seam allowance at the points.

Sew one side unit to centre unit, aligning centre points. Press outward. Sew corner unit to other side unit aligning centres. Press towards side unit. Complete block making sure centres and seams line up. Press. To complete a quilt you will need to make more corner and side units. *Val Ansell 758-1185*



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## Quilt Shows & Seminars

**January 14-March 29** 703 South 2<sup>nd</sup> St La Conner Washington **Ralli Quilts: Textiles from Pakistan and India**, curator Patricia Stoddard, and **All Things Not Quilted** Wednesday-Sunday 11-5, Admission \$5. La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum members & children free. 1-360-466-4288 [info@laconnerquilts.com](mailto:info@laconnerquilts.com) [laconnerquilts.com](http://laconnerquilts.com)

**Feb 7** (see above) **QSI: Quilt Scene Investigators**: Ann Bodle-Nash, Certified Quilt Appraiser and Anne Dawson Quilt Restorer, will evaluate your quilts, antique or new. Learn the identity, age, and how to care for your treasures. Two sessions: Saturday 11-1 or 2-4. Cost \$25 analysis of two quilts, \$20 analysis of one quilt or \$15 for presentation only. Admission to La Conner Quilt & Textile Museum included. Seating limited. To reserve, see info above.

**March 21 & 22, Timberlane Quilters Guild Show**, Powell River. website: [www.tqguild.wordpress.com](http://www.tqguild.wordpress.com)

**March 27 - March 29, Symphony Of Quilts**, Westshore Quilters Guild. Special displays, live music, merchant's mall, concession, raffle quilts, door prizes, guild boutique, hands on demonstrations. Eagle Ridge Community Centre, 1089 Langford Parkway, Langford. Friday and Saturday, 10 am to 6 pm, Sunday 10 am to 4 pm, Admission \$5 [www.westshorequiltersguild.com](http://www.westshorequiltersguild.com)

**April 23-26 Island Quilting Seminar**, Sequoia Springs Golf Club, 700 Petersen Road, Campbell River. Quilting workshops by great instructors, hosted by the Campbell River Friendship Quilters Guild. For registration information and complete workshop descriptions, visit their website: [www.crfriendshipquiltguild.com](http://www.crfriendshipquiltguild.com) Info: [cseeley@oberon.ark.com](mailto:cseeley@oberon.ark.com)

**May 22 & May 23, Colour in Motion**, Cranbrook Quilters Guild, College Of The Rockies gymnasium, 2700 College Way Cranbrook May 22: 10 am to 8 pm, May 23 10 am - 4 pm. Admission \$4

**May 29-31 Seasons by the Sea**, Parksville Community Centre, 132 East Jensen Avenue, Parksville, Admission \$6 or \$10 for 3 days. Parksville Quilt House Quilters Guild. Workshops run June 1-4. Info at [www.parksvillequiltthousequilters.com](http://www.parksvillequiltthousequilters.com)

**June 18-20, 2010 Nanaimo Quilters Guild Quilt Show**, Beban Park, Nanaimo

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## Nanaimo Quilters' Guild Elections 2009

Ladies, it's that time of year again - the time when people decide to offer their services to the Guild, the community of quilters in which we are all lucky enough to participate!

If you wish to let your name stand for election to the Guild Executive for 2009 please let us know. As always, at the AGM, nominations will be accepted from the floor.

Please remember that a load shared is a load halved, and consider working with a partner. It really makes the commitment a lot easier! Remember, we are all in this together! *Eimear & Avril*

