## **OXFORD QUILTERS GUILD RETREAT**

## When: March 1,2,3 2024

Where: Best Western Plus Stoneridge Inn – 6675 Birtwistle Lane, London, ON N6L 1H5 Time: Friday after 9:00 am until Sunday at 5:00 pm

**Included:** 2 nights' accommodations. All rooms are 2 Queen beds. Supper on Friday, three meals Saturday and breakfast and lunch on Sunday. All taxes and tips included.

**Agenda:** NONE!!! The only thing on the agenda is whatever you put on it yourself. You can work on quilting, hooking, knitting or whatever you want. Something that you have wanted to finish for a long time or something that might need a little help from a friend. You can get up as early as you want and stay up as late as you want, or check out the quilt shops/knitting shops in the area if you need some retail therapy too. Grab an afternoon nap or work out in the gym (no pool).

**Who Comes:** Anyone who wants to have fun and perhaps finish that Quilt project. Bring a friend that you want to spend a weekend with. Make new friends or find some "me" time. Quilters, hookers, fiber artists and knitters. Members and Non Members.

How long have we been going to Retreat? This is our 28th year but our first year at the Stonebridge and we are so very excited.

What to Bring: Everything you want to work on and the equipment to make it happen. Maybe an extra light if you need that at home. There will be a few ironing boards supplied and we will bring a couple of irons from the Centre—you are also welcome to bring your own. While hotel policy is that no additional food can be brought in, in your room you can have whatever you wish. Our usual snack table in the room is, however, fine and they are happy to let us bring in our own lunches on Friday or you can head over to the Pasto's Grill attached to the hotel, and order a lunch to eat in there or take out. Every room has a fridge, microwave and Keurig. Room check-in is 4:00 pm on Friday and check-out 11:00 am on Sunday, however, we will be there and quilting in the Ballroom from 9am Friday until Sunday at 5 pm.

Restrictions: Scent free environment.

## Cost: Double \$337.00 Triple \$286.00 Single Room \$489.00

Cheques need to be made out to the Oxford Quilters' Guild. Mail application (fill in box below) and cheque to the address below by the end of January or money can be e-transferred to Judy and room info emailed to her. Security question is "The city the guild meets in?" judymillard47@hotmail.com

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Name:		
Phone Number:	Email:	
Room mate Name(s) or Single Room:		

**Meals:** We are trying something new this retreat and are going to have the lunches and suppers catered buffet style in our ballroom at separate eating tables:

Friday night 5:30pm we will enjoy fajitas and Mexican salad, coffee/tea/herbal tea & dessert.

**Saturday lunch 12:30** will be sandwiches/wraps and soup de jour, potato chips, coffee/tea/herbal tea & lemon bars.

Saturday supper 5:30pm will be rotisserie chicken, garden salad, rolls, roasted potatoes, vegetables and dessert., coffee/tea/herbal tea.

**Sunday lunch 12:30pm** will be artesian sandwiches/wraps and potato salad, coffee/tea/herbal tea and dessert.

\*\* can bring your own can of pop to meals

**Breakfast** on Saturday and Sunday will be in **Pasto's Grill**, the restaurant is attached to the hotel and just down the hallway from our sewing room, anytime between 6:30-9:30 a.m. on Saturday and 7:00-10:00 a.m. on Sunday.

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The hotel is located at 401 and Colonel Talbot (Highway #4) Road, the hotel is on the South side of 401, and Burtwistle Lane is the street you turn off of Highway #4. The exit is 177 (if coming from London, take the 177 South exit—there are two exits, the first is North, then go under the road, and take the second one---177 South). I believe there is only one exit off of the 401 if coming from the other direction on the 401.

\*\*\* FYI Drive around the left of the hotel to the back (around the Restaurant and to the back of the hotel) to unload your sewing equipment. There is a door directly across a small hall from our ballroom (the Somerset Room) to the outside so should be easy to bring in our quilting equipment through that door. Our hotel rooms will also be on the first floor, close to where we will be quilting.