

Quilt Norfolk –Tutor Profiles

Gina Burgess has been teaching Patchwork and Quilting since 1996 and regularly teaches both in metropolitan Adelaide as well as travelling to teach at country groups and interstate. Gina enjoys all forms of quilting but her special interest lies in machine applique and quilting which is reflected in her work. So began her interest in realistic stained glass designs interpreted in fabric. She has produced several original design patterns and has had projects published in national patchwork and quilting magazines

Gina believes that workshops should be informative and productive but above all fun and promotes a relaxed stress free atmosphere during her workshops. Gina lives in the beautiful seaside town of Port Noarlunga, South Australia.

Sue Wege has tried every craft fad that came along but in 1989 she was introduced to Patchwork and she caught the bug! She has conducted patchwork classes since the early 1990s at Jenny's Sewing Centre at Angaston in the Barossa Valley, South Australia Sue belongs to the Embroiderers' Guild of SA, Vine Patch Quilters (local patchwork group) as well as the Quilters' Guild of SA. where she is a member of both the Judging and Valuation Panels

Nikki Tervo started her own business 13 years ago, working from home, with two kids, on the corner of her dining room table. Beginning with 10 different handmade ceramic buttons and bartering for fabric with her local quilt shops, the range has now over 500 different buttons and well over 120 different quilt and stitchery designs. All the buttons are still hand painted by Nikki herself to keep that individual and personal touch. After starting with just \$1000 investment Nikki and her husband John now support their family doing what they do best- buttons and stitching.

Having travelled extensively around Australia for the last 10 years teaching, her favourite classes are for the beginner, although having learnt so much herself, she is also a very accomplished quilter and stitcher, so has a lot to offer anyone who shares her love of quilting. Always guaranteed a good laugh as you learn, no matter what level you think you are, then you will find Nikki's classes informative and relaxing. www.handcraftedbuttons.com

Michele Hill lives in South Australia and began her quilting journey in 1986 and has been addicted since! Appliqué is her passion – especially designing quilts with William Morris as inspiration. Michelle has been teaching quilting for 20 years and specialises in appliqué and design. She is also a member of the Quilters Guild of South Australia Inc and has served on several committees. Sue has won many awards including –

BEST OF SHOW: "Footsteps from the Past" Quilters Guild of South Australia
2007 Exhibition

1st Place Professional Small Quilt "William Morris Magic" Quilters Guild of South
Australia 2007 Exhibition

1st Place Professional Appliqué "What is Colour?" Quilters Guild of South
Australia 2007 Exhibition

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Please note that should you want to take a class that requires a sewing machine that you will have to take your own or we have limited numbers of machines available for rental on Norfolk.

Gina and Sue's classes both require the use of machines.

Each tutor will deliver their workshop twice. This allows each participant 2 workshops over the four day event. Class sizes are limited so early bookings are needed to ensure your first choices. When you book, please list your order of preference for workshops and best endeavours will be made to meet this.