

Our guild banner

In honour of the 35th anniversary of The Sudbury and District Quilting & Stitchery Guild we designed and built a permanent display of the technical skills achieved by our members in the form of a Guild Banner. Daintry Chitaroni initiated and designed the project, and the painted tree background panel was donated by Catherine Sloan. Pat Jacobson (owner of Country Quilter) donated many of the batik fabrics for the border.

Our Quilting members were challenged to make a block no larger than 4 ½” using batik fabrics. Our Stitchers were encouraged to make a stitched leaf using any technique. The projects were collected and attached to a batik tree panel using hand appliqué. Straggler blocks were added to the sides and bottom. Flying Geese blocks frame our banner and it was hand quilted over the summer.

Unveiling took place at our Guild Banquet in April 2011. We now take it with us for most guild activities and display our Banner proudly at Quilts on the Rocks.

All members who participated in this project are listed on the label stitched to the back of the quilt. (See the label photo)

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