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## President's Message

I hope you all had the sort of December season you most enjoy, whether that's spending time with family, eating great food, connecting to traditions that are meaningful to you or just sitting in a comfy chair muttering "Bah humbug". As one does, from time to time!

As things start back up after the holiday season, we jump right back into things with our first Guild meeting of 2026. Please join us on Monday January 5 at 1 pm for our monthly gathering. Doors open at 12:30 pm!

There will be many announcements of exciting events coming up, and I hope we can all share some time together, as we make 2026 a great year for quilting and friendship

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## Next Meeting

Our next meeting is **January 5, 2026**  
**@1:00pm**. Doors open at 12:30pm. It will be  
in-person only at the Trinity United Church.  
\*see page 2 for meeting reminders!

For Information on Slow Quilting, Sew Zoom  
and other Guild Activities check out our  
Website Calendar:  
<https://mahonebayquiltersguild.com/events/>

## Workshop News

While there are no workshops scheduled for January, several exciting sessions are already in the works for the months ahead. Stay tuned for details.

As we welcome a fresh New Year, it's the perfect moment to look ahead to your next quilting adventure—whether that means de-stashing, tackling a few UFOs, or dreaming up what you'll create for our Quilt Show in September. Wishing everyone a creative, cozy, and inspiring start to 2026.

Happy New Year,  
Josie(Pina) & Didi

## Meeting Reminders

Meeting is at Trinity United Church Hall, Mahone Bay:

- Doors open at 12:30 pm, meeting begins at 1:00 pm
- Wear a name tag, please
- Meetings are scent free
- Blue and white themed fat quarter(s) for draw

Sheena Gibbs, Newsletter Chair