



# Chainstitch

## Otago Embroiderers' Guild Inc

### July 2018

#### COMMITTEE

<b>President</b>	<b>Brenda Burton</b>
<b>Vice President</b>	<b>Mary Flaherty</b>
<b>Secretary</b>	<b>Di Daly</b>
<b>Treasurer</b>	<b>Jane Carroll</b>
Catering	Sharon Evans/Cathrine Waite
Chainstitch	Nicky Van der Jagt
Hostess/Project Group	Mary Flaherty
Library	Erin Wheeler/ Vicki Miller
Programme	Nicky Van der Jagt/Pearl Stenhouse
Raffles	Pearl Stenhouse
Treasure Chest	Shelley Scoular
Website	Shelley Scoular
<b>Roster</b>	
Catering	Jan Wilson/Ingrid Emerson
Library	Jill Davidson
Raffles	Kay Evans/Merrilyn Williams
Treasure Chest	Jean Mulholland
Hostess	Jan Letts

(please note if you are attending the Phillipa Turnbull class and you are on this months roster you will be covered – don't panic!!)

**If you would like to share information with OEG members via Chainstitch  
please email Nicky at [nicolajagt@gmail.com](mailto:nicolajagt@gmail.com)**

#### MEETING

Leith Bowling Club, 2 Duke St, Woodhaugh

**Saturday July 28 – Day Meeting**

#### THURSDAY MORNING WORKSHOP

**Senior Citizens Rooms, Lower Octagon 9.30am – 11.45am**  
Cost: \$1 tea/coffee. You must be a member of a Guild to attend workshop.

## PRESIDENT'S NOTE

Hello everyone

I am busy preparing for my first trip to conference later this week and I am looking forward to attending Margaret Lights class (The morning glory and wallflower needle fold)

In regard to the updating of the constitution we hope we have covered everyone's concerns and suggestions and will circulate the final proposal and the notice of special general meeting to you soon. It will be held at the August Saturday meeting as many members were involved in a class on the July Saturday and were unable to be present.

We already have one application for the Gay Eaton Memorial scholarship. Please remember to get applications in by the August meeting. We will have some copies of the requirements at the next meeting for anyone without computer access.

How are you finding the raffle prizes? Do you approve of the move to some items such as plants, by tickets sales we suspect you do. Please let us know any thoughts you have about prizes.

Plans are underway for the exhibition at the end of the year, this time to be held at the Dunedin gallery just south of the octagon. It will be exciting to see all your efforts once again.

Soup will be available again this month and thanks to the\_lovely ladies who toil over the hot stove for us. I tried the Parsnip and pear one last month and thought it was delicious!! Maybe we should start a recipe book!!

Happy stitching.



# PROGRAMME

## Buttercups – Desiree Simpson

Requirements List:

**Kitset - \$6.00 - includes silk ribbon, background fabric stabilized and overlocked, netting, organza, nylon thread, variegated stranded cotton and picture/notes.**



**You will need:-**

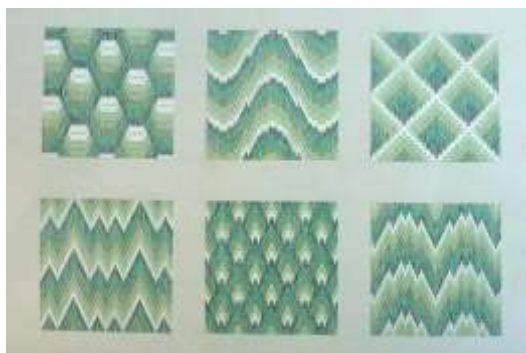
**Usual sewing kit including a chenille needle  
Stranded cottons in three or four greens, ecru, buttercup yellow and light tan  
Fabric marking pencil  
Embroidery frame approx. 6" size - optional  
Photo frame with 4" x 6" opening**

**Please confirm your interest for this class directly with Desiree as soon as possible to enable her to make kits up.**

**My apologies for the lateness of the chainstitch,**

## Bargello - Marilyn Weare

Please bring a piece of evenweave fabric or canvas and threads to match.  
please note the picture is a sample only as this is a techniques class.



**Childrens Stitching : Hoop Art – Nicky van der Jagt**  
(something similar but of your own design) \$3 for hoop – stitching supplies provided

## SHOW AND TELL

We look forward to viewing your embroidery work, past or present, or as a work in progress. Please write your name and the technique used on a card to inform members.

## NOTICES

The Guild meeting scheduled for August will be a Special General Meeting to allow voting for the amended constitution.

PLEASE NOTE: this is advanced warning only - not formal notification.

## Our Guild Exhibit at ANZEG Conference.



Looks Fantastic! Thanks everyone who contributed for your amazing work.

## Pearls Soup!

Several of you enjoyed Pearls soup at our last meeting and so she has kindly shared the recipe:

3 Tbsp oil  
4 large parsnips peeled and diced  
2 Pears cored, peeled and diced  
3 Shallots or 1 Red onion diced,  
a piece of ginger as long as your small finger grated,  
1/2 tsp curry powder  
1/2 tsp turmeric  
1/2 tsp garam masala  
1/2 stick lemongrass pounded  
salt and pepper to taste  
1ltr vegetable or chicken stock  
Soften onion in oil add everything else but Pears and simmer till soft.  
Add Pears and cook for 5 minutes.  
Cool slightly then transfer to blender and process till smooth.  
Enjoy.

## EVENTS

Phillipa Turnbull Weekend class Dunedin <i>Dunedin Leisure Lodge.</i>	27 - 28 July
Hazel Blomkamp	Te Anau 13 - 14 August
Otago Guild Exhibition	Dunedin 10 - 19 November

## Contacts

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