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Kia Ora Guild Members,

What a month, one minute I am at home and the next I am on the Great Lakes of Canada and the USA.

Working full time does present some exciting opportunities in my line of work 😊

I was particularly inspired by my travels after the Cruise with some of Frank Lloyd Wright's amazing architecture, he was a visionary for his time. As my husband is a timber joiner we could ooh and ahh over lots of things together. Happy to share more stories if people are interested.

I am very much looking forward to the HBC and Warkworth Regional day on the 5th October and home to see as many of you as possible, please come up and say hi. I am also going to the 35th Anniversary celebrations at Counties, so a busy week indeed.

Calendars and Diaries are available don't forget to order yours:

<https://www.embroiderynz.co.nz/diary-calendar> to purchase <https://www.embroiderynz.co.nz/shop>

Conference 2024 in the Gallery. Here's the link to the Gallery

<https://www.embroiderynz.co.nz/gallery>

Reminder:

Capitation, please remember to get this paid up with Catherine our ANZEG Treasurer there are some Guilds who have not paid yet 😊

If there is anything you want to discuss or share, please reach out to me.

Happy Stitching,

Jo



Dates to remember:

Regional Days: October 5th – Hibiscus Coast/Warkworth Guilds Diary - Flat Hall 9? -2?

NNIR Guild Exhibitions 2024:

East Auckland - September 4th -9th, Uxbridge, Howick (excluding Sunday) 10 am – 4pm
Counties – October TBA

Coromandel - November 7th – 17th, Hauraki House, Coromandel

Other events

Stitch Tui 11 -13 October 2024

2025

NNI Exhibition at Orewa Estuary Arts in September

The Embroiderers' Great Escape - 28 -30 March 2025

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Celebration Ladies - I received the 151 st Registration for Great Escape

2025, 46 of these registrations are for a weekend class & an after class! We are now back to our pre-pandemic numbers. It will be great to see everyone enjoying the Great Escape next year.

With a larger number of participants at the weekend, we are needing donations of new items for our raffle prizes, everyone loves to win- this adds to the great weekend feelings! This is a NNIR event, we are hoping Guilds can help us with either some items for raffle prizes or a monetary donation with which Tracey, our raffle co-ordinator, can purchase some things to supplement our raffle prizes,

The other area we would like your help with is the Step Toe table. Each year we work hard to have lots of "out of the ordinary" things to tempt you, items you didn't know you needed until you saw it at a bargain price at Great Escape.

If your Guild's sales table stocks are overflowing, or you know of a crafts person who is having a clean out, please contact me & I will organise the surplus to be collected.

Our Great Escape class samples will be on display for the final time at Regional Day on 5th October. If you haven't already registered, have a look & see what class takes your fancy. We will have registration forms available.

Cheers Kim

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