



Chester Ps & Qs

March Newsletter

Next meeting

18th March 2026

Burley Hall, Waverton, CH3 7QN

7.30pm Doors open 7pm



Practical Session making Fidget Mats

Raffle

Fidget Mats AKA fiddle blankets!

Please bring your sewing kits and several pieces of material six and a half inches square plus some wadding to go under the squares the same size. Lots of different bits can be brought to make the squares interesting including large buttons, bits of rope, touching material and zips. There will be an assortment on display with a mat.

We have contact with a nursing home that will take any number of completed fiddle blankets. Just add a loop of ribbon so they can be hung up when not in use.

Chairperson's Challenge – Urgent Request

Linda needs all unfinished stars in at the March meeting. If you took a pack but are unable to complete it, please return that too. The quilt has to be finished and submitted in the first week of June, so time is of the essence.



5 Minute Quilt Presentation at
February Meeting

Bed Time Subscription

by Sally Greenwood

£ Annual subscription reminder £

£35 due now with a review in September as agreed at the AGM. If you can pay by BAC that would be great, each cheque and cash deposit cost the group 42p.

BAC: Account name Chester & District Patchworkers and Quilters
Account number 24209668
Sort code 30 54 66
Ref: put CD then your initials. If you know if your Ps & Qs number

Next meeting...

15th April, Upton Village Hall

Wonderful Clamshells

Molly Brown's Emporium

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PAT Testing will be available at the next meeting – more details later

What's on locally?

Cosmic Threads Community Quilts Exhibition

24th Jan – 27th March 2026

Jodrell Bank SK11 9DW
Jodrellbank.net

Quiltfest North

6th June – 28th June

(closed Mondays and Tuesdays)

The Coach House Gallery,
Astley Hall, Chorley, PR7 1XA

Malpas Fabric Arts Group Quilting and Textile Exhibition

The Watergate Centre,
5 Watergate St, Whitchurch SY131DW

Exhibition of Work, Quilting Supplies, Refreshments

Entrance £3, to include prize draw (proceeds to Stroke Association)

Contact: Penny Hearn 07730 604881

Let me know of any exhibitions or events which would interest our members and I'll add the details to the next newsletter. *ed*

Looking for a New Home....

White plastic quilt frame specially made by R&R Craft Frames for resting on a single bed.

The legs are removable for easy storage. Ideal for a quilter who has to/likes to quilt in bed regardless of the size of the bed.

Also 22" oval wooden quilt frame.

Willing to pass these on in exchange for a small contribution to Chester Ps&Qs or to Project Linus.

Email jennym@gmx.co.uk



Superb quilting cannot be guaranteed – that's up to you!*Ed*