



## Chester Ps & Qs

### May Newsletter

Next meeting

20<sup>th</sup> May 2026

Upton Village Hall

7.30pm Doors open 7pm



May Meeting



**Travels in Textiles**  
**Nikki Parmenter**

“During my talks I explain the development of my work from paper pieces to larger mixed media images in which textiles feature strongly. I bring a wide range of examples and discuss the techniques that I use as well as the inspiration behind each piece”.

**Raffle**  
**Refreshments**

## Molly Brown's Emporium

### Wonderful Clamshells – Talk at April Meeting



# What's on locally?



Quilts in 5 weeks  
May Morris:  
Crafting a Legacy  
25 Apr 2026 - 16th May 2026  
Lloyds Lower Art Gallery



Threads Through the Bible

By textile artist

Jacqui Parkinson

Chester Cathedral

May 9<sup>th</sup> – June 28<sup>th</sup> 2026

Let Margaret Gordon know of any forthcoming events which would interest our members and she will add the details to the next newsletter

## Your committee

Lyn Hillier - Chair

Janet Edwards – Secretary

Joan Goodwin – Treasurer

Christine Armstrong – Membership Secretary

Margaret Gordon – Communications Manager

Marion Borg and Gill Pugh – Programme Managers

Barbara Harrison – Advisor

Margaret McArthur – Project Linus rep

## Next meeting...

17<sup>th</sup> June 2026

Upton Village Hall

Members Show and Social  
Tell and Mini Book Fest

## January 4 Corners

Volunteers are needed to lead three of the four corners at this very popular annual event. Please let Marian, Gill or a member of the committee know if you are willing to help or have a good idea.

## PAT Testing

For those of you who missed the April event, Marion will bring the testing equipment to the June Meeting. This is especially important for those who wish to join the planned workshops.

## Workshops for 2026/27

We have booked Burley Memorial Hall for the first Saturday in the month from September.

If you would like to join us to learn more about patchwork and quilting, look for the form to express your interest at the May meeting.

## Annual Fees

A few people have not yet paid their subs! The annual fee is **£35**.

We will remind you at this meeting where you can pay using your card.

NB. Membership will be revised to reflect those who have paid at the end of May.

**Details of Lloyds business account**

**Chester & District Patchworkers and Quilters**

**Sort code: 30-54-66**

**Account number 24209668**

## Useful Contacts

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