

THOUSAND ISLANDS QUILTERS' GUILD



Dear TIQG members,

The Thousand Islands Quilters' Guild is offering a one-day bus trip to **Quilt Canada, at the International Centre in Mississauga on Thursday June 19, 2025**. The bus will leave Athens at 7:00 am, make a pickup stop in Brockville and drive to Mississauga. Participants will have approximately 6 hours to see the National Juried Show and related exhibits and to visit the vendors' mall. The bus will depart for Brockville at 5:00 pm, returning to Athens by 9:00 pm.

There will be one **brief** comfort stop at a 401 Enroute each way. In order to maximize our time at the show everyone is expected to bring their own meals/snacks to eat on the bus. You will be able to leave a cooler bag on board the bus during the day. Lunch will be available to purchase at the show.

If you are interested, we require a **\$50 nonrefundable deposit by September 15, 2024, to secure your seat on the bus**. If seats are still available after this date, we will open the invitation to friends and members of other guilds. We expect that the **total cost per person will not exceed \$125** and will include all bus fees and the show admission. The final cost per person will be determined by the total number of participants, the final 2025 bus rental rate and show entry fee. If we do not have a sufficient number of participants signed up by October 15, we will cancel the trip and refund your deposit. If you change your mind at any time the money you have paid is nonrefundable. You are welcome to find another person to take your place.

To reserve your seat, pay \$50 deposit - cash, cheque payable to TIQG or e-transfer to treasurer@thousandislandsquiltersguild.com . (Just like paying membership dues.) Please note on your cheque or e-transfer that this payment is a deposit for the bus trip.

We think that this is a great opportunity for our members to see Quilt Canada without the hassle of driving.

Heather Tolton and Liz Healy

Bus Trip Co-ordinators