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NEWS FROM THE PRESIDENT

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WELCOME

Our 23rd edition of Lace_E News - the ALG NSW Branch's monthly newsletter.

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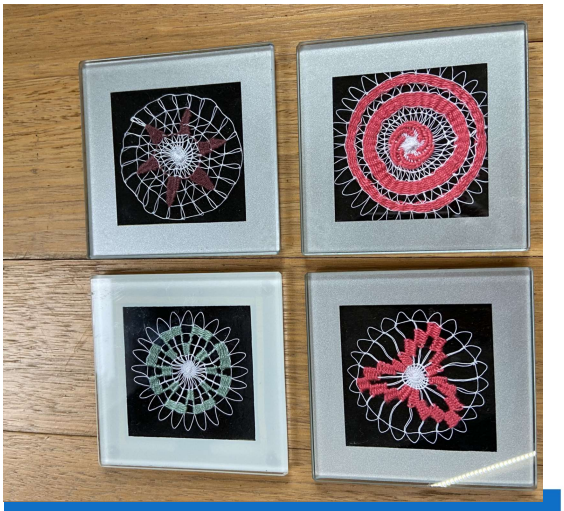

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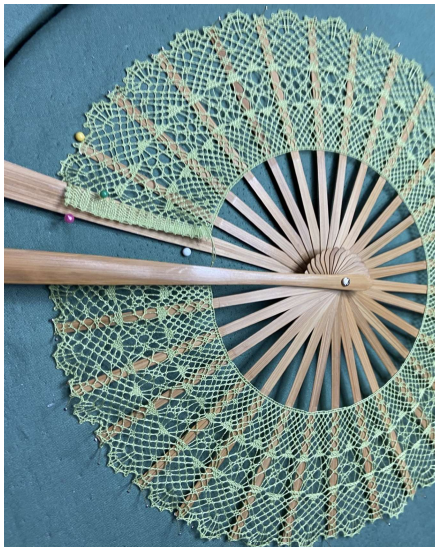


NEWS

From the Committee

Dear Members,

Welcome to the September edition of Lace_E News! We had a wonderful National Conference and members enjoyed the workshops, social lace, meeting with friends and making new ones over lace. You'll see the President's report on the next page.

We also have some sad news to share this month as another lovely lady is lost to the lace world. Tanya Carney lost her battle with cancer and sadly passed away. A lovely lady, former state president and excellent lacemaker.

Please get in touch with the committee if you have anything you'd like to share for our future newsletters by emailing: laceguildnsw@gmail.com

Thank you,

NSW Branch Committee

From the President

Welcome to the Lace_E_Newsletter, apologies for missing August which was due to computer issues.

I'm just back from three days of lace at the National Conference held at Perthville, near Bathurst. I booked in for social lace for two days, and wow didn't the social lace makers have a good time.

Not having ventured into social lace before, I didn't know what to expect but was hoping to restart my Bedfordshire edge that had been languishing on a pillow for three or four years. So how was the social lace group? I met members of the guild from all states, some I had previously meet at conferences, but most were new to me. A variety of lace was being made, bobbin and needle lace, some big projects, others smaller but no less interesting. Lots of ideas and suggestions for lacemaking and lace events, some of which I will take to the NSW committee for consideration for next year.

My favourite projects were Bridget Fairchild's needle lace puffin and Gaye Beswick's dragon's tail which will be part of a 3-dimensional dragon. And my Bedfordshire edge got sorted out and restarted so I can continue and hopefully finish the edge soon.

National AGM

New South Wales paid for the professional broadcasting of the AGM on Zoom and I'm happy to report that 31 members logged in to view the meeting and vote for the new committee representatives. A guild member even logged in from Japan.

A big thank you to the NSW members who took the time to Zoom the AGM. Your support made the NSW Committee's decision to Zoom the meeting a success.

AGM memories!

AGM Updates

From Barbara

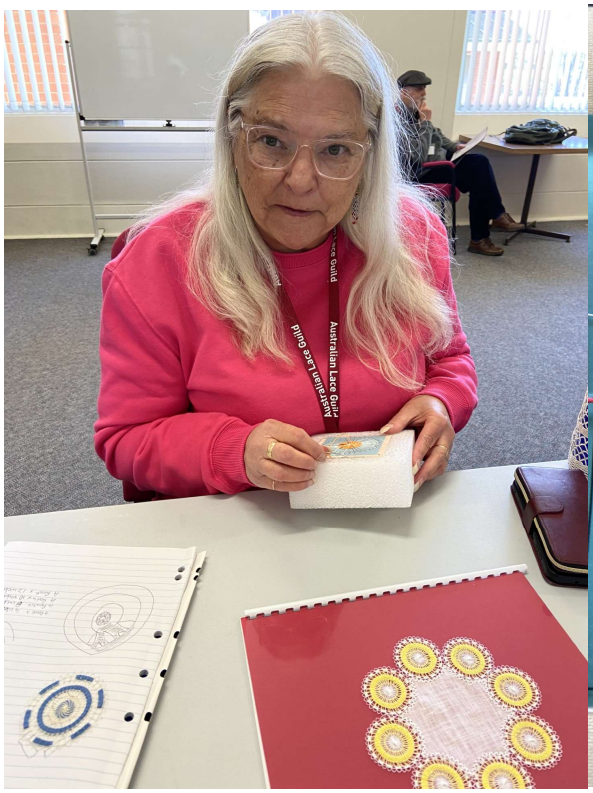
There was a wonderful display of lace, workshops, lace related artisan products and social event filled with lacemakers.

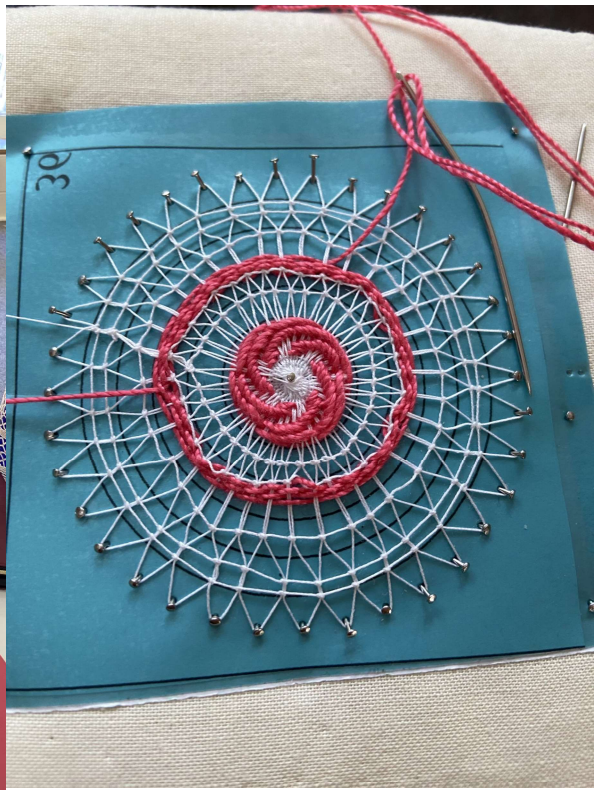
The New South Wales display:

Image on the right: Bridget Fairchild selling hand painted bobbins to Mary Elizabeth Barron AGM day

Bev Blackwell at AGM dinner

AGM Tutor for Teneriffe Christine Handcock from SA. An excellent tutor. Margaret Hertle (NSW Orange) and I had an inspirational 4 days.





World Lace Festival

Isa has her beautiful lace that is part of the World Lace Festival in Slovakia.

You can go to the Facebook Page here:
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19. Autor súťažnej práce: Isa Hargraves, Earlwood - Austrália

Názov súťažnej práce: Sen utečencov v čipke

19. Author of the competition work: Isa Hargraves, Earlwood - Australia

Title of competition work: Refugees' Dream in Lace