

## The Grand National Quilt Show, *Connections* Group Award sponsored by Northcott



### **Spur of the Moment**

**Art KWilt Connection:** (left to right)  
**Judy Pearce**, Kitchener, **Nancy Winn**  
Waterloo, **Ilene Atkins**, Kitchener,  
**Margaret Notar**, Waterloo, **Dorothy**  
**Holdenmeyer**, Waterloo, Ontario, 2015

*Assorted commercial and tea-dyed fabrics, leather, vinyl, metal, Teflon, buttons, satin cording, Tsukineko ink. Hand-painted, raw and finished edge fusible appliqué, paper pieced, collaged with nets, machine stitched, embroidered and machine quilted. 72" x 34"*

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Trains have been a vital part of our region's history, connecting it over many decades to other regions far and near. Art KWilt Connection is a newly formed group of art quilters. Many of us have a strong ancestral connection to our country's spur history. Each group member was given a slice of the larger picture to work, using the medium of her choice to best reflect the era to be represented. By working on this project together, we, the artists have enjoyed our newly formed connection and look forward to creating many more pieces together.