

# ENTERTAINMENT Notes

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## ARTIST OF THE WEEK



Adrian Lysenko/NNSL photo

**Textile artist Shawna Lampi-Legaree** works on the piece, *Bankers who broke the world*, on Sunday at her home on Bromley Drive. The piece will be featured in the artist's exhibit, *Through Her Eyes*, at the Prince of Wales Northern Heritage Centre opening on May 8.

**TEXTILE ARTIST** Shawna Lampi-Legaree first learned to quilt when she was pregnant with her third son and has since turned it into her passion.

"I just love the feel of it," said Lampi-Legaree. "I love the creating a texture with the quilting, so I quilt everything heavily.

"Since January I've been really heavy-duty, spending every waking moment quilting, and the other day I was machine quilting another piece and thinking 'you know, I'm going to be glad to be doing something other than quilting but damn, I love quilting.'"

The artist has been preparing for her first major solo exhibit, *Through Her Eyes*, at the Prince of Wales Northern Heritage Centre opening on May 8.

The show will feature 10 large quilted pieces portraying issues from feminism to global warming to global debt.