



## Quilts for Kids:

Volunteer quilters transforming fabrics into patchwork quilts that comfort children in need

### Northeast Georgia Chapter

August 2014

This month's memorable events included a trip to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, Scottish Rite, to deliver 25 quilts. Assisting me on the trip was Carol Johnson pictured below. We are not allowed to deliver quilts to the kids but the volunteer services department was glad to see our beautiful quilts.

Also this month, I received a phone call from Christine R. who lives in Kennesaw and is moving to Tampa soon. I had purchased fabric from her two years ago that she had advertised on Craig's List. She was calling to offer a donation of fabric to our chapter. "Why yes, we'd love to have it," I said. And what a bounty it was! Thanks Christine, our kids will love these fabrics.

Thanks to all who have signed out kits this month and turned in completed quilts. I had thought it would be a slower month for our production but as you can see on page 2, it was a busy month despite vacations. The three neighborhood sewing groups have also been actively gearing up and working hard. Our stash of quilts is good as we enter the new month. We'll be ready for the cooler weather. Keep stitching and we'll keep giving them away. We didn't hit 800 for our 28 months in "business" but could tomorrow as we begin August.

Good job everyone!

Betty Wright, Chapter Leader



### Quilt Deliveries this month

|                                           | <u>Baby-Toddler</u> | <u>Pre-school</u> | <u>Elementary</u> | <u>Teens</u>    |
|-------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| <u>Age</u>                                | <u>birth -2yrs</u>  | <u>3-5yrs</u>     | <u>6-11yrs</u>    | <u>12-17yrs</u> |
| Boys                                      | 3                   | 2                 | 2                 |                 |
| Girls                                     | 3                   | 1                 |                   | 3               |
| Misc. left for nurses station to give out |                     | 10                |                   |                 |
| Scottish Rite CHOA                        |                     | 25                |                   |                 |

### Quilts delivered to:

|                                   |    |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Northeast Ga Med Center           | 23 |
| Gateway Domestic Violence Shelter | 0  |
| Family Promise                    | 1  |
| Other (CHOA Scottish Rite)        | 25 |

### Totals for the month:

#### KITS

57 Cut  
29 Given out  
0 Mailed out

#### QUILTS

39 Finished  
18 Donated

Total quilts given to kids in this month 49

Total quilts given in 2014 257

Total quilts given since Chapter began in 2012 794\*\*\*

\*\*\*Stay tuned next month, we'll hit 800, just couldn't make it this time...



July 3rd workshop, Betty G. (right) turned in 12 quilt tops, one made from squares made by Jan D. (left). Betty G. and Chris A. in middle row photo. Betty has pieced 54 tops and 9 kits in the one year she has been helping us. WOW!





Pictured are some of the finished quilts turned in this month.

















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**Thanks for:**

**Fabulous Fabric:** Christine P., Sharlene S., Carol J., Christine R.

**Donated Quilts:** Cresswind Quilters, Jan D., Marilou C. Julie M.,  
Margaret Mc., Jane B., Anne K., Diane M.,

**New Volunteers:** Mary E., Jonnie G., Charlotte B.



Please direct any questions regarding donations to:

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*Quilts for Kids is a 501C3 charity.*



# Workshop Dates

## Family Life Center (A/C Room)

First Baptist Gainesville

751 Green Street Gainesville, Ga. 30501

10:00am to 2:00 pm

Aug 7, Sept 4, Oct 2, Nov 6, Dec 4

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## Hopewell UMC Fellowship Hall

4723 Hopewell Church Road

Gainesville (Murrayville area)

10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Aug 12, Sept 9, Oct 14, Nov 11, Dec 9

**Bring your machine or cutting materials and your lunch and join us for cutting, sewing and fellowship!**

