



Quilts for Kids:

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

Northeast Georgia Chapter

April 2021

www.NeGaQuiltsforkids.org

WORKSHOPS ARE OPEN

You heard right, we'll begin meeting on April 1st at First Baptist Gainesville and on April 13th at Hopewell UMC near Murrayville from 10:00am until 2:00pm. Bring your lunch, sewing or cutting supplies and your mask. There will be a celebration for our 9th birthday too. Please join us and let's catch up on what's been happening and continue to make quilts for our kids.

March has been a great month for our chapter. See page 2 for details of a donation that we won. Thanks Joann!

As you look at page 4 at the quilts we donated in March, notice the volume. 104 quilts! Way to go! And actually, this is not all. We were given 43 items that really don't qualify as quilts and did not contain batting so I didn't attach a label and count them. However, these little blankets were too precious not to share so I found a recipient who could use them. It's the Little Steps Day Care at Family Promise which cares for other kids besides the Family Promise children. They will use them as nap pads which will stay at the site. (Family Promise kids already receive quilts from us.)

Thanks to Dianne F. from the Spirited Quilters Guild for delivering the quilts to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta and being the liaison for our chapter. In addition to the quilts she delivered to both hospitals, the guild donated 47 pillowcases for the children.

As you can see, things are happening for our chapter and the future looks bright for us. Do you have your shades ready?



Join us if you can but be sure to help as you can. It's for the kids but helps us too.

Betty Wright, chapter leader

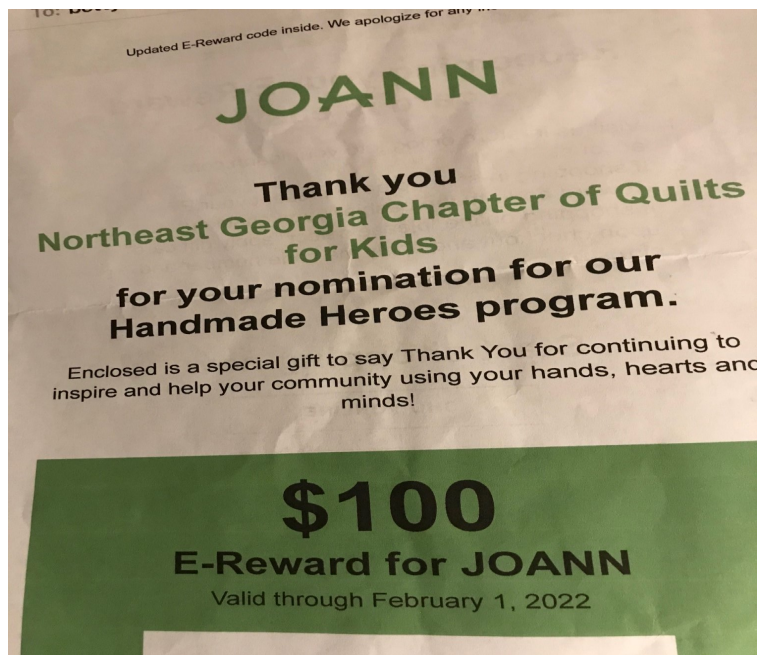
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of Quilts for Kids

One stitch, one quilt, one kid at a time...

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Congratulations

On an email I received from Joann's was a quick mention of an award nomination form. I clicked on it, filled it out and look what we received. I believe it was created with the mask-makers in mind but our efforts have been going on for much longer than the pandemic, so I told our story.



With this \$100, I purchased the fabric pictured below. It totaled slightly over 19 yards. Along with the fabric I had recently bought from headquarters, we are set to make some fine-looking quilts for our kids.

Remember if you see a notice of grants/awards or giveaways, please nominate our chapter of Quilts for Kids. We can use the prizes and it helps to tell our story!



**DEAR
SEWING MACHINE**

**THANKS FOR ALWAYS
CLEARING MY HEAD,
HEALING MY HEART AND
HEALING MY SPIRITS.**





Drop off Sites for Quilts

Check with shop for store hours

** Kits to sign out to sew are available also.*

Georgia Sewing & Quilting*

81 Maddox Buford. GA

Thread Bear Fabrics

515 Sawnee Corners Blvd #500, Cumming, GA 30040

Hall County Quilt Guild *

Chestnut Mtn Presbyterian Church 4733 Winder Hwy

(Hwy 53) Flowery Branch, GA on 1st Monday 10am to noon in Fellowship Hall

Quilt N Kaboodle*

1628-B Highway 115 East, Cleveland, GA 30528

Quilt Deliveries

March

Northeast Ga Med Ctr 34

Gateway DV Shelter 4

Piedmont Athens Reg Med Ctr 16

Adventure Bags 11

Egleston—CHOA 19

Scottish Rite—CHOA 20

MONTHLY TOTAL 104

This Year 173

Since we started in 2012..... 6148

Workshop Dates



Family Life Center (A/C Room)

First Baptist Gainesville
751 Green Street Gainesville, Ga. 30501

April 1, May 6, June 3



Hopewell UMC Fellowship Hall

4723 Hopewell Church Road
Gainesville (Murrayville area)

April 13, May 11, June 7

Nicholson (Quilting with Friends)

175 Lakeview Dr. Nicholson, GA 30565

Cancelled until further notice

Gainesville Evening

311 Jesse Jewell Parkway Ste 101
Gainesville (Downtown)

6:30 PM

Cancelled until further notice



Wear your mask and social distance.



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

