



Quilts for Kids:

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

Northeast Georgia Chapter

January 2022

www.NeGaQuiltsforkids.org

Santa Came Early

December began with our grandson giving me a cutting table from his sign printing business. He was buying a new one and the current one he made was free to me. Could I use a 5x12 foot table? I'd find a place to put it and be glad to use it.

The day after the table was delivered, I received a phone call from the owner of the former Magical Threads Shop in Dahlonaga. Would I want some kid's fabric and lots of panels? Why sure! After picking it up and counting it all, I had 1353 yards of fabric. 214 of which was panels.

The next week I met a donor from Cumming who was giving me eight fleece tied blankets. Members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints had made them for us to give out. We met at Thread Bear Fabrics and while I was there, Janet the owner, asked if I had received her email. She has a fabric donation for me. 220 yards of beautiful fabrics went home with me that day.

During the next days, I reorganized the fabric, panels and scraps. See page 3 for photos of all the fabric we now have. Everyone says how awful 2021 has been, but I think of the blessings we have received. We're equipped to pass it forward as we turn all this fabulous fabric into comfort quilts for our kids.

Please consider taking a quilt kit or two during 2022. We have enough fabric to make 449 quilts not to mention the room-full I already had. The hospitals and shelters need our quilts and I need your help to make this happen. Thank you in advance for all you do for our chapter.

Happy New Year, it's starting off with a bang!

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Betty Wright, chapter leader
Northeast Georgia Chapter

of Quilts for Kids

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

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Isn't this the truth?



FYI (for those of us keeping score)

Quilts delivered in 2021 811

Year to Date since 2012 6685

Fabric donations received in 2021 2523 yards

Batting received in 2021 15 yards

Monetary Donations in 2021 \$100 Gift Card from Joanns

Thanks to all who are responsible for making 2021 a remarkable year in spite of all "life" had to offer.



Photos of the Fabrics we have to work with for 2022

- (above left) Fabrics for tops
- (above right) Fabrics for backs
- (Left) The panels
- (Right) example focus fabrics

(Below) The containers of cut squares and strips and the new table





Drop off Sites for Quilts

Check with shop for store hours

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

A Crafted Cottage *	3957 Lawrenceville-Suwanee Rd Ste C Suwanee 30024
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

December

Northeast Ga Med Ctr	46 quilts + 12 pillowcases
Piedmont Athens Reg Med Ctr	28
Gateway DV Shelter	6
MONTHLY TOTAL	80 +12

This Year	811
Since we started in 2012.....	6685

Workshop Dates

Family Life Center (A/C Room)

First Baptist Gainesville
751 Green Street Gainesville, Ga. 30501
10:00am to 2:00pm

Jan 6, Feb 3, March 3, April 7

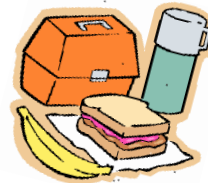
Hall County Library Murrayville

4796 Thompson Bridge Road (Hwy 60)
Gainesville, GA 30506
10:00am to 2:00pm

Jan 11, Feb 10, March 10, April 14

Nicholson (Quilting with Friends)

175 Lakeview Dr. Nicholson, GA 30565
Every Tuesday 10:00—2:00



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