



Quilts for Kids:

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

Northeast Georgia Chapter

June 2021

www.NeGaQuiltsforkids.org

Hospital census is up as RSV and other diagnoses are keeping the Pediatric floor very busy this month. This is true at North Georgia Medical Center and Athens/Piedmont Regional Medical Center. I've taken quilts to Gainesville every week in May for a total of 46 quilts. So remember that most of these patients are under the age of 2 when you are choosing a kit or using your stash. Small quilts with young children's focus fabrics are best.

As I was making my monthly visit to replenish kits and pick up finished quilts, I discovered a For Sale sign at the property of Georgia Sewing and Quilting. Our kits are still there for your convenience, but beware that it may not continue to be a drop off site in the future. I'm told that the shop will be liquidating their inventory, so keep on the lookout for that also. I'll give more information as I know it. Send any info to me if you don't mind. This saddens me especially since it's the shop where I learned to quilt and attended several years of monthly block meetings. This was my starting place and now it will be closing.

As I was digesting the above information, I heard that City Square Quilts in Houghton is closing also. All this really ruined my day and made me very sad.

Then the next day, I received an email from Janet at Thread Bear Fabrics in Cumming, telling me that she had a fabric donation for us. As usual, the fabrics are all very colorful and bright and there were 155 yards of it. Thanks Janet and Randy! You are so special and generous to our chapter.

On June 5th I will be meeting with ladies from Sewing Seeds Ministry group at Assembly of Praise in Lula, GA to meet them and give a short presentation about our chapter and sign out kits for them to sew for us. This is the second new group of this year to join us and I am so excited.

Please join us for fellowship and cutting or sewing at one of our upcoming workshops. See page 4 for dates, times and addresses. We need help to continue touching hearts with our comfort quilts.

Enjoy your Summer and thanks for all your support. Hope to see you soon.

Betty Wright, chapter leader
Northeast Georgia Chapter
of Quilts for Kids

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

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Made by Jane B. and donated to us this month. Isn't he cute?

Thanks Jane!





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

May

Northeast Ga Med Ctr

46

Gateway DV Shelter

9

Egleston (CHOA)

27

Scottish Rite (CHOA)

10

MONTHLY TOTAL

92

This Year

314

Since we started in 2012.....

6289

Workshop Dates



Family Life Center (A/C Room)

First Baptist Gainesville
751 Green Street Gainesville, Ga. 30501

10:00am to 2:00pm

June 3, July 1, Aug 5



Hopewell UMC Fellowship Hall

4723 Hopewell Church Road
Gainesville (Murrayville area)

10:00am to 2:00pm

June 8, July 13, Aug 10



Nicholson (Quilting with Friends)

175 Lakeview Dr. Nicholson, GA 30565

Every Tuesday 10:00—2:00

Gainesville Evening

311 Jesse Jewell Parkway Ste 101
Gainesville (Downtown)

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!

