Tiny Stitches Newsletter June 2015

From the Business Meeting

The clause for damage or loss of machines is still being worked on. The serger that had problems after being repaired has a history of problems and will be retired.

Susan and Frances will go through the machines at the warehouse and will donate some to Atlanta Sewing Center for parts.

For June we gave out 30 layettes (890 items) and 4 burials. For the year we have given 210 layettes (6505 items) and 36 burials.

Fabric world picked up 15 additional carts of fabric and there are 26 boxes, 4 bags and the Aramark rolls for them to get. We will get more money than is needed for the rent on the units for the year.

Thanks to those who helped with the workhouse at the warehouse. All the solid fabric is now on the shelves. There are a good many prints. We would like for everyone to help keep the shelves neat. Superior Thread had a sale on good serger thread and Susan bought 150 cones (6000 yds per cone). It will be in the warehouse.

Be sure to look on the website for items needed for the month. We were short on diaper shirts this month.

The Tennessee group picked up the fabric set aside for them.

We had a large donation of yarn, but much of it was wool and will be donated to a group that teaches refugee women to knit. We will order Pound of Love yarn and some 3 ply yarn for sweaters, hats and booties.

The Naked Sheep yarn store that was going to make things for us is closed for the summer, but they will still sponsor a day for us. Some items were donated and Leon will get them.

Personals

Leon will be having surgery.

Susan Larson has retired from the Gwinnett Daily Post and is working with a group in Oconee that makes and donates 24"X24" blankets. Gloria will check to see if they can use some of our burial blankets.

Upcoming Meetings

Pre-Pack will be July 1, 9:00 AM, at Your Extra Attic, 130 Peachtree Industrial Blvd. Sugar Hill.

Business Meeting will be July 6, 10:15 AM at Atlanta Sewing Center, 2148 Duluth Hwy., Duluth

Needs for the Month

Sleepers Large totes
Creepers Changing pads

Diaper shirts