



## **HAPPY OCTOBER!**

I hope this month keeps you in stitches.

On October 9th, 1855 Isaac Singer patented his sewing machine.

On September 9th, 1846, nine years earlier, Elias Howe had earned a patent for the same invention. Howe had gone to England and upon arriving back to the US, realized that several had capitalized on his design violating the patent. One of those violators was Singer, who had perfected the design and had sold it to many factories. After taking this matter to court, Howe began receiving royalties on all sewing machines made in the US.

Now you know the rest of the story.

## **NOVEMBER NEEDS:**

Boy/Girl Gowns

Boy/Girl Caps

Boy/Girl Large Tote Bags

Boy/Girl Socks \*(Please see note below)

Boy/Girl Sleep Sacks

Boy/Girl Sleepers

Girl Afghans


Girl Receiving Blankets

Boy Bibs

Boy Quilts

Boy Changing Pads

\*When making socks, please do not use wool yarn. Wool can be scratchy and we want to have the softest materials next to baby's skin that we can. If you are in need of yarn, there are skeins of many

colors at the warehouse for your use. 

**CALENDAR:**

October 3rd, Tuesday 10:15 Duluth Workshop at ASC

November 1st, Wednesday 9:30 Pre-pack/Pack (note time change)

November 7th, Tuesday Board Meeting 7-9 am, 10:15 Business Meeting

November 29th, Wednesday 9:30 Prepack/Pack

December 5th, Tuesday Duluth Workshop at ASC 10:15

December 27th, Wednesday 9:30 Prepack/Pack

January 2nd, Tuesday 10:15 Business Meeting

January 31st, Wednesday 9:30 Prepack/Pack

Pre-pack - 9:30 at Midgard Self-Storage/ 130 Peachtree Industrial Boulevard, Sugar Hill

Business Meeting - 10:15 at Atlanta Sewing Center/ 1248 Duluth Hwy, Duluth