



*One of our members, while checking out of Wal-Mart, happened to mention Tiny Stitches to the cashier. She brightened up immediately and told our member that she was given one of our layette bags for her baby and was indeed very grateful. In an organization where we rarely get to see the people who benefit from our handiwork and time, it is a special blessing when you do.*

### **BUSINESS MEETING NOTES:**

- \* Jerry reported that we received a check for \$1,000 from a foundation to be used specifically on warehouse rental units! Many thanks are due!
  - \* Now that there are fewer machines on the shelves and more use of them for fabric, our floors in the units are clutter free. Woo Hoo!
  - \* While we were declined for a grant from Coca Cola, they were very gracious in their reply to us. It was not that our cause was not worthy, their corporation monies go to organizations with a more global reach. I love that we tried! It is always a NO if you don't ask. We stirred up a few more names of businesses to reach out to for grant money.
  - \* GARAN is back! They have way more pallets than we can fit, but we are looking in to receiving a few by the end of the year. So, when they arrive, we would love to see you if you can help with the sort, cut and box process.
  - \* In July we packed 28 layettes, 4 burials, 920 total items
  - \* A small housekeeping note: If you are a layette bag maker, please make sure that the inside fabric matches the gender of the outside. Or is a neutral color. We have had a few where it is a boy fabric on the outside and girl on the inside or visa versa. Thank you so much!
  - \* **Workday in the warehouse, next Wednesday the 14th (9AM) See ya there!**
- With scissors 😊**

### **SEPTEMBER NEEDS:**

Boy Tote Bags  
Girl Cloth Caps  
Girl Socks  
Girl Sleepers  
Girl Lap-Front Shirts  
Boy Gowns  
Boy Cloth Caps

### **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

August 14 (Wed) Workday at the warehouse  
August 28 (Wed) Pre-pack  
**No Business Meeting in September** <-----  
Sept 25 (Wed) Pre-pack  
Oct 7 (Mon) Business Mtg

Oct 30 (Wed) Pre-pack

AND!!! Save the Date! Dec.11th (11-3) Christmas Party ❄️

\*\*\*Please Note: for the summer months we have moved the start times for pre-pack and workdays to 9:00. <-----

Pre-pack - 9:00 at Your Extra Attic/ 130 Peachtree Industrial Boulevard, Sugar Hill

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

### **Happy August All!**

You know this girl is all excited about fall, football and cooler weather somewhere close around the corner!

Happy Stitching,

Amy W.

