

News from Business Meeting

Carolyn Doyle's friend will be making the cutout tags for the bags (to label them for boy's or girl's). She will also be keeping the scrapbook up to date.

Chestatee hospital has closed its OB unit as of May 1.

Garan has offered to send us some more fabric and clothes. They will start pulling the fabric from their warehouse. Ida Boyle has asked that we have boy prints especially. We will need to consolidate the fabric in our warehouse to make room for the new fabric.

Hartwell workshop has begun with eight volunteers. We are looking forward to their contributions.

We had requests for 32 burials this month. We discussed patterns to save fabric. The current pattern for boys has the sleeve cut with the front and back. Pat Turk will see if she can modify the diaper shirt pattern to have set in sleeves.

Georgia Lucas has worked out a sock pattern made with 2 needles and sport yarn, Instructions will be available. Maria Korosi found pattern for booties made with 2 needles also. Jackie Montoulieu is working on a pattern for socks made of knit fabric.

St. Lawrence Church in Lawrenceville asked for someone to visit and explain our organization. Leon Cusson and Gloria Bantekas will go.

Susan Brunton and Debbie Vickers are working on a spread sheet showing the costs of the items in the layettes. The one that was done several years ago needs to be updated due to the increased cost of fabric and yarn.

Leon reported on Expo from March. The raffle of the afghan brought \$16, so we will no longer have a raffle. Pin cushions and other donations brought in \$284. Leon has kits available for the pin cushions for next year, if anyone would like to get a head start on them. He also has extra squares which could be sewn into quilt tops. His phone number is 678-482-6592.

Cornerstone Church will be making afghans for us this summer, but they will supply their own yarn this year.

Bunten Road Workshop will meet in May and will cut out items.

Needs for this month

Large Tote bags

Sleepers – boys and girls

Gowns - boys and girls

Lapfront shirts – boys only

Lap pads – boys only
Afghans
Quilts
Creepers and diaper shirts - boys and girls
Socks

Member notes

We welcomed two new members at the meeting- Wendy Goldsberry and Frances Alkin

Meetings

The next Pre-Pack will be Wednesday, May29 , at 9:30am, at Your Extra Attic, 130 Peachtree Industrial Blvd., Sugar Hill.

The next Business Meeting will be Monday, June 3, at 10:15am at Atlanta Sewing Center, 2148 Duluth Hwy., Duluth