

Project Linus Tri Cities

Blankets for comfort

Newsletter

September 2016

It's fall already! We are gearing up for MABD next month (mark your calendars for October 15 at the Richland Library!), and of course, all those holidays just around the corner. It's the time some of us *need* to sew (knit, crochet) just to stay sane.

NOTICE: October Battelle work party CANCELLED

Due to staffing issues, we are unable to hold the October 1 work party at Battelle—so be sure to come to MAKE A BLANKET DAY on the 15th!

New Website!

Just a reminder that we have a NEW website, <http://www.projectlinus-tc.org/> I know the old one is still up, and we are working on that. You can Google us if you don't bookmark it ☺

MABD! Celebrating 15 years in the Tri-Cities

Make a Blanket Day is always fun, and this one will be no exception. Join us as we celebrate 15 years in the Tri-Cities! Lunch & cake will be provided, and of course there will be door prizes. Come and see the great blankets on display, check out some new patterns (bring your machine and work on a kit!), join our knitters & crocheters... It's a great day to connect with old and new friends. *Saturday, October 15, 10:00-4:00, Richland Library.*

NEEDED: Quilts for Boys Ranch!

This fall, we are in particular need of large boy-centric blankets. Think plaids, maybe darker colors, prints for older kids. They should be no smaller than 50x65". This delivery is made in December, and we are in short supply.

Christmas Quilts

We are accepting quilts with Christmas or winter/holiday themed fabrics through the December Battelle (12/3) and Quilting at the Library (12/8) events. It's another opportunity to put all those cute holiday fabrics to excellent use.

New Mystery Quilt Challenge!

Gracie's Get Well Garden



How many are already working on the new Project Linus Mystery Quilt Challenge? Following last year's "Lucky Lukey" challenge, the 2016 challenge is "Gracie's Get Well Garden". Register at <http://www.projectlinus.org/contest/>. The cost is \$15.45 and if you tag the Tri Cities Chapter, all funds come to us. Every week for seven weeks, a new clue is revealed—sew along with the (very active) Facebook group, or just check in at the local work parties, compare notes, etc. The first two clues are already out (started September 10): pieced butterflies and flowers, but it's not too late to join the fun.

October events:

~~Battelle Work party, Saturday October 1, 10:00-3:00. Potluck lunch. CANCELLED!~~

Quilting at the Library, Thursday October 13, 9:30-4:00. Richland Library

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