QS QS Sew-ciety

Quilters' Sew-ciety



Small Quilt Groups

Would you like someone to sew with? Someone with similar interests? Join a small quilt group. Contact Gloria Bahr - 507-289-5181 or Look for the Sign-up Sheet in the Narthex at our meetings.

We also have a few groups that are open to anyone in Quilters' Sew-ciety. These groups will welcome quilters not in the Quilters' Sew-ciety.

BAG LADIES - began as the Baltimore Album Group. This group focuses on hand sewing of all kinds and socializing. They meet once a month, have coffee, and stitch. You do not have to be a member of Quilter's Sew-ciety to attend this group.

When: Third Wednesday of the month

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Where: Bowlocity (Bowling Alley on North Broadway that has a very nice meeting room)

2810 No. Broadway Ave. Rochester, MN 55906

What to Bring: \$2:00 each meeting you attend and handwork to stitch on Contact person: Betsy Monroe betsym2296@aol.com ph: 507-289-3359

Basic skills are demonstrated, bring any kind of handwork you are working on with you to the meeting - embroidery, quilting, hand-piecing, a wool project, quilt binding. There is always Show 'n Tell. So you can bring your finished projects to share. Bring questions you may have – there are many excellent hand quilters in this group very willing and able to offer help on any kind of hand-work. You do not have to belong to Quilters' Sew-ciety to attend this group.

MOD SQUAD – This group began with a focus on modern quilting and fun. Their interests have expanded to include traditional to modern quilting and they still have fun. They meet once a month at the Byron Middle School to inspire and learn from each other. They bring their sewing machines and sewing projects to sew and share ideas. Sometimes demos are done to present new techniques and ideas. You do not have to belong to Quilter's Sew-ciety to sew with this group.

When: The Saturday after the Quilter's Sew-ciety meeting

Where: Room 121 - Byron Middle School - 601 - 4th Street NW, Byron, MN

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

What to bring: Your sewing project, sewing machine, cord, foot peddle, bag lunch or visit

one of the restaurants in Byron

Contact person: Laurie Cook – lmcook@charter.net ph: 507-775-7270 Visit MOD Squad on Facebook – www.facebook.com/modsquadquilters/

WOOL GATHERING

This is a small group focusing on wool stitching projects. We do show and tell, share ideas and stitch.

Time: 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Where: We alternate meeting in our homes.

When: 3rd Wednesday of the month

What to bring: Your wool project and all needed supplies

Contact: Gloria Bahr 507-289-5181 or Susan Lommen 218-232-2379

QUILTS OF VALOR – QOV

The mission of Quilts of Valor Foundation is to cover service members and veterans touched by war with comforting and healing Quilts of Valor.

When: 3rd Thursday of the month **Where:** Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

1212 12th Avenue NW Rochester, MN 55901

Time: 1:00 pm - 4:00 p.m.

What to bring: sewing machine, generally fabric supplies are provided by QOV but you may

bring your own QOV project to work on. All are welcome.

Contact Person: Marie Wilson <u>mawilson@charter.net</u>

There is a \$5 joining fee for Quilts of Valor. Please contact Marie Wilson for details. This is a good time to join – renewal is in April.

LINUS Project

*To provide love, a sense of security, warmth and comfort to children who are seriously ill, traumatized, or otherwise in need through the gifts of new, handmade blankets and afghans, lovingly created by volunteer "blanketeers."

* To provide a rewarding and fun service opportunity for interested individuals and groups in local communities, for the benefit of children. You do not have to be a member of Quilters' Sew-ciety to sew with this group.

Meetings are held at: Oasis Church

3819 – 18th Ave. NW

Rochester, MN

Upcoming Meeting Dates

Meeting times are from 9:30 - 1:30

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Saturday, January 12

Saturday, February 9

Saturday, March 9

Saturday, April 13

Saturday, May 11

Saturday, September 14

Saturday, October 12

Saturday, November 9

Saturday, December 14

Bring your sewing machine, supplies and you may bring your own project if you wish to. Lunch is pot luck – stay for the day or part of the day

Check out the Linus website at www.projectlinusrochmn.org

Contact Chapter Coordinator Char Hansen - blankett2@gmail.com