

SNIPPETS



**July Charity Workshop will start at
9:30 a.m.
Ready! Set! Sew!**

One of CCQ's main goals is to share what we have with others. We are so fortunate to have such generous members and a generous public that frequently donate quilt tops and fabrics. Some of these donations are more suitable for adults rather than children so, at last month's board meeting, we voted to donate quilts to Blue Ridge Healthcare in Georgetown. This facility has about 75 residents. We are so pleased to be able to add this facility as one of the charities because helping them helps us. Jane Rud will be leading this effort. Thanks Jane for bringing this organization to our attention! But we share and share alike. . .we will continue with the Fostering Hope boys' quilts, the baby quilts for Family Outreach of Horry County (FOHC) and pillowcases and Beads of Courage bead bags for MUSC Children's Hospital. Thanks to all of you that help at our workshops and throughout the year. We couldn't do it without you! As a reward for all your hard work we will have an old-fashioned ice cream social!! Ice cream sundaes for all the workers. YUM!!



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President's Message

Is it hot enough? I hope you are surviving this crazy, sweltering summer. By the way, when our bodies start "misting" you are losing water weight.

This month's meeting is our Charity sew-in. We usually call it a sweatshop and will be starting a half-hour early - at **9:30 a.m.** - as we try to get as much done as we can in a few hours. Please read Margo's note as to what we need to bring to get started. Margo has everything ready to go. Thank you, also, to her helpers!!! We will enjoy ice cream sundaes as a sweet reward. So please join us. Many hands makes for light work.

See you on the 16th.

Kathy Aparicio

Notes from Margo

To-Do List

- * Wear your name tag, a smile and a can-do attitude!
- * Sewers - bring your sewing machine and your basic sewing supplies - scissors, seam ripper, etc.
- * Pressers - bring an iron and ironing board
- * Bring any other supplies needed for the jobs listed below
- * Bring your lunch
- * Bring Show and Tell

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These are the projects we will be working on:

Fostering Hope boys' quilts -

- Kits - add borders to panels
- Machine quilt spray-basted quilts
- Make bindings - cut, sew, press
- Sew binding by machine
- Assemble homespun block kits
- Cutting kits - bring mat, rotary cutter, ruler
- Longarm quilts ready to take home

FOHC Baby Express quilts -

- 40 layered quilts to sew, topstitch and quilt

Blue Ridge Healthcare -

- Kits - add borders to quilt tops and panels
- Sew, topstitch and quilt layered quilts
- Sew walker bags
- Longarm quilts ready to take home

MUSC Children's Hospital -

- Pillowcases to serge or sew
- 300 Beads of Courage bead bags to cord. Cording and bodkins are supplied. Bring scissors.

Sewers need to bring:

- Sewing machine or serger. A walking foot is a MUST!
- Free-motion quilting foot
- Extension cord and/or multiplug
- Neutral threads for general sewing
- Colored threads for topstitching and quilting
- Basic sewing supplies - pins, seam ripper, scissors, etc.

Pressers need to bring:

- Ironing board and iron - we have 3 at OSV but more is better!!

Cutters need to bring:

- Mat, rotary cutter and ruler



Welcome our newest member
— be sure to update your
rosters.

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I never run
with scissors*

*Actually, those last two
words were unnecessary.