



Quilts for Kids:

Volunteer quilters transforming fabrics into patchwork quilts that comfort children in need

Northeast Georgia Chapter

December 2013

November has been another busy month for our chapter. It began with a "front-page" article in The Times and pictures of our Halloween delivery of quilts to the hospital. Then came the inquiries regarding our project. One of those phone calls will result in an article to appear soon in Georgia Trend magazine. (more information to follow as this develops.) Thank you Mr. Abit Massey for your help and support.

On November 12th I made a presentation to the Spirited Quilters in Duluth to tell our story and enlist their participation in sewing the kits. Five new volunteers signed up and nine others who have helped in the past signed out 15 kits that night. Thanks to the charity committee and guild board for their support and invitation to the meeting. We look forward to working with their guild.

On November 21st I made a follow-up presentation to the Hall County Optimist Club. They were given an update on our project since we last met in April. Our progress is impressive and fits with their objective of helping children in their community. Thank you for their second donation to purchase fabric to make into kits.



Our new brochures are printed and available to use to "tell our story." I would like for each of you to have one to show to your family and friends. More are available upon request.

Our Chapter website is up and running. It isn't complete and may change from the current look, so please bear with us during our growth. Please take a moment to check out the site at www.negaquiltsforkids.org. Our workshops, where we donate quilts, how to help and contact information is all listed there. Feel free to pass the word!

And lastly, our Thanksgiving delivery of quilts was to four boys and 2 girls...ages 1 month to 13 years. I am thankful for all of you who have helped to comfort our kids these last 20 months. Blessings to you especially during the holidays.

Betty Wright, Chapter Leader

Some of the finished quilts this month,,







November 8th delivery was to 6 kids ages 3 months to 11 years.
Below is Sebastian showing off his new quilt.



November 22th delivery was to 6 girls (ages 7 months to 10 years) and 1 boy (age 3). Pictured below are 2 of the recipients.



Left:
Hannah, 7
years old



Right:
Caden, 3
years old

Thanksgiving Day we delivered six quilts to 2 girls (in isolation) and 4 boys (ages 1 month to 13 years). Right: Kolby 13 years old.



November Quilts delivered to:

Northeast Ga Med Center	19
Gateway DV Shelter	0
Family Promise of Hall County	0

Pillowcases delivered to:

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Thanks to:



DONATIONS: Hall County Optimist Club

Quilts: Barb W., Peggy J., Hertha H., Nancy K., Judy M., Betty G., Jane BB.

Pillowcases:

Plastic Bags: Barb W., Cheryl A.

Fabulous fabric: Hertha H., Marilyn J., Judy M., Hermine P.

Please direct any questions regarding donations to:
Betty Wright at

NortheastGaQ4K@gmail.com

Quilts for Kids is a 501C3 charity.

New Volunteers & Supporters:

Spirited Quilters

Laura N.

Ronda R.

Carolyn M.

Maxine M.

Colleen S.

Becky W.

Linda B.

Andy P.

Hall Optimist Club

Charles P.



Workshop Dates

Family Life Center (A/C Room)

First Baptist Gainesville

751 Green Street Gainesville, Ga. 30501

10:00am to 2:00 pm

December 5, 2013

2014 January 2, February 6, March 6, April 3, May 1

Hopewell UMC Fellowship Hall

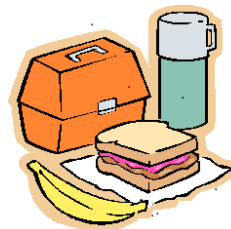
4723 Hopewell Church Road

Gainesville (Murrayville area)

CANCELLED*Dec 10, 2013 ***CANCELLED**

2014 Hours will be 10:00am to 4:00pm

2014 January 14, February 11, March 11, April 8, May 13



Bring your machine or cutting materials and your lunch and join us for cutting, sewing and fellowship!