



## **Presidents Message: Karen McMurdo**

Happy Holidays,

The Christmas party is over and it was a great success thanks to our committee, who had to change venues at the last minute and worry that it would even take place due to COVID, thank you Wendy Mangrun, Sandra Wardour, Joanne Sentman and April McCabe for a job well done. Our Challenge committee set up their display and prizes were awarded to Deb Marshall, Jayne Crummet and Dorothy Glosser. Dru Lis, Linda Wegrzyn and Dee Judy did a great job of coming up with something new. Our out-going officers Marty and Rene were thanked for all their hard work for the last four years, they both put in two terms and I know what a commitment that is, so thank You both again for a wonderful job done. We are welcoming Joanne Sentman as our new Treasurer and Dru Lis as Vice president, along with her helpers Jayne Crummet and April McCabe, so welcome aboard and we all will be looking forward to programs and classes.

On a much sadder note the Wheatfield Community Center has been closed once again with a possible reopen date of March or April. With that being said we will have to continue on via newsletter and email for the near future. I would like all of you to choose four UFO's and number them please. After January 1<sup>st</sup>, I will choose a number and send an email letting everyone know what project you will complete next. March we will do a show and share of our completed projects and your name will go in for a draw in December. Then I will choose

another number and we will begin to work on that, how much fun will that be to get some of our left behind gems completed.

February 3<sup>rd</sup> will be our trunk for charity pickup at the center from 6:30 to 7:00 for those who would like to pick up kits to work on while we cannot meet. It might be kind of fun to huddle around and catch up with one another so dress warm and bring a mug of hot Cocoa.

For the block of the month, for now since we cannot meet I say we stick with the same paper pieced block and in March or April we will start with the new block as I will be able to hand out patterns. There are quite a few blocks still in my basket that need to be exchanged so please remember to bring yours the next meeting we are able to schedule.

With all this being said Christmas has not yet arrived and I would like to wish all of you and your family's a safe and happy holiday.

God Bless,

Karen

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## BIRTHDAY'S /JANUARY

**1/1 Margie Hadsell**  
**1/4 Barbara Barrett**  
**1/14 Jan Brauer**  
**1/19 Cindy Warthling**  
**1/21 Diane Wekenmann**  
**1/23 Joan Pietrzykowski**  
**1/25 Pamela Labushesky**  
**1/27 Linda Berwaldt**  
**1/29 Mary Wells**

## Raffle Quilt

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I hope everyone is save, well and Santa brings you everything you want for Christmas.

Since we won't be having regular meetings, I will be at the center in February and available to provide extra raffle tickets or if you have \$ I can accept that also.

Here's hoping 2021 is more normal.

Joan Rockenbrock and the raffle committee.



**Pink Ribbon Projects**  
**Comfort Pillows & Chemo Hats**



**Returned at the March meeting:**

**Pillows: 50 Total** – 5 stuffed and 45 unstuffed

**Hats: 16+ Total** – 13 regular sleep hats from cotton knit and  
3 knitted adult hats + 3 infant knitted hats

**Thank you to everyone who takes pillow and hat kits from each meeting  
and returns them so promptly!!!!**

**And Special Thank you's to:**

**Judy Klusek** for her making so many tags for Pink Ribbon Projects!!!

**Karen McMurdo** for sewing and stuffing the 5 finished pillows mentioned above.

**Linda Barrett and Cindy Hubacher** for donating fabric for pillow pieces.

**Immanuel Lutheran Church ladies** for knitting the adult and infant hats mentioned  
above.

**Patty Kuriscak** for delivering pillows and hats to Cancer Care of WNY (Cambria) and  
Roswell of Niagara.

**June Roetzer** for delivering pillows, hats, and seatbelt pads to: Millard Fillmore  
Suburban, Buffalo Medical Group, Roswell (Williamsville), and Windsong  
(Dr. O'Donnell); and hats and seatbelt pads to American Cancer Society.

**Carol Blest (Tonawanda Garden Club)** for making the seatbelt pads that June  
delivered!!!

**Margaret Drosky and Dorothy Spears** for cutting out LOTS of pillow pieces in  
preparation of

**Pink Ribbon Pillow Day – April 25<sup>th</sup>**

**If you want to help and have not already signed up, please  
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# Linus



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Month	Quilts made from kits	Quilts made from their Stash	Totals	Grand Totals
2019	85	106	191	5729*
1-2020	10	5	15	5744
2-2020	5	19	24	5768
3-2020	11	5	16	5784

**DUE TO THE CURRENT VIRUS SITUATION—WE WILL  
POSTPONE OUR SATURDAY, MARCH 21<sup>st</sup>**

**PROJECT LINUS QUILTING DAY**

**WE WILL CHOOSE ANOTHER DATE AS SOON AS WE ARE ABLE**

We continue to be very grateful for any quilts you chose to make with your own stash—Sizes welcomed are: Premie 27" square, Small 30 x 40, Medium 40 x 50, Lap 50 x 60.

There is a need for Twin 70 x90, for victims of abuse.

Thank you so very much for your continued support !!!!

With grateful hearts

Project Linus Co-chairs: Cindy, Cindy, Linda

## Fat quarter colors for 2020

January: Polka Dots

February: Hearts/Pink/Red

March: 30's

April: Stripes

May: Black and White

June: Flowers

July: Civil War

September: Kids prints

October: Halloween

November: Plaids/Checks

Fat quarter drawing will be done monthly and winner takes ALL.

### \*\*NEW THIS YEAR\*\*

Block exchange: It is a paper pieced strip block that will measure 4" unfinished. It is a great way to build a quilt with a variety of fabrics. For example: you make 4 blocks for yourself and another 4 to bring in and exchange. We will have basket available at meetings and you will pick out the same number of blocks that you have brought in. More information will be available at the January meeting along with a sample of what can be done with them. There will be templets available at the meeting get you started.

Hope to see you all joining in.

Karen



**New rules concerning classes. The class times are 9:30 am to 3ish. It will be \$10.00 per class which will be returned when you arrive at the class. About 10 -12 people per class due to the Center's new renting rule.**

**Any questions, email me at [renesletterss@aol.com](mailto:renesletterss@aol.com) or call 716-553-3397**  
**Rene' Harbison**

