



## **Presidents Message: Karen McMurdo**

Greetings,

Spring is upon us and all the bulbs are up and looking their best. I for one am looking forward to some warmer weather. I thought our meeting went well with lots of show and share, and it is good to see such lovely work. Remember to work on your number 4 UFO, we will unveil them at our June meeting. For you over achievers, do as many as you like, it only means you are a true quilter with more UFO's than finished projects. We will have our first workshop on May 15<sup>th</sup> at the center, so make sure you sign up with Dru at the meeting. The workshop is embroidery with a kit fee of \$20.00. The summer picnic is a go for July and the committee will have more information regarding the menu choices and pricing to come. I want to give a big shout out to Linda Barrett for getting us Fairmont Park for the evening.

See you all in May,

Karen

Twin City Quilters Guild

April 6, 2021 Meeting

President: Karen McMurdo

Vice President: Druscilla Lis/April McCabe

Treasurer: Joanne Sentmen

Secretary: Joan Rockenbrock

Secretary's report accepted as published. Treasurers' Report at the head table.

Old Business: #4 Challenge is due.

New Business: Summer Picnic - Will be in July as we can't use the kitchen as of now. It was decided that we would have it catered and the committee will contact several businesses to get prices and they will check into Mayors Park or Fairmont Park to hold the picnic.

Workshops: Dru has contacted Stitch Buffalo and we will have a hand embroidery workshop May 15, 2021 from 10:00 - 2:00 p.m. There is a limit of 10 people and it will be in room 3 of the center. The cost is \$20 for the kit which will include everything. Payable the day of the workshop. Just bring scissors and yourself. \$10 to the guild will be returned when you show up. Any questions call Dru.

Project Linus: Kits 14 on our own 16 kits total equals 6,085.

Walker Wheelchair Bags: Kits are available. Barb has been delivering.

Mystery: Linda Wegrezn. The cost is \$5 per kit and they are still available. You will receive your \$5 back when you bring your completed masterpiece to the Christmas Party.

Pink Ribbon: Diane Brodfueherer has kits.

Christmas Stocking will be next month.

Program: Druscilla Lis gave us a trunk show of past challenges she has known and loved.

50/50 \$19.00 Linda Wegrezyn

Rene informed us of the New York State Sheriff Dept Yellow Dot initiative. Stick a yellow dot on your car window and the emergency personnel will know that your pertinent information will be in the glove

compartment and in your freezer in your house if you put a yellow dot on your house window.

The guild needs a volunteer who is familiar with computers and storage options to scan our newsletters.

Respectfully submitted  
Joan Rockenbrock

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**From VP Dru!**

I am very pleased that we will be having a program for our May meeting presented by Stitch Buffalo. If you have not had the opportunity to visit their shop on Niagara Street in Buffalo, it is a treasure trove of everything that will keep you in stitches!!! Fabrics, yarn, clothing, embroideries and needles, don't forget the needles!

However, the main purpose of this shop goes well beyond supplies.... It is an opportunity for newcomer women to our country to learn or further a craft leading to financial opportunities. I hope you will enjoy our speaker that evening.

Carrying the Stitch Buffalo theme one step further, we still have five places available for the workshop that SB will be presenting on Saturday May 15th, at the Wheatfield Community Center from 10:00 until 2:00. BYOL. This will be an embroidery workshop with an all inclusive kit available for \$20. Sign up sheet will be available at the May meeting. If you would like to attend the workshop but are unable to make the May meeting, please contact me.

**Ladies/Gentlemen:**

Just a reminder that this Sunday, April 18, 2021 at 2:00 P.M. We will be drawing the winning ticket for this year's raffle quilt at Joan Rockenbrock's house. You are all invited but please wear a mask and we will be as socially distant as possible. The address is: 833 Sweeney Street, North Tonawanda, NY 14120. It is the house with the red door and

on the canal side of the street. The garage door will be open,  
so walk through and join us on the patio,

Thank you everyone for doing your best during this past  
difficult year.

The Raffle Committee

Joan Rockenbrock, Pam Pandolfi and Kelly Urtel



## **BIRTHDAY'S / May**

5/4 Beatrice Zanow

5/21 Barbara Newman

5/28 Joannie Rockenbrock

5/14 Dorothy Glosser

## **CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS**

**Sue Cahill will be handling the Christmas Stockings this year. Also any pattern for the stockings can be used and she will provide copies of the original pattern we used if anyone would like them.**

Thanks -

Sue Cahill



PROJECT LINUS

Hello fellow quilters:

My computer is in for repair--so this month's Project Linus report will not have the graph.

Here are the totals from the April meeting:

total completed from kits            14

total completed on their own        16

total for the month is    30

total forward                    6055

April total                        30

Grand total                       6085

The following have donated on their own:

Angela Meyes-1

Diane Brodfehrer-3

Linda Smyth -1

Donna Mileham-2

Deb Marshall-2

Joan Rockenbrock -3

Deb Fouts -1

Judy Lilac -1

Jennie Wigle-2

We wish to thank everyone for their dedication to Project Linus--you are  
AMAZING!!!

With grateful hearts

Cindy, Cindy and Linda



## **Pink Ribbon**

### **Projects**

#### **Comfort Pillows & Chemo Hats**

**Returned at the April meeting:**

**Comfort Pillows: 27 Total – all ready to be stuffed.**

**Chemo Hats: 6 Total – all cotton knit “sleep” hats.**

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**Special Thank you’s to:**

**Denise Fland and her mom, Lois, for stuffing and tagging at least 30 pillows EVERY MONTH!**

**Diane Brodfuehrer for collecting completed Pink Ribbon kits at the April**

**meeting and for distributing kits to members who attended.**

**Barb Newman and Jennie Wigle who cut and matched 41 sets of pillows and who cut out**

**26 additional loose pieces for pillows!!!**

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**P.K. for delivering pillows to Breast Care of WNY (Roswell, northtowns) and**

pillows and hats to WNY Breast Health (Dr. Lindfield).

Judy Klusek for preparing all the pillow and hat tags needed.

If anyone needs kits to work on or polyfil to stuff with, please  
call or email any one of the

Pink Ribbon Chairs: Patty Kuriscak, Linda Goodine, or  
Judy Klusek and

we will deliver to you.

Thank you for your continued support – the need is  
never-ending !

***Yard Sale: May 8th***

**Saturday 10 a.m. - 4:00 p.m**

Dorothy Glosser's

2776 Lockport Road, Sanborn

Between Ward Road and  
Wagner's