Heber Valley Quilters 2023 Local Charity Quilts

HVQ By-Laws' Mission Statement:

To provide a forum for local quilters of every interest level to meet together

on a monthly basis to promote the art of quilt making, in order to:

* Learn new quilting techniques,

* Teach quilting and related skills to one another,

* Show and Tell ("Sew & Tell") current projects and ideas,

* Provide encouragement and support for each other,

* Provide opportunities for charity service to our community.

This year, we will be focusing on two local community groups:

1. **KIDS:** (work on Quilts for Kids' kits on an individual basis in your own home)

a. Donating fabrics

- i. 100% cotton novelty prints and solids for quilt tops, including pre-cuts
- ii. 1.5 yards x WOF backing fabrics
- b. Piecing quilt tops, according to a few selected simple quilt kit patterns
- c. Joining batting pieces
- d. Sandwiching pieced tops with batting and backing fabrics for quilting
- e. Quilting on domestic or long-arm machines
- f. Binding quilts by machine
- g. Funding purchased batting and/or backing fabrics
- 2. **SENIORS**: (work on quilts for local senior citizens in a guild group format)

a. Local Senior Living Communities:

- i. Spring Gardens Senior Living Community (fidget quilts & wall hanging)
- ii. Rocky Mountain Care (10 fidget quilts/activity mats)*
- iii. Heber Valley Assisted Living (7 wheelchair quilts & 7 lap quilts)

b. Wasatch County Senior Center:

- i. Set up a revolving quilt sandwich in a quilt frame in the lounge/TV area for anyone to help tie together with yarn
- ii. Include seniors to HVQ's Saturday "Sew Day" at the Senior Center scheduled for June 17, 2023
- iii. (Both of the above two activities will benefit the three local senior living communities)

*PLEASE start searching through your stash for items to donate for the fidget quilts:

- a. Charm packs (5" squares), including textured squares, & Minky backing fabric
- b. Zippers, buttons, fringe, wooden beads, sew-on Velcro, snaps, yarn, lace, ribbon, elastic, pom-poms, pockets, ties, shoelaces, tassels, buckles, plastic rings, rick-rack, buckles, textured fabrics & trims, etc.
- c. Everything must be washable! PLEASE BRING TO THE NEXT MEETING!

If you know of any other local kid or senior organizations that could use our services and/or products, please contact Sandy Hindy at sandyhindy@gmail.com