



# Quilters 2 Newsletter

## #154 - December 2015

### 2015 - 2016 Charity Distributions

We have a new Charity Coordinator, Lorraine Blas. Faced with an overflowing cupboard, and with some mentoring by Alice Kelly, she has accomplished her first distribution of 95 items! Thanks for jumping in Lorraine. Here is the distribution list:

- 12 - Aviva (Child Protection Agency)
- 25 - Candlelighters
- 20 - Pio Decimo
- 20 - Primavera Foundation - Las Abuelitas
- 1 - Quilt for a Cause
- 5 - Shyanne Kindness Project
- 10 - Veteran's Hospital

### Salvation Army Toy Drive

There is a need for Baby quilts (36 x 36) for the Toy Drive scheduled for December 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>.

### 9<sup>th</sup> Annual 2016 Quilt Show

Mark your calendars. This year's Show is on Monday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>. Quilt Show Coordinator, JoAnn Washa, has challenged every member to have at least one item in this year's show and is aiming for 100% participation!

There are still three unfilled positions on this year's Quilt Show Committee:

Drop Off & Pick Up - the Lead oversees the intake of all Quilt Show entries (except Fiber Art entries), sorting, and distributing them at the end of the Show. Many people have already volunteered to help and Kris Curtis will help coach the Lead in this role.

Charity Display Lead - this person arranges and supports a display of our Charity Quilts during the Show.

Demonstration Lead - This person will organize individuals as they demonstrate different aspects of quilting during the Show and assisting them in set-up.

### Quiltathon

Norma Kindseth initiated one on Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup> to try to make a dent in the Fabric Closet. After starting with a big bag of fabric, an assembly line was set up with some people cutting, some sewing, and some ironing. A fun time was had by those participating and the result was 6 more charity quilts.

### 2015 - 2016 Coordinator

One last position is still OPEN - Raffle Quilt Production for 2017. This position is very important as it is our main fund raiser for supplies. If this position seems like too much to handle on your own, please consider volunteering to be a co-coordinator. The following describes the position:

### Raffle Quilt Production Coordinator

- *Selects a small group from the membership to plan and produce the yearly raffle quilt and other items that are appropriate for the raffle.*
- *Oversees the creation of the raffle items.*

### General News

Class schedules and signup sheets are posted on the mirror in the Palo Verde room. You can view and/or print your own copy on the Quilters 2 website (under the **Classes & Events** tab):

<http://www.quilters2.com>

Emails are being sent on a regular basis with reminders, classes, meeting agenda items and other useful information. Not receiving them? Please check the Membership List to be sure your email address is correct or contact Mary Adams (until end of Dec) or Kris Curtis to update your information.

The list of Coordinators shows who has a set of keys to the Palo Verde and HQ rooms. The list is on the Bulletin Board in the Palo Verde room as well as on the website.