



# Quilters 2 Newsletter

## #162 - September 2017

We don't usually have a Newsletter in the summer, but our Coordinator, Billye Reynolds, wants to keep everyone up-to-date on the exciting happenings with the summer Quilters 2 members! There is also news from some of this season's Coordinators.

### Summer Project - Quilt for a Cause

Lynn Jensen & Pat Rapp agreed to be in charge of the project and the pattern chosen by the group was "Fourth of July" by Judy Niemeyer. The quilt is finished and ready to be delivered to the chairman of Quilt for a Cause. As October is Breast Cancer month, some of the donated quilts will be hung in the halls of TMC for a Silent Auction during that month; others will be held back for a fund raiser that takes place at the end of the month. What an outstanding quilt.....



### Summer Challenge for All

We would like to remind you of the challenge issued to everyone in the June Newsletter - to bring a quilt top back when you return in the fall. It can be any theme you like and should be twin size or smaller.

### Halloween Project

A reminder: if anyone has a Halloween quilt, Jan Tuttle needs it before October 1. Please send it ahead if your return to Voyager is later.

### Education and Program

Coordinators Lynne Jensen and Barbara Salazar have been working to put together some interesting classes for us to look forward to and there are rumors that there is a Trunk Show in the mix.

### Our Charities

Charity Coordinator, Pat Rapp, presented another new charity in July which was approved by the Coordinators. We have added a fabulous Veterans Facility to our list of Charities! The name of the Charity is **Marshall Home for Men**. It is a facility in Tucson for male veterans. The Home has a full capacity of 52 and they are currently serving 45 vets from WWII, Korea, Vietnam, and the Gulf War. The average age of the residents is 65 years.

Pat spoke to the Assistant Facilities Manager and they decided that residents need a bed quilt to treasure. Maybe a quilt and matching pillowcase?

The full list of our 21 charities is on our website under CHARITIES.

<http://www.quilters2.com>

**Sister Jose Women's Center:** On August 30, a group of Quilters 2 members presented 53 pillow cases to the women at the Center. The pillow cases were made over the last few weeks. The women will use the pillow cases in place of plastic bags that many now use to carry their personal items. Here are some of them:



### Miscellaneous

There are 3 spaces available for the **Quilting Cruise** to the Caribbean on Jan 21 thru Jan 28, 2018. If you are interested call or email Lynne Jensen or Barbara Salazar.

**Message from Head Coordinator, Billye Reynolds:** "Hope you all have a wonderful fall. We are looking forward to seeing you back soon. Travel Safe."