March 2019 Outreach Workshop Thank You!



Many hands made light work! Thank you for the wonderful member turnout! Everyone just pitched in and took control of the jobs available.

We always learn something new and see where members talents shine. Liz Mattson and Judy Manley shared the Flynn technique for a diagonal seam to get a backing to fit when you think you don't have enough fabric.

I wish I had kept count of how many backings and bundles we prepared. I just know it was a lot!!

We had people measuring tops and calculating the size of the backing and batting needed and attaching labels with that information. We had people choosing fabric for backings, measuring and cutting. Then we had others sewing the backings together and sewing batting pieces together to make the most of our remnants. People were on hand to press seams open. Others measured and cut batting. Such an amazing production line and cooperation of our members!

Wonderful members saw tops they just couldn't resist and took them home to do the quilting themselves. We appreciate the members that stayed behind to put away tables, chairs and supplies, and help us load our cars. This all made light work of an overwhelming task.

We will have bundles available at meetings for anyone willing to do some quilting.

We are so proud of this program to provide guilts for foster care children!

Marilynn & Sandy