

Letter from Lois – March 2020

It will soon be darker in the morning but oh such gloriously longer daylight hours in the evenings! So, my idea is to sleep later, breakfast later, long bright days outside in the sunshine and still lots of stitching until the wee hours of the night.

And even though the temperatures are warming it's still quite cool inside hospitals and doctors' offices. Those having infusions or other treatments requiring lengthy appointments will enjoy light weight hats as well as blankets and a few shawls. Light weight, fun hats for children seem to make a nice impact as well! Lots of colors might be found in all those bins of leftovers and surely could be put to good use in stitching these.

About those blankets... it seems those made with leftovers, combining many, many colors, are the most cheerful of all! Its almost impossible to see one without a huge smile appearing on your face! This is the kind of enjoyments we like to send to help patients feel a little better mentally and easing them through their illnesses and treatments.

As usual, we do on occasion have specific requests but I'm sure you realize From the Heart recipients will absolutely love whatever you choose to knit, crochet, or sew.

Come in very soon to our workshop for your yarn, patterns, other supplies or, if time allows, just sit, chat, and stay a while!

Hope to see you very soon!

Lois

From the Heart, Fredericksburg "Waste Not" Workshop, Yarn Swap and Fredericksburg Donation Daze

Date/Time: Saturday March 28: 10:00a.m.– 4:00p.m
Place: Ruritan Building, 5994 Plank Rd, Fredericksburg (Between Battlefield Dental and the Fire Station just east of Andora Drive on Rt. 3.)

We will have yarn, patterns and help available. We are going to do a yarn swap - bring those skeins you don't like and swap for something you would like to work with.

Is there something you need help with? Bring it with you and we will find someone to help you. Something you want to learn? Let me know asap and we will try to add a class for that topic or find someone to assist you. See how leftovers can make up into useful beautiful items. All items completed will be delivered to various groups in the community.

The concept for the Fredericksburg Donation Daze is

the same as Richmond. We have many items which have been donated to From the Heart but which we can't really make good use of in our work of serving our communities. A few of the items we will have available are knitting needles, pattern books and magazines, and a variety of very nice yarns. The Donation Daze event means the *suggested* donation for each and every skein of yarn in the event will be \$2.00.

Come and help yourself to something nice and help From the Heart not only clean up the supply but have a few more dollars available to purchase yarn we can use to make items we can donate to those who need them.

Bring your tools and a dish to share and come for a fun filled day! You can come for the day or just an hour or two, just don't miss the fun.

Plates, napkins, cups, bowls, utensils, coffee, hot tea and bottled water will be provided. The building has a large kitchen for our use. We will need both a setup and clean up team so let us know which you are able to help with.

If you need more information, have questions, would like to volunteer to help, or have some knitting or crocheting technique you would like to demonstrate, contact Pam Greswolde at pegreswolde@comcast.net, or phone at 540.661.7967.

We will have 2 classes at this event:

- Lacy Crocheted Christmas ornaments – you only need to bring a size G or H size hook, scissors and a blunt eye needle.
- Single crochet Waffle Weave stitch – you will need a J, K or L crochet hook.

Everyone is welcome. Bring your friends and relatives. We hope to see you there!

Mark your calendars now, if you can't make this event, for the next Fredericksburg Workshop and Pot Luck Luncheon, which will be on **Saturday October 24th**.

Donation Inventory Numbers

Previous Total	
Mid 2002 – 2019	347,971
2020	
Feb	4,768
Year to Date Total	7,136
Grand Total	355,107

Granny Square Tutorial

A tutorial on "All Things Granny Square" will be held on Wednesday, March 11th, from 10:00am until noon, at the From the Heart workshop on Westbriar Drive. The tutorial will be led by Nancy Wright and she will cover the basics of how to make a granny square, including a rectangular shaped "square" or Granny Oblong. Nancy

will also go over a couple of ways to join the squares to make a blanket or other larger item.

Please bring your own size G, H, or I crochet hook. Yarn will be provided. Please note this is NOT a learn to crochet workshop. You must already be familiar with the basics of crochet, including how to chain and how to make both a single and a double crochet stitch.

Please let Tricia know at triciaennis2014@gmail.com or (804)683-9015 if you would like to attend so that Nancy can have some idea of how many people to expect.

Something Different and Lovely



Every now and again, we receive something quite unique at the workshop on Westbriar. A couple of weeks ago, a lady dropped by several items she had been inspired to make as a result of having been on the recipient end of From the Heart. Everybody there was awed by the loveliness and uniqueness of the items, so we are sharing a couple here.

Current Needs – March 2020

Richmond and Surrounding areas have a need for:

- Blankets, blankets, and more blankets: All sizes from lap (27" x 36") to dialysis (34" x 72"). For men, women, and children. Please consider using yarn from the leftover bins at the workshop.

Fredericksburg/King George has a need for:

- Fiddle Aprons, mats and squares
- Blankets of all sizes
- Wheelchair and walker totes

We give you these needs in the event you want to create these items, but you don't have to, as we prefer our volunteers create whatever makes them happy. We can find a new home for anything you care to make.

There are blanket patterns at the end of this newsletter if you decide that is what you would like to make. Did you know that the size can be easily varied by making and checking a swatch first and then calculating number of stitches/chains required for the width you want. Then, simply work until the blanket is your desired length. For example, if your swatch shows that you knit 4 stitches/rows to 1" and you want a blanket 30" wide, cast on 120 stitches and knit until it is as long as you want it to be. You will need to consider any pattern repeats, whether stitches or rows.

Hours, March Scheduler & February Elf of the Month

The From the Heart workshop is open from 10am until 2pm every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Tricia Ennis is the March scheduler and she can be reached at triciaennis2014@gmail.com or by phone at (804)683-9015. Please let Tricia know if you would like to volunteer a couple of hours in March.

The From the Heart schedulers are:

Ann Robbins: aerobbins@live.com, 270-6247 (h), 921-1174 (c)

Tricia Ennis: triciaennis2014@gmail.com, 683-9015

Jacqueline Muoio: msjbangles@yahoo.com, 840-4687

Kulla Ficare: Kulla.ficare@verizon.net, (804)263-5480

The winner of the workshop Elf prize for February is Carol Thacker. Please pick up some nice yarn, maybe some leftover Dollar Daze yarn, for your personal use next time you are at the workshop, Carol.

For Your Browsing Pleasure

Every now and again I like to look at our art of knitting and crocheting from a different vantage point. Check out <http://www.feedspot.com/news/knitting-news> for unusual articles and opinions of fellow knitters and crocheters. It is kept up to date and relevant and is always interesting. If one aspect of it is particularly appealing, you can join/view that bloggers website.

Patterns are available and fair warning you can spend an entire day on this website.

Janet Sparzak

Richmond Area Yarn Swap, Leftovers Workshop, and Potluck Luncheon : May 23

Our Richmond Area Yarn Swap, Leftovers Workshop and Potluck Luncheon has been scheduled for Saturday, May 23, 2020, from 10:00am until 3:00pm at the Brandermill Church in Midlothian.

We will be offering two classes on "How to Make a Log Cabin Blanket", one crochet and one knit. The classes will not be offered at the same time, to give those who would like to attend both the opportunity to do so. Log Cabin blankets are usually created using leftover yarn so this is an excellent opportunity to learn a new technique



to use up your odds and ends, but also something which we can use in our From the Heart mission. We will be using the weaving in ends method described in the Tip of the Month for our knitted Log Cabin (see below)

Yarn, hooks, and needles will be supplied for your use at the classes. We will, however, have plenty of leftovers on hand if you want to take some home and make a blanket for From the Heart.

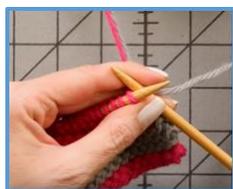
We are also planning to have a yarn swap so bring along any yarn you have had for a while but now know you will not use. You will have the opportunity to swap it for something you think you might use. All skeins must be new, clean, and unused.

We will have a mini-affle and a few small door prizes.

Lunch will be in the form of a potluck so make your favorite dish, salad, or dessert to share. There are a few, but not many, electrical outlets we can use to keep hot dishes hot.

Mark your calendars now so you don't forget and please let Tricia know if you plan to attend, so that we can have sufficient ice, drinks, utensils, etc. on hand. Tricia can be reached, by phone, at (804)683-9015 or by email at triciaennis2014@gmail.com.

Tip of the Month Weaving in Ends as You Knit



Join your new working yarn (shown in gray here), knit the first stitch then hold the new yarn in your right hand. The tails or ends of your gray and pink will be held in your left hand (but only for a few stitches).

Insert your right needle into the next stitch but do not knit it yet. Pull the tails of your pink and gray over and around to the front of your work (Fig 1), now wrap the right needle with your new gray yarn, move the pink and gray tails to the back, and pull the stitch off (Fig 2).



Figure 1



Figure 2

Knit the next stitch as normal.

Repeat these steps until you have wrapped three or four stitches total. The result is a non-bulky and neat wrong side. There will be a short tail on the wrong side which you can choose to weave in in the ordinary fashion if you wish.

This tip was found on the [Very Pink](http://www.verypink.com) website as a [video tutorial](#). There are many other helpful videos and tips to be found on this website.

YWCA Women's Shelter

A huge thank you to all who have donated items for the Women's Shelter.

As a reminder, we are asking that donated pillows be new and that towels, blankets and sheets should be very gently used, if not new. Please, no shoes – as they are size specific and pose a storage problem for the facility waiting for a client that wears a specific size.

Clothing should be limited to items that are freshly laundered, in very good condition, currently in fashion, and suited for the current season.

From the Heart's 2/2/2 Donation Daze Event



The first weekend of February marked a two-day event worthy of national attention. No, not the Super Bowl festivities and game but the first Donation Daze event featuring all high-quality yarns for a suggested donation of only \$2.00 per skein.

From the Heart is so fortunate to occasionally receive generous donations of beautiful yarns that are perfect for personal use but not functional for handmade items for the community we serve. Since our storage area is limited and our need for acrylic yarns is high, we can offer this yarn to our volunteers for a donation.

The turnout for our first ever 2.2.2 donation event was beyond successful. We were able to free up storage areas that we can now use for donation yarn and new yarn that we can use for our many FTH projects.

Many thanks to our volunteers who assisted with the set up for the event, assisted our visitors with landing some terrific finds and for those who helped with the clean up afterward. A total of \$4,535 was donated to our charity to offset the cost of new yarn. Events such as this are not possible without people such as you!

From the Heart 2020 Retreat Theme: Woodlands



Woodland Fairy

At our annual retreat on **Saturday, August 22, 2020**, we will offer only two classes, one knit and one crochet. Participants will have to register in advance and those who have not registered will not be permitted to take the class.

The crochet class will be a crocheted snowflake and supplies will be provided. The instructor will be Lois Little. Many of you have likely seen Lois' snowflakes and know they are extremely beautiful, so this class is bound to fill up quickly. Please let Tricia know asap if you would like to attend this class as we will need to know how many assistants Lois will need to help her. Right now, we are looking at limiting class attendance to 20. Registration for this class will open when the registration form is sent out, with NEXT month's newsletter.

We are still seeking somebody to lead a knitting class so please let either Kulla or Tricia know if you would like, and what you would like, to teach. If there is something you would like to see taught, please let us know that too and we will see what we can do.

We have decided against having a book this year and, instead, we will provide all our registrants with a really nice, large bag in which to carry their project(s), yarn, and tools. We will also have our raffle and items are starting to be donated for that, including two beautiful quilted wreaths, a quilted table runner, an actual quilt, and a knitted shawl, all hand-made of course 😊

We will also have our door prizes, bingo, and a delicious sit-down lunch.

So far, we have lined up the following and are working on others. Don't forget that you can always suggest a speaker or a vendor to us. Indeed, we are happy to hear what you would like to have at *your* retreat.

Vendors:

- Cas Schirra, Everlasting Glass (handmade glass items for your garden)
- Dances with Wool (local yarn store)
- Sheila Weisensale's Creation (paper creations and framed beauties)
- The Merry Soapmakers (handmade soaps and lotions)

Speakers:

- Judy Jamison, MCV/VCU
- Potential speaker who is a liaison between the YWCA and the domestic abuse shelter.

Registration for the Retreat will open on April 1st and close on July 31st. The registration form will be included with next month's newsletter.

Please note if you register to attend and need to cancel for any reason, we will be unable to offer refunds once registration has closed on July 31. Substitutions, however, will be allowed until 3 days before the Retreat, (Wednesday, August 19), to allow sufficient time for Beth to have accurate information at sign-in on the 22nd.

Contact info:

Kulla Ficare: Kulla.ficare@verizon.net, (804)263-5480
Tricia Ennis: triciaennis2014@gmail.co, (804)683-9015

Sign in Back of Workshop

We have a new, not very attractive sign at the workshop and request that you all pay attention to what it says. There is an area in the back, near the rear door, that must be kept clear at all time, according to the Henrico Fire Marshall. The reason for this is to ensure clear and easy egress in the (hopefully) unlikely event of a fire.

Please be careful to keep this area clear of clutter at all times. Thank you!



Calendar Updates for March 2020

Please note a few changes to the calendar for this month, as follows:

1. The Brandermill/Woodlake group starts up again on Wednesday, March 11th. This group meets in the Panera Bread on Brad McNeer Parkway, off 360, in Midlothian on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month, from 6:30pm until 8pm. The group only meets during Daylight Savings Time. Contact Tricia Ennis at triciaennis2014@gmail.com or (804)683-9015 for more information.
2. The Paddington Group, which meets in the conference room of the Fairfield Library, 14001 N. Laburnum Avenue, will only meet if there is demonstrated interest in holding a meeting. Please call Tonia Neiter at (804) 938-0468 if you have an interest in attending to let Tonia know your availability.
3. Beth Williamson will be leading a group at the Firehouse Subs on Busy Street, Midlothian on the first and third Thursday, from 4:30 until 6:30pm. Please call Beth at (804)9420-1542 for more information.

If you are currently leading a group which is not on the calendar, or if you would like your name added as the leader of a group which is already on the calendar, please let Tricia know at triciaennis2014@gmail.com or (804)683-9015.

Knitted Leftovers Afghan - Meas. Approx. 48" X 30"

This blanket will use up lots of those little leftovers you just can't throw away! You can use chunky, baby weight, eyelash...anything goes!

With size 10 ½, 11, or 13 long circular needle (36" cable), cast on approximately 130 stitches using any firm yarn such as worsted weight acrylic for that beginning row.

Leave a long tail, both when you begin and when you end, with each selection, at least 6 to 8 inches.



The object is to knit one row with any color, any size, any texture yarn. It's fun to put all your little leftover balls of yarn into a grocery sack and take out each new one without looking. Leaving the long tail as mention before, knit one row. Cut this first yarn leaving a long tail and grab another ball from the bag. I knot the two neighboring tails as I go, so they can't come unknitted. Continue knitting in these stripes until your blanket is anywhere from 30 to 36 inches wide. The tassels are already added. Just smooth them out, trim to even the lengths of tassels and your blanket is ready to donate to be enjoyed by a very appreciative cancer patient.

Note: Rather than have tassels on your blanket you might like to knit several rows with one color or use up an entire small ball then just knot the ends of the working yarn with the next addition and keep stitching!

**HINT: How do I know if I have enough yarn to complete a row? It normally takes a length of yarn at least 4 times the length of your row to complete one whole row.*

Crocheted Banded Blanket

P Hook

2 skeins Homespun Yarn

Directions:

Chain (ch) 40, half double crochet (hdc) in 2nd chain from hook, hdc in each chain.

Chain 2, hdc across, ch 2, turn.

Hdc in each hdc across, ch 3, turn.

Double crochet (dc) in each hdc across, ch 3, turn.

Repeat the row about 2 more times. On second row ch2, turn.

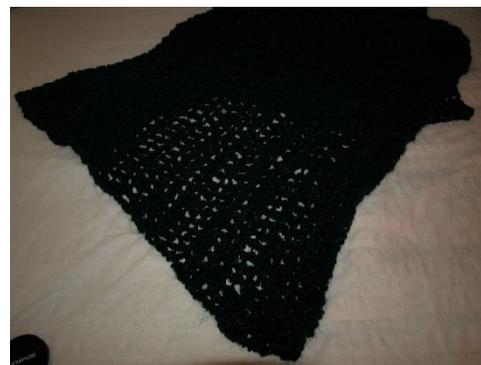
Crochet three rows of hdc then 3 rows of dc.

Repeat this pattern until blanket is approximately 34 - 36 inches wide.

End with three hdc rows and then a single crochet row.

Ch1, then single crochet around the entire blanket.

Cut yarn and weave in all ends.



From the Heart Local Group Times

March 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
1	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Crossings at Bon Air 2pm • Gayton Kirk K/C, Gayton Kirk Church 7pm • Stonebridge Rec.Ctr. 10a-1p • From the Heart Quilters Quilter's Corner 10am-1pm • Midlothian Women's Group Starbucks, Ivy Mount Shopping Center, 10:00am 	3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chesterfield Heights Comm. Ctr 2:00- 3:30pm • Panera, Midlo & Chippenham 5:30-7:30pm • North Courthouse Rd. Library 11am – 1pm • Violet Bank Stitchers, 10am – noon • Southside Stitchers (Richmond), Publix café on Forest Hill Ave. 7:00-9:00pm • Prince George Library 2:00 – 4:00pm • Glen Allen Library Group, noon – 2pm • Heritage Public Library, New Kent, 1:00pm 	4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colonial Heights Senior Ctr 10-noon • Farmville Baptist Church, 5:00pm • McKenney Library 3:00 – 5:00pm • Michael's, Midlothian Tnpk. & Courthouse Rd. noon-3:00pm • Mathews Group, Church of Francis De Sales, Mathews, 10:30a –2:00p • Brandermill/Woodlake Group Panera, Brad McNeer Pky 6:30-8pm • Colony Critters, Patriot's Colony, Williamsburg. 1:30pm 	5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hopewell Library 10am – noon • Firehouse Subs Midlothian: 4:30pm- 6:30pm • Mall Group Chesterfield Towne Center (food court) 9:00am-noon • Hanover Fiber Arts, Panera, Mechanicsville 2:30-5pm 	6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starbucks, Huguenot Rd, 9:30am – noon • Five Rivers Fiber Guild Heathsville. 10am – noon 	7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atlee Angels, Legacy Park, 1-3pm 	
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Atlee Angels	Legacy Park Social Ctr Midday Ln	Mechanicsville	Saturday 1 st , 3 rd	1- 3 pm/10-noon	
Brandermill/Woodlake Group	Panera Bread, Brad McNeer Parkway	Midlothian	Wednesday 2 nd , 4 th	DST 6:30-8:00pm	
Charles City County Library	10790 Courthouse Rd	Charles City	Monday, 3 rd	1:00pm	Charles City County Library (804) 652-2450
Chesterfield Heights Comm Ctr	901 Madrona Street	Midlothian	Tuesday, every	2-3:30pm	
Chesterfield Needlework Friends	Central Library, 7051 Lucy Corr Blvd.	Chesterfield	Wednesday, 2 nd , 4 th	1-2:30pm	
Colonial Heights Sr Ctr	Roanoke Avenue	Colonial Hgts	Wednesday every	10am-noon	
Colony Critters	Patriot's Colony	Williamsburg	Wednesday 1 st	1.30pm	
Crossings at Bon Air	Bon Air Crossing Drive	Richmond	Monday, every	2:00pm	
Dinwiddie Designers	Library, 14103 Boydton Plank Rd	Dinwiddie	Wednesday 2 nd , 4 th	1:00-3:00pm	
Elmcroft Retirement Group	1000 Twinridge Lane	Richmond	Wednesday 2 nd , 4 th	1:30pm	Kathleen, 804-327-1990
Fairfield Lib Conf Rm (Paddington Group)	14001 N. Laburnum Rd.	Henrico	Varies : Contact Tonia	12:30-2:00pm	Tonia Neiter, 804-938-0468
Farmville	Farmville Baptist Ch, 132 N Main St	Farmville	Wednesday, every	5:00pm	
Firehouse Subs	Busy Street	Midlothian	Thursday, 1 st , 3 rd	4:30 – 6:30pm	Beth Williamson, 804-920-1542
Five Rivers Fiber Guild	Rice's Hotel/Hughlett's Tavern	Heathsville	Friday, every	10am-noon	Judy Mooers, 804-366-1133, jkmooers@aol.com
Fredericksburg Group	Redeemer Luth, 5120 Harrison Rd	Fredericksburg	Tuesday 2 nd , 4 th	10:00am-12:30p	
Fredericksburg Group	Wegman's Food Court, Central Pk	Fredericksburg	Tuesday 3 rd	5:30-7:30pm	
From the Heart Quilters	Quilters Corner, 1245 Sycamore Sq	Midlothian	Monday 1 st , 3 rd	10am – 1pm	Tiffany Sherman 804-794-1990
Gayton Kirk Knitters/Crocheters	11421 Gayton Rd	Richmond	Monday, every	7pm	
Glen Allen Library Knitting Group	10501 Staples Mill Rd	Glen Allen	Tuesday, every	Noon-2pm	Barbara Robinson 804-310-3790
Hanover Fiber Arts	Panera Bread, 7225 Bell Creek Road	Mechanicsville	Thursday every	2:30pm-5pm	Evie Knoeller, 292-5753, hanoverfiberarts@gmail.com
Heritage Public Library	7791 Invicta Lane	New Kent	Tuesday 1 st	1pm	Heritage Public Library, 804-966-2480
Hopewell Happy Caps	Hopewell Library, 209 E. Cawson St	Hopewell	Thursday 1 st , 3 rd ,	10am-noon	804-458-6329
Hopewell Helpful Hearts	Hopewell Library, 209 E. Cawson St	Hopewell	Thursday 2 nd , 4 th	5:30-7:30pm	
Kay's Krafters	3105 Three Bridge Road	Powhatan	Friday 2 nd , 4 th	1-5pm	
King George, Peace Lutheran Ch	5590 Kings Highway	King George	Friday 2 nd , 4 th	10am-noon	540-775-9131
Mall Group	Chesterfield Town Center	Midlothian	Thursday 1 st , 3 rd	9am-noon	
Mathews Group, A Common Thread	Ch of Francis De Sales, 176 Lovers	Mathews	Wednesday, 1 st	10:30am-2:00pm	
McKenney Library Group	Ragsdale Room, McKenney Library	McKenney	Wednesday 1 st , 3 rd	3:00-5:00pm	804-458-6329
Michael's, (craft room)	Midlothian Tnpk. & Courthouse Rd	Midlothian	Wednesday 1 st , 3 rd	Noon-3pm	
Midlothian Women's Group	Starbucks, Ivy Mount Shopping Ctr	Midlothian	Monday 1 st /Friday 3 rd	10:00am / 2:00pm	
Montpelier Crafters	Montpelier Ctr for the Arts and Educ.	Montpelier	Tuesday 2 nd , 4 th	1-3pm	
N Courthouse Rd Library Fiber Trends	325 N. Courthouse Rd.	Richmond	Tuesday, every	11am-1 pm	
Panera Bread	Midlothian and Chippenham	Richmond	Tuesday every	5:30-7:30pm	Beth Williamson, 804-920-1542
Prince George Yarnspinners	Prince George Lib, 6605 Courts Dr	Prince George	Tuesday 1 st , 3 rd	2-4pm	
Redeemer Lutheran	9400 Redbridge Rd. (Conf. room)	Richmond	Saturday 4 th (ex-Dec)	9-11am	
Southside Stitchers, Richmond	Publix café, 7045 Forest Hill Ave.	Richmond	Tuesday every	7-9pm	Patricia Selinger 804-467-5699
Starbucks	5001 Huguenot Road	Richmond	Friday every	9:30am-noon	
Stonebridge Recreation Ctr	230 Karl Linn Drive	N. Chesterfield	Monday every	10:00am-1:00pm	
Summerhill Retirement Ctr	3158 Lake Village Drive	Richmond	Thursday 4 th	1:30-3:30pm	
Twin Hickory Clubhouse Group	4601 Twin Hickory Lake Drive	Glen Allen	Friday 2 nd , 4 th	10:30am-12:30pm	Mickey Price, 804-364-1257, mickeyprice@comcast.net
Violet Bank Stitchers	Violet Bank Museum, 303 Virginia Ave	Colonial Hgts	Tuesday every	10a-noon	804-520-9395