

Letter from Lois – October 2020

We certainly don't have excessive amounts of funds, but we definitely have loads of talent as we've proven during the last six months!

While sitting at home, we've sewn, knitted crocheted and donated thousands of items...even though hampered by conditions keeping us from offering items to but only a very few of our normal recipients.

Those we have been able to contact have been very grateful, not only for our masks and surgical caps but blankets, shawls memory care items and so many, many baby hats!

We are so thankful to all of you for continuing to pass along your wonderful stitches to us...delivery people and cheerleaders...in order that we may put your projects into the hands for whom they are intended.

You are making such an amazing difference in those in need of not only a little warmth but such a deep contentment being wrapped in love and knowing someone really cares about them and their wellbeing.

We appreciate all of you, not only for your talents, but also for who you are inside. Such an unbelievable group you are! All our thanks go out to YOU!

Lois

From the Heart Weekly Yarn Pick-ups and Items Drop-Offs

We are trying something new at the workshop in order to facilitate the From the Heart membership being able to select their own yarn while also dropping off items at the workshop. We are using an on-line sign-up called SignUpGenius and will, hopefully be allowing people **with appointments** to come and browse the shelves for yarn for 10 minutes apiece. **One** person per time slot. I will be sending emails and posting to Facebook to let you know when these events will be taking place. Please note that each event has its own distinct sign-up link so you may not use last weeks to sign up for this week.

The following will apply:

- From the Heart members only - by appointment using the sign-up link
- The space in the workshop will be limited to one browser and one coordinator
- Your temperature will be taken before you enter
- There will be sanitizer available for you to use upon entering and leaving the workshop
- You may stay in the workshop for up to 10 minutes

- You **MUST** put on a mask before entering the building and you must keep it on the entire time you are inside
- You will be required to sign in with your name and phone number in the event we need to conduct contact tracing at any point
- You may pick up yarn for yourself and others (limited to 1 bag per person, 5 bags per group)
- You may drop off up to 5 items, properly bagged and tagged and these must be items we have a need for at the time of your visit. We will let you know, each week, what we need
- As each visit will be limited to 10 minutes, the bathroom will be off limits to all
- As a reminder, the yarn in the workshop is not intended for the personal use of the membership. It is intended to be used for making items which will be returned to From the Heart for distribution to those who have a need in our communities

If you sign up to select yarn, please arrive on time and respect that you will only be allowed to stay in the workshop until your chosen time slot is over, please respect social distancing rules if you do meet anybody else. Please bring your own bag(s) if at all possible as we do not have that many paper bags at the workshop at this time.

Thank you all for everything you have continued to do for our communities during this strange time. and safe.

If you would like to volunteer to make the tags (i.e., hole punch them and add the ties) or for any other questions or inquiries, please contact Tricia at (804)683-9015 or triciaennis2014@gmail.com.



Tip of the Month Two Ways to Soften Acrylic Yarn

Projects stitched using acrylic yarn (especially Red Heart) are sometimes a bit stiff and/or scratchy. Here are

two ways to soften your completed item.

1. Spritz your item(s) with a little plain water, throw them in your dryer, add a dryer sheet and dry for about 15 minutes. Normally they come out soft and definitely more pleasing to the touch!
2. Soak your item(s) in warm water for a few minutes. Add a small amount of hair conditioner to the water and gently massage into the fibers. Rinse out the conditioner well, gently squeezing out the excess water. Let air dry or throw in a dryer to finish.

Busy Peach, Indeed!

When Laverne Benton moved to Smyrna, Georgia in 2019 she knew the best method to find and make new friends would be through her passion of crochet and all things fiber arts. That did not take long, but first she needed to settle her family.

The move from Richmond to Smyrna was prompted by a job transfer. She had only days to prepare for the move as she needed to enroll her children in schools that began earlier than in Virginia. She has not slowed her pace since then.

Laverne had been an active member with From the Heart when she lived in Richmond. In Georgia, she re-activated and organized a group of teammates at work to contribute their time and talent for FtH projects as well as charities in Georgia. (We featured this active group in our February 2020 [newsletter](#).)

If you have visited your LYS lately or perhaps looked at the home page of Ravelry you have likely seen the popular call-to-action purple pattern, “[emPower People](#)”. The pattern is available in crochet, knit, lace knit, brioche knit, Tunisian crochet and as a sewing project. Laverne is a co-founder of the project along with three other fiber lovers. Laverne, whose user name is “BzyPeach” on her Etsy, Facebook, Pinterest, and Twitter accounts, has certainly been “busy”. She also created and self-published her custom “Yarn Project



Journals”. Her popular journals resulted in an invitation to participate in the New York Vogue Knitting Live in 2020. Recently, this very “busy peach” has begun dying her own line of [pima cotton yarns](#) for sale, too.

Thank you, Laverne, for your many donations and your inspiration. We celebrate your contributions to FtH and your creative talents.

Did You Know?



Queen Victoria Knitting

Queen Victoria was an avid knitter and crocheter and she also spun? Victoria was Queen of Great Britain and Ireland from 20 June 1837 until her death in 1901.

Before the nineteenth century, knitting and crocheting were activities only for the poor, cottage industries, and out of necessity to earn a living. But Queen Victoria, who enjoyed the craft, elevated the status of knitting and crocheting by setting a royal example. By the end of her life, every properly brought up girl, no matter what her class, was taught to knit and crochet as a matter of course.

Many thanks to Kim R. for this interesting little tidbit.

Current Needs – October 2020

We are asking that you store any items you make, in your own home, until we request them to be brought to a drop-off event. We are requesting that you please tag items before bringing them in. To print tags, go to:

www.fromtheheartstitchers.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/fth-tags.pdf

Tags should be printed on white card stock.

Tags may also be picked up at any of our designated drop-off/pick-up events.

If you know of a need and can deliver any items yourself, please let Lois (804) 305-497) know what and how many you have delivered.

Richmond and Surrounding areas:

- Dressed 9” bears
- Hat and Scarf sets for grades K through 12
- Blankets of at least 36” X 42” and larger

Fredericksburg/King George has a need for:

- Masks & ear savers (including masks for children)
- Baby items
- Blankets - lap and large
- Wheelchair totes

If you are in the Fredericksburg/King George area and have any of these items ready, please contact Pam (540) 661-7967, to arrange for pick-up or delivery.

Fredericksburg/ King George Update October 2020

As most of you are aware, we had the next workshop scheduled for Saturday October 24th. The decision has been made not to hold the workshop as we would have to severely limit the number that would be able to attend in keeping with the social distancing guidelines.

We will be holding another drop off/ pickup at the Ruritan Building on Wednesday October 14th from 10-12. You will be able to bring your completed items to the Ruritan Bldg. We are asking if you have tags, please make sure your items are tagged but you can turn them in tagged or not. We will be accepting your completed items to free up your space and help us be ready for when we are able to start delivering again. **PLEASE NOTE:** This is NOT a workshop, but a drop off and pick up.

If you want to drop off or pick up supplies. I will need the following information from you by **Thursday 10/8 by 5:00 PM**. After that I will be bagging the supplies and will do my best to provide what you are asking for.

- Your name
- What you would like to drop off finished items
 - types of items
 - approx. count would be very helpful. Please separate each type of item into a different bag, this will make it easy for you to simply place the bag on the correct table
- Pick up supplies
 - tags
 - fabric to make masks
 - elastic
 - pick up yarn
 - pick up tags so you can turn things in already tagged going forward
- If you need yarn, what yarn would you prefer by weight and color
 - Weight = #4, #3 etc. or tell me if you want worsted, sport, chunky, etc.
 - Color, what color(s) or variegated
 - A big bag of leftovers for making???
 - Leftover yarn to make ear savers
 - Buttons for ear savers
 - How much yarn you would like to get (limit 5 skeins per person). Leftovers are not limited as we have an abundant supply of them.
- Any other information you might think pertinent

Please feel free to share this email and information with anyone whom you think might want/need to know. Please tell other FTH members as these emails do not always reach the intended individual. Additionally, some members do not have email service.

Agenda for 10/14 at the Ruritan

- Open for receiving finished items and picking up supplies only – from 10:00am – 12:00noon
- Face Coverings will be required to enter the building.
- You will need to enter the building by walking up the ramp.
- As you enter you will find tables labeled (as we do at our meetings), so you know where to drop off your items.
- Proceed to the kitchen and look on the counters for a bag with your name on it - if you requested supplies.
- You will exit the building by the door in the kitchen, there are a few steps at the exit.

Please feel free to socially distant visit with other members in the parking lot **ONLY** as we are limiting time in the building to keep everyone safe and well. There is a covered area if it is hot or raining.

Click [here](#) to view the set up at the Ruritan Building. Click [here](#) for directions to the building.

Thank you so much for all you do for From the Heart. I know that all of the locations we deliver to are going to be very appreciative of the items we will be able to deliver to them. Please do all you can to keep yourself and those around you safe.

Pam
pegreswolde@comcast.net, 540.661.7967

Bears

Please feel free to pick up **one** bear from the Workshop and make **additional outfits** that can be turned in for us to dress. These small, quick projects deliver so much happiness and joy to little ones. How much joy can you provide?

Deadline to turn in outfits and bears is Saturday, November 28th at the latest. We also have another large outreach which would like dressed bears as soon as possible. Check the [From the Heart](#) website for patterns. You can also use any 9” doll/teddy bear patterns you like.



Donation Inventory Numbers

Previous Total

Mid 2002 – 2020..... **348,542**

2020

Jan - August 48,453

September (as of Sept. 27)..... 9,470

Year to Date Total 58,193

Grand Total **406,735**

Number of COVID-19 Items Donated

Here is a quick update on the number of COVID-19 items donated into our communities by From the Heart, as of September 27th, 2020.

Masks 33,900

Ear Eases 5,107

Surgical Caps..... 1,252

These are the numbers which have currently gone out and do not include anything we still have to deliver.

For Your Browsing Pleasure

Off the main topic of needlework "Do you love puzzles?". Go to jigsawpuzzles.com or TheSudoku.com

for free puzzles. Don't forget your crocheting as October is Halloween and crochet pumpkins abound. Click on Crochet365KnitToo.com and click on large pumpkin or small pumpkin to cheer up a home bound Halloween. Different pumpkin variations can also be found on [Gina Michelle.com](http://GinaMichelle.com). For the knitter check out [Arianna Frasca.com](http://AriannaFrasca.com) for 52 weeks of soft knitting stitches to keep your interest up in knitting the baby blankets that FTH needs so much. EXTRA: Ravelry has a RBG Dissent Collar crochet directions for free to honor the late Supreme Court Judge, Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg. Great for timeless Halloween Costume for young or old or to add pizzazz to a pullover.

– Janet Sparzak

Calendar Updates for October 2020

Some of our small groups have started to meet again via Zoom so feel free to check, before you head out, that your group is meeting and how your group is meeting.

Once your meetings open up again in a non-virtual way, please DO NOT attend ANY meeting if you are feeling unwell in any way. Also, if any meetings do start up again in person, From the Heart requests that all attendees wear a face covering as a courtesy to others.

Tricia (804) 683-9015 Triciaennis2014@gmail.com

What's in a number?

What have we been making this year and how does it compare with last year? Comparing the distribution of inventory from January-September 2019, total items distributed during that time were 13,295. So far in 2020, we've distributed 58,193 items. Wow! What went out last year as opposed to this year? The comparison looks like this.

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
Hats (all sizes)	6,216	5,762
Scarves (all sizes)	1,296	442
Blankets (all sizes)	2,256	2,708
Underarm Pillows	1,023	597
Suzy bags	749	333
Seatbelt Protectors	684	1,618
Face Masks		33,900
Ear Savers		5,107
Surgical Caps		1,252
Misc. (pet cozies, knitted Knockers, Memory care, etc.)	1,071	6,474
Jan-Sept Total Items.	13,295	58,193

We have sent out more face masks during this pandemic than the TOTAL number of all items for all of 2019 (24,227). In addition, our regular deliveries of blankets, hats, and scarves this year are close to what we did last year. I want to do a shout out to our sewers. So much of what we make is sewn rather than knitted or crocheted. They have really gone above and beyond this year!

Nancy Wright

Universal Hat and Scarf Set (Knit)

Abbreviations:

K = Knit

P = Purl

HAT:

Knit in the round:

Worsted weight yarn #4 12-16 oz (depending on whether child or adult size)

Size US #8 16" circular needle or 32" to use as the magic loop

Size 8 needles for a small adult or a child, #9 for an adult sized hat

Cast on 66 stitches and to twist stitches to knit in the round.

Rows 1, 2, and 3: K2, P1 around

Row 4: P round

Repeat these four rows until about 8 inches long. End with row 3.

Next row: K2 together P1.

This will leave a k1 p1 ribbing. K1, P1 for two inches.

Begin knitting K2 together around hat. K2 together until there are about 8 stitches on needle.

Cut yarn and use tapestry needle to thread the stitches and draw into a tight circle. Tie off.

SCARF

Sample worked with #4 yarn and size 10 needles. Creates scarf approximately 4 inches wide.

For wider scarf cast on more stitches in increments of 3.

Cast on 18 stitches. Edge stitches are worked in garter stitch throughout.

Row 1: Knit 2 (K2, P1) 4 times, Knit 4

Row 2: Knit 2, Purl 2 (K1, P2) 4 times, Knit 2

Row 3: Knit 2 (K2, P1) 4 times, Knit 4

Row 4: Knit

End after working row 2. Bind off all stitches.

Weave in ends.



Easy Bulky Crochet Hat and Scarf Set

SIZE:

One Size Hat Finished Circumference About 19" but will stretch to fit a range of sizes.

SCARF About 6 x 65 in. (15 x 165 cm)

MATERIALS

450 yards bulky (#5) yarn

Size K crochet hook, Tapestry needle for weaving in ends

GAUGE:

11 single crochet = about 4 in. (10 cm).

NOTES:

1. Scarf is worked lengthwise.
2. Rib effect is created by working through back loops only.

HAT

Chain 26.

Row 1: Single crochet in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across - 25 stitches.

Row 2: Ch 1, turn. Working through back loops only, single crochet in each stitch across.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures about 19 in. (48.5 cm) from beginning. Fasten off, leaving a long yarn tail. Thread tail through ends of rows along one long edge and pull to gather for top of Hat. Knot securely.

Seam sides of piece to make Hat. Weave in ends.

SCARF

Chain 181.

Row 1: Single crochet in 2nd chain from hook and in each chain across - 180 stitches.

Row 2: Chain 1, turn. Working in back loops only, single crochet in each stitch across.

Repeat Row 2 until piece measures about 6 in. (15 cm) from beginning.

Fasten off. Weave in ends.



From the Heart Local Group Times

(Subject to Change : Check Before Heading out)

October 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<p>1</p> <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, call for details 	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starbucks, Huguenot Rd, 9:30am – noon • Five Rivers Fiber Guild Heathsville. 10am – noon 	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atlee Angels, Legacy Park, 1-3pm
<p>4</p>	<p>5</p> <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 	<p>6</p> <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 	<p>7</p> <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, 10:30a –2:00p • Colony Critters, Patriot's Colony, Williamsburg. 1:30pm 	<p>8</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hopewell Library 5:30pm 7:30pm • Hanover Fiber Arts, call for details 	<p>9</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starbucks, Huguenot Rd, 9:30am – noon • Kay's Krafters 1-5pm • Five Rivers Fiber Guild Heathsville. 10am – noon • King George - Peace Lutheran Church 10 am – noon • Twin Hickory Clubhouse Group 10:30am – 12:30pm – Call for Information – potentially Zoom 	<p>10</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Louisa Hardees 10am – noon
<p>11</p>	<p>12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Crossings at Bon Air 2pm • Gayton Kirk K/C, Gayton Kirk Church 7pm • Stonebridge Rec.Ctr. 10:00am – 1:00pm 	<p>13</p> <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 • Fredericksburg : Redeemer Lutheran Church, 5120 Harrison Rd. 10:00am – 12:30pm • Glen Allen Library Group, noon – 2pm • Montpelier Crafters 1 – 3pm 	<p>14</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colonial Heights Senior Ctr 10-noon • Farmville Baptist Church, 132 N Main St, Farmville, 5:00pm • Elmcroft Retirement 1:30pm • Dinwiddie Library 1:00-3:00pm • Brandermill/Woodlake Group Panera, Brad McNeer Pky 6:30-8pm • Chesterfield Needlework Friends • Central Library 1pm – 2:30pm 	<p>15</p> <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, call for details 	<p>16</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starbucks, Huguenot Rd. 9:30am – noon • Five Rivers Fiber Guild Heathsville. 10am – noon • Midlothian Women's Group Starbucks, Ivy Mount Shopping Center. 2:00 – 4:00pm 	<p>17</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Atlee Angels, Legacy Park, 10am – noon
<p>18</p>	<p>19</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Crossings at Bon Air 2pm • Gayton Kirk K/C, Gayton Kirk Church 7pm • Stonebridge Rec.Ctr. 10:00am – 1:00pm • From the Heart Quilters Quilter's Corner 10am-1pm • Charles City County Library 1:00pm 	<p>20</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chesterfield Heights Comm. Ctr 2:00- 3:30pm • Fredericksburg Wegman's 2nd Fl Food Court - 5:30-7:30pm • Glen Allen Library Group, noon – 2pm • North Courthouse Rd Library, 11am – 1pm • Panera, Midlo & Chippenham 5:30–7:30pm • Prince George Library 2:00 – 4:00pm • Southside Stitchers (Richmond), Publix café on Forest Hill Ave. 7:00-9:00pm • Violet Bank Stitchers, 10am – noon 	<p>21</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colonial Heights Senior Ctr 10-noon • McKenney Library (Ragsdale Room) 3:00 – 5:00pm • Farmville Baptist Church, 132 N Main St, Farmville, 5:00pm • Michael's, Midlothian Tnpk. & Courthouse Rd. noon-3:00pm 	<p>22</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hopewell Library 5:30–7:30pm • Summerhill Retirement Ctr. 1:30-3:30pm • Hanover Fiber Arts, call for details 	<p>23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starbucks Huguenot Rd 9:30am – noon • Kay's Krafters 1-5pm • Five Rivers Fiber Guild Heathsville. 10am – noon • King George - Peace Lutheran Church 10 am – noon • Twin Hickory Clubhouse Group Call for Information – potentially Zoom 	<p>24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Redeemer Lutheran Redbridge Rd (Conf. room) 9-11am
<p>25</p>	<p>26</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Crossings at Bon Air 2pm • Gayton Kirk K/C, Gayton Kirk Church 7pm • Stonebridge Rec.Ctr. 10:00am – 1:00pm 	<p>• Chesterfield Heights Comm. Ctr 2:00- 3:30pm</p> <p>• Fredericksburg : Redeemer Lutheran Church, 5120 Harrison Rd. 10:00am – 12:30pm</p> <p>• Glen Allen Library Group, noon – 2pm</p> <p>• North Courthouse Rd Library, 11am – 1pm</p> <p>• Panera, Midlo & Chippenham 5:30–7:30pm</p> <p>• Southside Stitchers (Richmond), Publix café on Forest Hill Ave. 7:00-9:00pm</p> <p>• Violet Bank Stitchers, 10am – noon</p> <p>• Montpelier Crafters 1 – 3pm</p>	<p>28</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colonial Heights Senior Ctr 10-noon • Farmville Baptist Church, • Elmcroft Retirement 1:30pm • Chesterfield Needlework Friends Central Library 1pm – 2:30pm • Dinwiddie Library 1:00-3:00pm • Brandermill/Woodlake Group Panera, Brad McNeer Pky 6:30-8pm • Farmville Baptist Church, 5:00pm 	<p>29</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hanover Fiber Arts, call for details 	<p>30</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Starbucks, Huguenot Rd, 9:30am – noon • Five Rivers Fiber Guild Heathsville. 10am – noon 	<p>31</p>

Name	Address	City	Day of Month	Time of Day	Contact
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
Louisa Hardees	881 Jeff Davis Hwy	Louisa	Saturday, 2 nd	10am-noon	Pat Gibson 540-872-5524
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