April 16th, 2023

Workshop: Charity Sew-in hosted by Barbara Slaton

Time: 11:00 to 4:00 pm

Location: Hunterdon County Complex, 314 State Route 12, Building 2,

Flemington NJ

We will be making pillowcases for Ryan's Case for Smiles (formerly Conkerr Cancer). Ryan's Case for Smiles delivers over 200,000 pillowcases to local hospitals each year. The idea behind this is to help children with cancer and other life changing illnesses feel better to heal better. Check out their website caseforsmiles.org and watch the video to see how it all got started.

This will be a great opportunity to go through your stash of kid friendly fabrics - only two are needed for each pillowcase. Instructions can be found on their website, CHQ Resource Web page and in the February Newsletter. Supplies to bring: Sewing machine, neutral or thread to match your fabric and general sewing supplies. 100% cotton novelty fabric for boys and girls ages 2-17, no flannel please. 3/4 yd for the body and 1/3 yd for the border. Both should coordinate well, be cheerful and appealing to young children. Some kits will be available to sew that day if you do not have your own.

Please consider participating in this worthwhile event. If you can't make it that day, perhaps you can make a few at home. Bring to either the March or April meeting and give to Barbara Slaton. Pillowcases must be washed, ironed, and placed in quart Ziplock bags. Please use unscented detergent. NO fabric softener or dryer sheets and check for pins or open seams. If you don't have unscented detergent, no worries, just make your pillowcase and someone will take it home to wash and iron.

Evening: CHQ's 35thAnniversary Celebration & Quilt Challenge

Time: 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Location: Hunterdon County Complex Building, Rt 12

Building 2 Flemington NJ

Color Collaboration Quilt Challenge

Make a monochromatic color schemed quilt panel exclusively using the single color and its tints, shades, and tones from the *Joen Wolfrom* color card you've received. White or black cannot be used. All submissions should measure @ 15" wide x 45" long. There are no restrictions in theme, subject matter, or piecing techniques. The "Other" category is wide-open, although it must be done in a monochromatic color scheme. If you haven't received your color card, contact Anne at aoswald827@gmail.com

Drop off quilts at the Hunterdon County Complex between 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. so we have time to hang them in the room