



Creative Caring Hearts

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OUR NEXT MEETING IS:

Tuesday, August 9, 2011

6:30 p.m.

*Park Vista Retirement Community,
950 County Road QQ, Waupaca
Call 715-258-2524 for directions*

PLEASE NOTE! WE ARE NOT MEETING IN JUNE OR JULY DUE TO BUSY MONTHS FOR OUR VOLUNTEERS! See you in August!

WE HOPE YOU COME JOIN US!

**THE MONTH OF THE
TEXTURE BLANKETS**

When Char Heger and I think of this past month, we will think of it as the “month of the texture blankets”. Thanks to donations of textured fabric from our current volunteers and from the wonderful ladies at Pine Tree Needlers Quilt Guild, Char and I were able to create and give out 8 texture blankets:

- 2 to Early Childhood Intervention
- 2 to Early Head Start
- 4 to Healthy Beginnings

These blankets will be used by the staff of these three agencies in working with their infant clients. We also donated some of our soft balls and taggies to these agencies.



Four of our blankets.

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SPECIAL WORK DAY

As you may recall, the **Riverside Hospital Foundation** has given us a grant to create a special project in memory of two of their members. From a discussion with staff from the nurses in Women and Infant Health Department, it has been decided that we will make hooded towels for each baby born at Riverside Hospital—until the towels run out.

We will be holding a **special work day** to work on this project:

Monday, June 27

**Camp Cleghorn Activity Building
Start at 10 a.m.**

Go until ????

Come and go as you can, but do consider joining us to help on this big project. We will need cutters, assemblers, and sewers. Those of us who will be there over lunch will bring our own lunches and beverages.

Just to give you an idea, Mary Jo Feldmann and I ordered 24 bolts of terry cloth—that’s 192 yards. JoAnn Fabrics in Appleton worked with us to give us a 50% discount and special order without handling charges, which we greatly appreciate! Currently those 24 bolts are residing on our basement pool table, just waiting to be made into really cute towels.

***Note to Riverside staff: Feel free to join us that day! We’d love to get to know you better!

**NEEDS TO WATCH FOR OVER
THE SUMMER**

- Hard-covered books;
- Grants for which to apply;
- Good deals on yarn or fabric;
- Babies in any of our items!

June 2011

May 2011 TOTALS

Donations given to:
 Early Childhood Intervention...31
 Early Head Start.....42
 Healthy Beginnings.....170
 Milwaukee Children’s Hosp.....89
 Private.....35
 Riverside Hospital.....300
 St. Michael’s Hospital.....362
TOTAL-----1029

Donations In.....866

Volunteer Hours.....711

Layette bags given out in May:
11 boys, 7 girls

**Running total of layettes this year:
37 boys, 31 girls**

Other donations: fabric, cans, gently used clothing

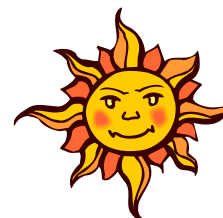
PIGGLY WIGGLY RECEIPTS

We will collect receipts at the work groups or you can mail to:

**Shari Cerne, 206 S. Harrison St.,
Waupaca WI 54981.**

Thank you for continuing to collect these receipts!

**THANK YOU TO ALL OF YOU
WHO STEPPED IN AND TOOK
OVER THE MAY MEETING
WHEN I WAS DOWN WITH THE
FLU SO SUDDENLY!**



Have a great summer!