

QUILTS FOR FALLEN HEROES

The following information is provided to clarify requirements if you wish to participate in making quilts for the Center for the Intrepid (rehabilitation center for wounded soldiers) and the Fisher House (housing for the wounded soldiers and their families) at BAMC.

“For members who wish to select their own fabric and donate a quilt” - the following guidelines apply:

Interim Quilts (Rehabilitation Center):

- Quilt Sizes - 50 x 50 or 60 x 60
 - Or the Yellow Brick Road Pattern – Size 48 x 57 (Patterns Available)
- Colors – ANY COLOR SCHEME, Prefer Red, White, Blue, Beige, and Patriotic Fabrics
- Pattern – ANY PATTERN (i.e stars, Freedom Star Block) - EXCEPTION: No 9 Patch Quilts

Patriotic Yellow Brick Road Pattern Quilts: (For the Fisher Houses Suites)

- Quilt Size – 57 x 75 (See the “Lap Size” on the back of the pattern)
- Colors – ONLY Patriotic Fabrics with some Red, White, Blues and Beiges mixed in
- Pattern – Yellow Brick Road ONLY (Pattern Available)

For members who have signed up for a partial “kit” - the following guidelines apply:

Interim Quilts (Rehabilitation Center):

- Quilt will be made using the Yellow Brick Road Pattern – Size 48 x 57 inches
- Partial kit contains instructions, pattern, and 6 fat quarters.
- Requires donation of fabric for border, binding, batting, and backing.
- Kit will be distributed at the January 2007 meeting.

Patriotic Yellow Brick Road Pattern Quilts: (For the Fisher Houses Suites)

- Quilt will be made using the Yellow Brick Road Pattern – (57 x 75)
- Partial kit contains instructions, pattern, and 12 fat quarters.
- Requires donation of fabric for border, binding, batting, and backing (Blue fabric for border and backing only)
- Kit will be distributed beginning with the September 2006 meeting based on individuals who have signed up.

NOTE: ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS/REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL QUILTS::

- Pre-Wash Fabric – recommend use of 100% cotton only
- Machine or Hand quilted only – NO TIED QUILTS
- Cotton Batting required for long arm quilters if you cannot quilt your quilts
- Personalize your own Label as you desire
- Keep track of your Community Service Hours
- Return pattern as soon as you have completed making as many quilts for this project as you want.

For questions or more information, see Karen at the Charitable Activities Table at Guild.