

Project Linus

Providing Security Through Blankets

Orange County, NY/Pike County, PA Chapter

OCTOBER 2025 NEWSLETTER

OVER 10 MILLION BLANKETS DONATED NATIONWIDE

Our Chapter's TOTAL BLANKETS DONATED SINCE 2001 - 60,753

Our Chapter's BLANKETS DONATED in 2025 – 2,601

Monthly meetings are for dropping off finished blankets. See the blankets that are donated & help sew a Project Linus label on each blanket before the blankets are donated. Meet the volunteers. There is always a way you can help. Stay for as long as you want or for the entire meeting. Check our website for details about special events at each meeting. Sign up for monthly emails to get detailed information about each event at each meeting.

Town of Wallkill Community Ctr
Wes Warren Dr., Middletown, NY

10 AM to 1:30 PM

Oct. 11 - Meeting

Nov. 8 - Meeting

Dec. 13 - Meeting

Matamoras Boro Hall
10 Ave I, Matamoras, PA

10 AM to 1 PM

Oct. 9 - Meeting

Nov. 13 - Meeting

Dec. 11 - Meeting

Our meetings are the only place to drop off blankets currently.
Project Linus will have the only table with free donations on it.

Donations must be arranged with the Chapter Coordinator before the donation is delivered.

We do not accept rag quilts or double fleece blankets.

We do not accept blankets which smell of SMOKE!

**ALL BLANKETS SHOULD BE AT LEAST 40 (OR WIDTH OF FABRIC)
BY 48 INCHES & UP TO 56 INCHES IN LENGTH.**

If you have any questions, please contact the chapter coordinator at
oclinus@ptd.net

We cannot accept any blankets that have been washed or dried in scented products or donated in scented bags. The scent is picked up by the fabric & yarn & can be dangerous to a child.

Before turning ANY of your blankets in or sewing labels on the blankets, please exam them very, very carefully for pins.

If you donate **blankets at the monthly meetings & are not staying**, blankets must be brought into the meeting in an unscented bag with your name & contact information in the bag & given to the Chapter Coordinator. They are not to be put out on the tables to be labeled or dropped off at the sign in table.

Limited amounts of fleece and batting will be available at meetings for distribution to volunteers to make Project Linus Blankets.

**If you are interested in fleece or batting SEND EMAIL IN ORDER TO RESERVE YOUR FLEECE OR BATTING
oclinus@ptd.net**

BLANKET NEEDS- Child Friendly Material & Patterns

We accept CROCHET AND KNITTED BLANKETS OF ACRYLIC YARN NO HEAVIER THAN WORSTED WEIGHT YARN

**WE ARE ALWAYS IN NEED OF SINGLE LAYER
NO SEW FLEECE BLANKETS AND WE WILL PUNCH THE WHOLE IN
THE FLEECE IF YOU WISH TO CROCHET THE EDGES**

1 1/3 TO 1 1/2 YARDS LONG BY THE WIDTH OF THE FABRIC

- **To get detailed information about each meeting please be sure you are on our email list as these emails usually have more details of special events and meetings.**

You can request to be on the email list at projectlinusocpc@gmail.com

Meeting dates & Show & Tell Pictures are on website: www.projectlinusocpc.org

Email all questions or comments to: projectlinusocpc@gmail.com or oclinus@ptd.net