

# Project Linus

Providing Security Through Blankets

Orange County, NY/Pike County, PA Chapter

## MARCH 2026 NEWSLETTER

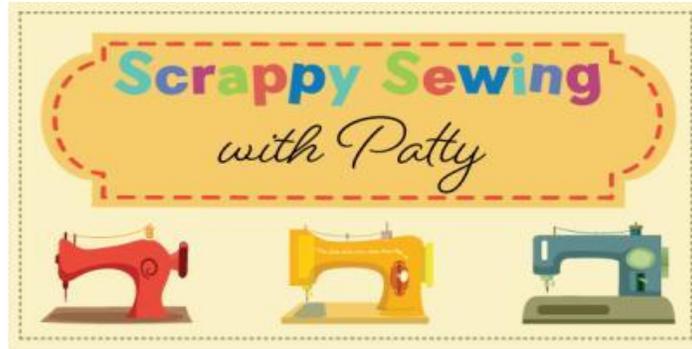
OVER 10 MILLION BLANKETS DONATED NATIONWIDE

Our Chapter's **TOTAL BLANKETS DONATED SINCE 2001 – 62,400 +**

Our Chapter's **BLANKETS DONATED in 2026 – 487**

### March Meetings-Half Square Triangle Challenge

Meetings are held based on weather conditions & will be canceled either the night before or the morning of the meeting. You need to check our website, facebook or email when meetings are canceled for details.



### SCRAPPY SEWING WITH PATTY STARTS MARCH 18<sup>TH</sup>

### 7 PATTERNS FOR \$20 CAN BE DONATED TO OUR CHAPTER

Monthly meetings are for dropping off finished blankets. 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.

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.

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

10 AM to 1:30 PM

March 14 – Challenge/Meeting

April 18 – Meeting **NOTE DATE**

May 9 – Meeting

June 13 - Meeting

Matamoras Boro Hall  
10 Ave I, Matamoras, PA

10 AM to 1 PM

March 19 – Challenge/Meeting

April 16 – Meeting

May 21 – Meeting

June 18 - Meeting

**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.**

**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.**

**NEW QUILT KITS WILL BE AVAILABLE  
& limited supplies of batting for the kits for  
Project Linus Blankets.**

## **BLANKET NEEDS**

### **Child Friendly Material & Patterns**

**Quilts using cotton fabric. No sew fleece blankets.**

**We also 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 HOLES 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](mailto:projectlinusocpc@gmail.com)

Meeting dates & Show & Tell Pictures are on website: [www.projectlinusocpc.org](http://www.projectlinusocpc.org)

Email all questions or comments to: [projectlinusocpc@gmail.com](mailto:projectlinusocpc@gmail.com) or [oclinus@ptd.net](mailto:oclinus@ptd.net)