


Project:  Buddy Bear®

 Handmade with love!



Piedmont Craftsmen Exhibiting Member, Pat Taylor has been making quilted teddy bears to donate to the Winston-Salem Police Department. This began with a customer donating a much loved quilt that was beyond repair. That quilt is now Angel Bears that will be given to first responders to have available for children who are in stressful or frightening situations. The bears will give them a friend to hug during a difficult time.

Piedmont Craftsmen is partnering with the Winston-Salem Police Department to help Pat expand this program further into the community. In addition we have received a grant from the Arts Council of Winston Salem Forsyth County that will cover the initial cost of batting and stuffing materials.

***You can help with donations of cotton fabric scraps, old quilts, thread, or ribbon.*** Monetary donations can be made to **Piedmont Craftsmen, Inc. (Project: Buddy Bear).**

We are looking for volunteers to help make the bears. If you can help with any one or more of the following that would be fantastic!!!

**cut patterns or batting or quilts**

**stuff bears**

**sew bears (intermediate to advanced sewing skills)**

**quilt pattern pieces**

**hand stitch back opening**



Please join us on **the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays and the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday from 10:00am – 12:00pm in the Highland Presbyterian Activity Building on Cloverdale Avenue**

Contact Pat Taylor at [projectbuddybear@yahoo.com](mailto:projectbuddybear@yahoo.com) to let her know if you can come.