



President's Highlights

Hello Fellow Sewist,

I'm hoping this newsletter finds you and your family staying cool. Our Texas heat has settled in with a vengeance. The only place to be these days is inside. And what better time to tackle all those UFO's we have sitting in our sewing rooms.

We are resurrecting the Community Sew Neighborhood Group via Zoom. We are starting with adult bibs for an assisted living facility in Plano. If you'd like to join us for future projects, click the link at the bottom of this page "update your preferences". We can always use more helping hands.

Our Special Events Committee has been arranging a get together for October which will coincide with our Annual Meeting and Election of Officers. Mark

your calendar - October 2nd, 3:00 PM - more information to follow.

Jami Roux and I are resurrecting the Neighborhood Group formerly called Toujour Couture. We will be meeting on September 2nd at 10:30 at The Stitch House in Plano. This meeting will have a different format. If you are planning on attending, please come with ideas for future meetings. And for meetings starting in October and beyond, we will be meeting at Peggy Sager's shop on Beltline.

Because it's the "Dog Days of Summer", I don't have much to report. Therefore I'm including a link to this interesting story about the Sewing Machine called "The Many, Many Designs of the Sewing Machine". I hope you enjoy this bit of history.

<https://www.smithsonianmag.com/arts-culture/the-many-many-designs-of-the-sewing-machine-2142740/>

That's all I have for you this month.

Happy creating,

Marie

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Let's Get Together at Our Chapter Events

Check out the [calendar](#) to get info on Neighborhood group meetings, Homegrown Workshops, Special Events and other sewing related events around town.

In case you missed it, here are the a couple of our most popular posts from last month.

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