



# President's Highlights

Hello Fellow Sewist,

Everyone staying cool??? At least our sewing rooms are air conditioned and I for one am delighted to be working my way through so many piles of projects.

The State Fair Winners have been announced and the Plano Chapter members have earned 18 ribbons!!! Five of them are First Place!!! WooHoo!

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Mary Bensel, Donna Depue, Sally-Ann Flak, Joanne Jensen, Carol Johnston, Margaret Montgomery, Marcia Moore, Judy Nordseth, Debbie Reid, Shirley Rogers, Jami Roux and Virginia Stein.

That's up quite a bit from last year where 3 ribbons were won. Debbie will be putting out a blog with pictures of all the winning items. These items will be displayed during the Fair in the Creative Arts Building. And what better time to start thinking about what you would like to enter next year.

## **Machine Cleaning Brushes**

This is an ad that was in Notions recently. And our very own Plano Sewing Center sells these. Quilt maven Eleanor Burns offers the perfect solution. Her package of **Sewing Machine Cleaning Brushes** has 25 bendable wands with micro tips that attract lint for precise cleaning. She recommends cleaning your machine after every project to keep it in top running condition.



Community Sew has been busy - they've finished 36 baby bibs of various sizes which were donated recently to Hope's Door. Join us any first Friday of the month at the Richardson Senior Center from 9:00 AM to Noon. They're always working on something that's needed somewhere.



Designing Divas has taken on a new project - a pant's sloper! What these women won't tackle! They meet the 4th Tuesday of the month at Christ United Methodist Church in Plano. Check out our website for more details.



Happy creating,  
*Marie*

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