Embellishments

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Merry Christmas

Happy New Year

The Christmas Get-Together

Check out our Facebook page for photos. I tried to put them here but the file was then too large to forward!

Those in attendance (about 23 members) enjoyed the time together. The individual chicken dinners were very tasty. (Thank you to Lyn and Stella for delivering them to us!) We exchanged ornaments, enjoyed some Christmas music, and played Christmas Bingo (thank you Joyce). Donations this year went to Day Break Child Centre. Please see the thank-you letter below.

Congratulations to the winners of Bingo!
Marg Adey, Mary Pippy, Barb Myles, Stella, Adrianna, Kathy Day, Joyce, and Stella!

January Meeting: The January meeting will be held on Jan. the 23th, 7:30 pm at Corpus Christie Parish Hall. We will be you adhering to the Covid-19 rules listed below. Please make note of the following:

- 1. Only 40 people are allowed to attend.
- 2. You must wear a mask until you are seated.
- 3. You must maintain social distancing.
- 4. If you would like tea or coffee, please provide your own.
- 5. It will be first come, first served.

Programs:

Programs for January to March will be a wonderful canvas piece called Summer Fireworks by Ann-Marie Anderson Moyes. This is one of the free pieces from her website: http://beautifulstitches.com.au/free-patterns/

This is a stash buster piece in that you can use threads from your stash. Jewel did and had no problem as all you will need is the following threads and stretcher bars:

1 skein of wildflower or variegated perle

1 skein of 4 contrasting/complimentary colours of 6-strand silk.

Stretcher bars in sizes 8 x 12

The guild supplied kit will contain the colour photocopies and the congress cloth.

If you want to order a set of threads, please send an email by December 30 so that an order can be placed. You will be responsible for the full cost of the threads. Call Jewel at 739-1660 or email to jewelcousens@gmail.com



Workshops:

- <u>a. Beaded Star</u>: Corinne has volunteered to teach a small beaded star ornament sometime in the spring. Cost \$25.00. Marg Adey will have a sign-up sheet at the monthly meeting.
- **b. Caribou Tufting**: Susan Furneaux is offering a caribou-tufting workshop on February 13th. Cost \$25.00. Marg will have a sign up sheet at the meeting.

Hannalore Walter Scholarship: January 31st is the deadline for applying. Go to the website for more information.

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St. John's Guild of Embroiders c/o Ms. Gillian Brown President 2 Exmouth Street St. John's, NL A1B 2E2

RE: Community Connections and Sharing Flavours Program Donation

Dear Ms. Brown:

Once again I find myself reminded of the generosity of Newfoundlanders and Labradoreans. I want to thank-you on behalf of Daybreak Parent Child Centre, specifically Daybreak Community Programs for your donation to our Community Connections and Sharing Flavours Programs.

2020 has been a year of constant change, fear, relief and so much more. Our families are facing challenges that included remote access schooling, guiding their children to learn social distancing and mask wearing. These families are resilient and amazing in meeting each of the changes and challenges, with a little support from the community.

The donation you made this year will be used by our Community Connections and Sharing Flavours families and our Barbara Hammond Food Cupboard (emergency foodbank). The cash will be used to buy food for the foodbank. The gift cards will be used to support newcomer families needing help through the coming months.

Your donation will make difference to mums, babies and children in a time of so much uncertain change. Your generosity is greatly appreciated, thank-you.

Sincerely

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