



Cupboard to Creativity 2020

May Update.

Hi Everyone,

May has been a month of huge change for many, and our family have been affected by this as well. Loss of life cannot always be prepared for, physically nor emotionally.

I do hope as you read this that you and your family are safe and well and you are finding ways to move beyond the current restrictions and you are able to reconnect with loved ones.

Life will never be the same again, and that is as it should be. We are always moving toward what is new, hopefully that also means life is exciting and meaningful rather than filled with tragedy and loss, yet this is unknown.

Circumstances will always be changing, and I know change for some is difficult. When we have outside influence controlling what we can and cannot do, this brings out different responses in each of us as we all have our individual perception through which we view the world around us and our part in it. I hope you are OK, but please reach out if you need help.

Quilts for Comfort:

There are many new quilts coming in from different ones to support the drive from Queensland Quilters for the fire affected families. Thank you so much to those who are assisting with this – hopefully we are getting closer to the day we will be able to distribute these – I will be happy to reclaim some of my storage space then.

I have shown here just a few of those I have received.

THANK YOU.





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May monthly border challenge – “A border with a heart Theme”

This month I chose to continue on with the same quilt as last month and added a Seminole heart border, after I had extended the quilt centre into a rectangle, using a simple checkerboard style panel at top and bottom—photo below.

Throughout the lockdown I have not seen too many projects in progress, however I know people are working on lots of different things as well as quilting and it is so good to get onto things that have been put aside for some time:)

I am happy to say that we have started slowly getting back into group sessions. The numbers are still smaller as our social distancing is being observed, and some people are still choosing to wait a little longer before returning to the groups, and that is fine.

I hope in the coming weeks I will start to see more of what you are all making. It has been lovely catching up with those that were able to join us in the groups already.

I have decided that I will start to create a separate set of border design worksheets that cover the different borders I am doing throughout this challenge. I will also continue to add to the collection of idea sheets I have been doing for “Quilts for Comfort”.

These sheets I am selling with the funds going toward the wadding and backing needed for the quilts made for gifting.

I am also working on getting video content onto my website..... Busy times ahead.

Have fun with the June theme.

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