

Caring For Our Community

Gwenda (left) helps co-ordinate this quilting group - her back shed has even been turned into a quilter's haven. "You'd think we were just a bunch of old ladies sewing bits of squares," she says: but far from it. The group has made quilts for groups including Women's Refuge, Wellington Hospital's neonatal unit, and Pike River families. Gwenda says quilting is a way of giving. "Every quilt is made with love."

A quilt can take weeks or a day to make. Regardless of the time involved, receiving something that has been made by hand is always appreciated.



"We bring comfort in every quilt."



The Sunshine Quilters



Left: Cassia and her Otaki Kindergarten friends are making this quilt to send to a kindergarten in Christchurch.

"Some people are struggling. We want people to know we're thinking of them."

The Sunshine Quilters need your unused material so they can continue their great work. Donations to the group to help cover expenses are also very welcome. Please contact Gwenda on 06 364 0226.

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