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THANKS TO CHERYL PETENBRINK FOR HELPING EVERY MONTH WITH THE NEWSLETTER!





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PICS FROM OUR JULY MEETING









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TIPS AND INFO

FOR SALE

BLINDSTITCHER FOR SALE – ASKING \$195

NEVER BEEN USED

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GOOD ONE FROM CHERYL PETENBRINK!

My sewing tools are judging me and honestly, they're not wrong.

Let's play a quick game called *If My Sewing Tools* Could Talk.

Because if they *could*, I'm pretty sure here's what they'd say:

Seam Ripper: "Oh, look who's back. Again."

Scissors: "If you cut paper with me one more time, I will disappear myself."

Ruler: "That line was not straight and we both know it."

P Needle Threader: "I exist and yet you continue to squint like you're performing surgery."



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Thread Spool: "Didn't match your bobbin? Bold choice."

Scrap Bin: "I'm 90% fabric you swore you'd use 'someday.'"

Sewing Machine: "You skipped maintenance again, didn't you?"

Coffee Mug: "You're not drinking this anymore. You're emotionally clinging."

Honestly? They're not wrong. My tools have seen things. They've witnessed late-night binding marathons, creative meltdowns, and enough thread spaghetti to make a whole new quilt.

So here's your reminder: your tools don't need you to be perfect. Just try not to cut paper with your good scissors.

QUILTFEST – September 18-20th

QuiltFest Jacksonville will be hosting its 38th annual show: Color Our World on September 18-20th, 2025, and we would love to show your quilts! Our show has thirteen different categories from pieced, to applique, or Art and Modern. Please share with your members! The quilt registration fee is \$30 for non-members of the seven hosting guilds, and we do accept shipped quilts! Each category offers monetary prices for the first three places as well as Honorable Mentions and Judges Recognition ribbons. The deadline is fast approaching on July 25th, and you can find all the information to register your quilt here:

QUILT REGISTRATION FORM | QuiltFest Jacksonville

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SIMONE LEFRANC - WE DEFINITELY MISS YOU AND WISH YOU THE BEST EVER!

Having a stash does not make you a hoarder. Having a stash makes you the most prepared person in case of any fabric emergency!

THANKS DEBBIE SPRAGUE

LOTS OF CREATIVEW SCRAP IDEAS https://pin.it/3PoM08ITG

GOOD ARTICLE BY NANCY'S NOTIONS DO YOU KNOW WHAT SCRIM IS? https://nancysnotions.com/do-you-know-what-scrim-is/

ED: WISHING YOU ALL A SAFE SUMMER! JAN