

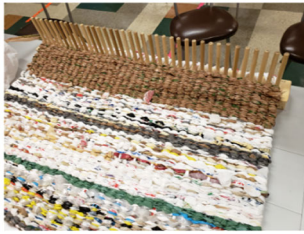
BYBERRY MONTHLY MEETING

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Plarn Mats for the Homeless (A Collaboration)

Volunteers were showing up at the Andorra Branch of the Free Library of Philadelphia to weave “plarn” (plastic yarn) into sleeping mats for the homeless in Kensington until scheduling challenges at the Library put the program in jeopardy.



To keep the program alive and well, we are teaming up with Upper Dublin Monthly Meeting, and using their space

to keep weaving. This wonderful collaborative produces these mats for distribution by [AIM \(Angels in Motion\)](#), a charity supporting those in crisis; primarily those affiliated and afflicted by the opioid crisis in Philadelphia. We hope to be securing funding to purchase two looms and carry on this great work with several greater Northeast organizations, such as [SPIN](#) and [KenCrest](#).

PLEASE feel free to donate any clean plastic bags to the efforts! MOST HELPFUL is to provide them flat and folded, but crumpled and in a bag is better than not at all!



For having no birthdays in July, we are making up for it in August.

Join me in offering the happiest of birthday wishes to :

Ruth Levine (8/1)
David Leaser (8/11)
Mary Ellen McNish (8/15)
Gina Gilbert (8/19)
&
Jeanne Morris (8/22)



OTHER IMPORTANT EVENTS

SAVE THE DATE:

- September 8th — Resumption of Adult Discussion (10AM) and Meeting for Worship (11AM)
- September 8th— Byberry Post Summer Brunch Post M4W Three Monkeys (12:30PM)
- September (??) — Byberry Retreat to discuss the 5 Year Vision (see panel on right)
- October 6th— Abington Quarter Meeting at Upper Dublin MM

IMPORTANT! Weigh-In, Please!

We would like to schedule a “working day” or Retreat to brainstorm ideas around our 5 Year Vision. Our objective is to think about our connections and impact within the local/regional community (personally and as a Meeting).

PLEASE email or contact Susan (ByberryQuakers@gmail.com) with your availability/preference: **Saturday, Sept 28 (10-2) OR Sunday, Sept 29 (12-4)**

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