LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, JUNE 28, 2020

I can hardly believe we are almost through June. Even though we have been isolated a lot and now we can start to motivate again, the news is that this virus is rearing up again. That Stinks!!! Just to let everyone know that the United Methodist Women's Rummage Sale did not happen, I had a few appointments made and they came and filled bags of nice clothes, and things that were left..Mr. Jones came and took them away, like he usually takes our left over's. Been a tough year for everyone!! We are all in this together. Hope everyone stays safe and healthy. Our Church Service is held on Zoom, and that has been going well.

Ten Quilters (Nimble Thimble) group from Town met at Cheryl Heneveld barn on Thursday, June 25 for their June meeting. They had not met since the 20th of February. The plan was to meet in Cheryls barn that has open doors, on both sides of the room, giving everyone plenty of ventilation. They each wore their mask and did the 6 feet shuffle. After about 5 minutes of being together, our best intentions failed and we hugged. We all needed that. (We sure do need that..bravo to you ladies) Then they all found a chair and sat down and enjoyed the lunch they each brought along with them. Cheryl provided tea, lemonade, and brownies. They had a new guest named Laurel Schaap and the circled ladies introduced themselves. The meeting was sparse in info but great in catching up and sharing. The major topic was making masks. We had ShowNTell and gathered 2 additional Sunshine Quilts. They now have a total of 10 of their yearly total of 25. A fabric exchange followed before the meeting ended. (Thanks SueP for this news)

I have not heard much news from our WILD LIFE, just more destruction from the bear in the Center area, and a new bear sighting on North Hill just across from Newton's property. An injured coon died on the property of Van Gieson's on West Hill Road, they were aware of the coon, but before they could take it away, during the dawning of a new day they heard loud noises and it was a bunch of those ravens, coming to have breakfast, dinner and supper as they took it apart and took it away. WEIRD BUT AMAZING!!

It is beginning to look like a rain shower moving in. Sonny was checking the weather report and it is already raining in places. It is a little more humid this afternoon. Penny came and prepared lunch for us and that was very nice, and we had other small projects that we were working on, before she went home. We had a very enjoyable day..but we usually do!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO: Jeannean Sylvester, John Kneen 7/5; Bryan Rodger, Sara Chauvin 7/6; Ann Voos 7/7; Therese Begnoche, Stephanie Brunton 7/8; Robert Gendron, Noah Getty, Gkoria Sheltra 7/9; Kaitlyn Sylvester7/10; Barbara St.Cyr, Stacy Ryea, Sam Sampietro 7/11.

Anniversary wishes to. Dave and Tracey Brown 7/7. Jon and Allison Witherspoon; Jamie and Doris Buttendorf 7/10.

Teacher..When we speak of the seven seas, let's be specific, Okay teacher Johnny said, you be specific and I'll be ATLANTIC. Teacher looking at a student..name me two pronouns. Who? Me?**

Please Note..there will be a 4th of July Parade starting at the Public Service Building at 11 a.m. people are WELCOME to come and join in..PLEASE NO FLOATS, decorated vehicles, the parade will go up 242 and turn around and return back down going to the Village return to the Center and out South on route 118. Most people can watch from their homes, no large gatherings. As I write this the Fire Department has around 40 tickets left as they are taking orders for the Chicken Bar-B-Que. Check out tickets sale with Tim Snider at 782-7281 if you are interested. Have a good week folks and stay safe and keep happy. M.L.T.A.