



Special Projects

We are honored to have members of the Maye River Quilters Guild using their talents to make shirt covers for Caris Patients. Guild

members are planning to sew fidget quilts; as well as *At Ease* quilts for our Veterans. Thank you quilters for helping our Patients travel their last journey with grace.

(Pictured: Guild members Linda Forry and Mindy Weaver with Sandy Milliken, Caris Volunteer Coordinator--far left).

Volunteers from Sun City's Sew What Club continue to provide knitted fidget sleeves and sleep masks on request for our Patient.

What is a fidget sleeve? It's a knitted or crocheted tube that slips on one's arm and has attached buttons, rickrack, and other items to "fidget" with when someone is feeling anxious or restless. Our Patients can experience anxious moments. The work of these skilled knitters, crocheters, and sewers help to ease those moments.

In August, both groups contributed a combined total of 82 hours of their time and talent to ensure Patients are as comfortable as possible.

THANK YOU ALL!

Special Project Request: Our Chaplin is seeking carvers to make comfort/pray crosses. Contact Sandy if you can help.

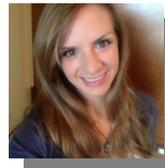
We Honor Veterans



Members of the American Legion, Unit 205 participated in our second Vet 2 Vet Cafe held at Benton House. Both Residents and Unit members brought memorabilia and shared stories of their time in service to our Country. At this Cafe, some of the widows of career servicemen joined in—spouses are a critical component of service life.

Our next Vet 2 Vet Cafe at Benton House will be September 24th at 10:30. We will be conducting a **Pinning Ceremony** for the Veterans at this Cafe.

Sit With Me



Caris Bluffton is pleased to welcome Alaina Petty, University of South Carolina, School of Social Work Intern.

Alaina is completing her

Master's degree, is an active Army National Guard member, and employed by the Marine Corps Air Station's Community Services Department. She is also a professional musician. We are very excited to have her help with our Direct Patient Volunteer Program this school year.

Make Someone's Last Moments Their Best Moments. Be a Caris Hospice Volunteer.

What is Hospice?

The primary goal of hospice is to promote comfort and dignity through the alleviation of physical, emotional, and spiritual discomfort when curative treatment is no longer an option for an illness, typically occurring the last six months of life. Hospice care can be a tremendous benefit to both patient and family.