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Mask Making Team update

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Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org>
To: All Staff <staff@dglibrary.org>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:03 PM

Hi all

Let me introduce your Mask Making Team members:

Diane J, Sharon, Lorel, Terry, Kelly P, Stojana, Mary G, Janet, Sue, Nancy B, Audrey, Maggie, Tricia, and me. I am thrilled to have so many people volunteer to join the team. Sharing the work with so many talented seamstresses takes the stress off of all of us.

Our goal is to sew enough masks so everyone at DGPL has more than one mask, hopefully, 3 - 5 per person. We're sewing a variety of masks in a variety of sizes and styles to try and meet your needs. Some masks use ties and some use elastic. Some are pleated, some have wire nose pieces and others slip over your head. As you can see in the photos below, we have plenty of fabric options for you to choose from, too.

Everyone picked up supplies last week and immediately started sewing. 1/4" elastic is the toilet paper of face masks, very hard to find. We have shipments expected to arrive late this week and early next week. Once we have elastic, we'll be able to add the final touches to the masks we've already sewn.

I miss seeing all of you and hope you're staying safe and healthy.

















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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:07 PM

WTG Mask Making Team!!!! You are doing an amazing job!

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:07 PM

They look beautiful.

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:10 PM

These are beautiful! Thank you so much, Mask Team! Your hard work is greatly appreciated!!!

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:11 PM

This is an awesome update, thank you to each and every one of you for sharing your talents and working to protect our staff! Y'all rock!!!

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:13 PM

Amazing work! Thank you all!

Lizzie Matkowski

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What I'm reading: The Long Way to a Small, Angry Planet by Becky Chambers

What I'm Listening to: The Vela by Yoon Ha Lee, Becky Chambers, SL Huang, and Rivers Solomon

On Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:04 PM Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org> wrote:

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:16 PM

Wow! You all are sewing powerhouses!!! Thank you for your hard work, Mask Team.

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These are awesome!

On Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:14 PM Lizzie Matkowski <lmatkowski@dglibrary.org> wrote:

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Lockwood & Company: The Empty Grave, by Jonathan Stroud

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:25 PM

Thank you so much mask making team! The masks look wonderful.

The Downers Grove Public Library is closed due to covid-19. I will continue to answer emails in a timely manner.

Karen Neal
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What I'm reading: *The Raven Boys* by Maggie Stiefvater
What I'm listening to: *18 Tiny Deaths* by Bruce Goldfarb

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:28 PM

To: Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org>
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Thank you so much, Mask Making Team! You're so awesome! 😊📣🙌

On Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:04 PM Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org> wrote:

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:36 PM

You all are amazing!! Thank you for what you are doing for library staff!

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Katelyn Vabalaitis
Executive Assistant

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Suzy Miller <smiller@dglibrary.org>
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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:52 PM

Such an array of colorful masks! Thank you to everyone giving of their time---Suzy

On Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:04 PM Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org> wrote:

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Suzy Miller
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What I'm Reading:

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:54 PM

Dear Mask Makers,

From the bottom of my heart - thank you, thank you, thank you!

Emily

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Emily Anderson <eanderson@dglibrary.org>
To: Suzy Miller <smiller@dglibrary.org>
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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:57 PM

These are all so well done. Thank you Mask Team for working to keep us all safer!

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Ian Knorr <iknorr@dglibrary.org>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 4:32 PM

To: Emily Anderson <eanderson@dglibrary.org>

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You all are awesome. Thank you so much.

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 4:42 PM

To: Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org>

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Thank you, thank you, thank you to all of you talented folks. I appreciate you from the bottom of my heart!

On Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:04 PM Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org> wrote:

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Mary Piller <mpiller@dglibrary.org>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 4:47 PM

To: Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org>

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Thank you so much-all of you!! They look great, and I sure appreciate all the hard work that goes into making all of these.

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Jen Ryjewski <jryjewski@dglibrary.org>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 5:06 PM

To: Mary Piller <mpiller@dglibrary.org>

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I'm in awe. Seriously, you guys are truly amazing!!

Thank you, MMT!!!!

Jen

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Thank you all so much for working so hard for all of us!!

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 5:33 PM

To: Martha Harnik <mharnik@dglibrary.org>

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These all look amazing! Thank you all for your hard work. It is much appreciated.

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Thank you to all of you for donating your time and making these face masks for us!!

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Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 6:57 PM

To: Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org>

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Awesome! Can't wait to wear 'em:)

jr

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Kathryn Moran <kmoran@dglibrary.org>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 7:31 PM

To: Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org>

Cc: All Staff <staff@dglibrary.org>

Dear Mask Making Team - You are all the BEST. These look amazing and colorful and fun. Thank you so very much for your talents and for volunteering to make all of these. I hope you will feel a glow inside when you see all of us wearing them, because it will be well deserved.

Thank you,

Kathy

On Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 3:04 PM Cheryl Pawlak <cpawlak@dglibrary.org> wrote:

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Connie Lacey <clacey@dglibrary.org>

Mon, Apr 27, 2020 at 9:12 PM

To: Kathryn Moran <kmoran@dglibrary.org>

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Thank you! These are GREAT!

Connie

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To: Connie Lacey <clacey@dglibrary.org>

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I appreciate everyone doing this. All I know how to do is sew on a button.

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Regina Hartnett <rhartnett@dglibrary.org>

Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 8:10 AM

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So true Gail. I'm the same way.

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Thank you Mask Making team for all of your hard work and time. They all look terrific!

Sandy

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Thank you so much, guys!!! These look amazing!

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I'll have to look into which style works best with glasses (and a big nose); otherwise, picking out which ones I want will be like going into 31 Flavors and trying to decide between the chocolates!

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GREAT JOB TEAM SEWERS!

RAY

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Ray Papacek

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Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 12:29 PM

A huge Thank you to all of you for sewing all of these masks for us. It is so appreciated. THANK YOU
Maureen

PS Does anyone know how to wear a mask and not steam up your glasses? Just wondering
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Tue, Apr 28, 2020 at 1:11 PM

Thank you very much. Your efforts are so appreciated!

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Wed, Apr 29, 2020 at 3:47 PM

Thank you very much!!! I'm super impressed with the sewing skills at this library!!!!



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