

Pett on the Knit



As you read this the Knit for Peace coats are winging their way to the London headquarters of Knit for Peace (<https://knitforpeace.org>). You may have seen this group photo, taken at the May Coffee Morning, of the majority of the coats on the Pett and Pett Level Facebook page and on the Pett Parish Council website www.pettnet.org.uk. Thank you to Sheila, Jan, Hilary, and Wendy for contributing to the cost of delivery – it is much appreciated. The coats will be sent onwards to those who need them, in refugee camps in war-torn countries.

The Knit for Peace page will be having a summer rest because there are other jobs that need to be doing at this time of year: gardening, eating out with friends for the first time in months, and long walks with the dogs. However, while you are doing these things please consider what our next project could be. If anyone has a suggestion for the focus of the Pett on the Knit Winter 21/22 charity project please let me know. It could be hats for prem babies, bed runners for Alzheimer wards, dog coats or blankets for animal rescue centres. Google 'knitting projects for charity' and see what you come up with.

Some villagers are busy making the tiny hats for **Innocent Drinks 'Big Knit'** (<https://www.thebigknit.co.uk/join-in>). For every bottle purchased with a hat Innocent donates 25p to Age UK. For every bottle purchased with a hat Innocent donates 25p to Age UK. The aim is to send 100 hats by the end of the summer. They take less than an hour to knit and about another hour to sew up and make a bobble, or whatever you choose to put on the hat. In September – at the hopefully restored indoor Coffee Morning – I'll collect whatever you have made and let you know the project for the coming winter.

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