

## Leelanau County Democrats Making Protective Face Masks!



The women of the Leelanau County Democratic Party can be counted upon to step up in times of need. Now they are making protective face masks for medical personnel, first responders, friends, family and neighbors. A shortage in the supply of mask making materials has made it more challenging as the days go by but they are making do with what they have and sharing supplies when needed. Pipe cleaners, vacuum cleaner filters, furnace filters, and leftover fabric have all been employed to fill the need.

Betty Bushey has been making masks for family members who are essential workers. Laurel Jeris helped guide LCDP mask makers with tips on how to fit stiff reinforcement into nose pieces, and Kerry Navabi pulled out her materials and is helping out friends and neighbor with masks. Sue Kessler and Vickie Gutowski donated 20 masks each to the Munson and Grand Rapids Hospitals. And they are making more as we identify those in need.

If you can help out by donating materials or join in the mask making, please contact the [leelanaudemocrats@gmail.com](mailto:leelanaudemocrats@gmail.com)

