



Grand Stampers July 2023 Newsletter

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We met Saturday, July 8 at Grace United Church in Caledonia.

Audrey welcomed everyone including Mary Jo Panetta which is undergoing Chemo but received encouraging news.

Elaine brought this colourful fabric in June and thought it might be a great project for a challenge. Here are the results:



Elaine Smith will demonstrate one of her cards in August. Apparently it will be a quick demo and we could use another quick demo for the second part of the meeting. Perhaps someone will have an idea ????

We discussed ordering envelopes which will be needed for Christmas cards as well. Dede looked into it and sent this follow up email:

I found this on Amazon.

We have Prime so no shipping costs. With tax the cost for 1000 envelopes is \$7.00 for 100 envelopes. Which is only .7 cents each. I will buy 200 perhaps others would like to purchase too.

Would it be alright if this is sent out by Lilo as soon as possible and I will order quickly when there is a response. Or I can send it myself if you prefer.

I will check with a couple friends as well. If someone would like 50 envelopes it's \$3.50. Seems remarkable.

Ohuhu A2 Printable White Envelopes 1000 Pack, 4-3/8" x 5-3/4", Quick Self Seal, for 4.25x5.5 Cards, RSVP, Weddings, Invitations, Photos, Graduation, Baby Shower, Thank You Notes : Amazon.ca: Office Products
https://www.amazon.ca/Ohuhu-Printable-Envelopes-Invitations-Graduation/dp/B098QB8564/?encoding=UTF8&pd_rd_w=YdsiH&content-id=amzn1.sym.4c38b1df-9b36-40b2-ba67-5f1d08d5f819&pf_rd_p=4c38b1df-9b36-40b2-ba67-5f1d08d5f819&pf_rd_r=FHDH0QDJ2GZ5EBBBA3F0&pd_rd_wg=fRvL&pd_rd_r=dc150df3-a9fc-45af-bbb9-8d19693dfa7d&ref=cpd_gw_ci_mcx_mr_hp_atf_m

If interested, please contact Dede directly. It will have to be First Come , First Served.



The door prize was drawn and low and behold – the winner was Yours Truly, a \$ 25.00 prize. YAY and Thank You.

NOTE:

Our next 3 meetings will take place **August 12, September 9** and **October 21, 2023**
October was moved because of the venue not being available on the 2nd.Saturday.

We're on the Web!
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Even though there were a lot of people missing, we proceeded to have a fun 'Christmas in July' meeting. Here are some of the mornings results:

Dede's cards .Some from Lilo's idea and two from Audrey's.



Lilo's Cards using Audrey's idea



Elaine's

Last December - after I delivered our cards to one of the Nursing Homes, this one in Simcoe, I received the following letter .

Thank-you, Thank-you, Thank-you Xmas Cards Grand Stampers

Nicole Tweedie <Nicole.Tweedie@norfolkcounty.ca>

Good Afternoon Lilo,

I want to send a sincere thank-you to all of the members of the Crafting Ladies of Haldimand County for the wonderful Christmas Cards. I can't tell you how much this brightens everyone's day to be thought of during this time of year.

I have provided the cards to the recreation therapist who will distribute them amongst their residents in each home area. I have also, sent a message throughout the home about the cards.

Thank-you so, so much and please know how much we appreciate every single one of you.

Take Care,

Nicole Tweedie

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As you can see, it really is appreciated.

Marg Catania, Betty Tapp and Elvira Lester already gave me their supply of this years Christmas Cards for nursing homes. Thank You Ladies.

We do need more though. After some more discussion we agreed to insert this text on the inside of the cards.

Together with a stamped greeting please insert: **from the GrandStampers card makers.**

And please leave the envelopes for nursing home cards open.

