

!!!!!!!IMPORTANT RETREAT INFO!!!!!!!

November 15-18 retreat at the Zermatt

Today in the Patchwords you will find the registration form (two pages) that you can fill out and send to Trish Derrick to sign up for the November 15-18 retreat at the Zermatt in Midway.

The cost for this 4 day retreat includes 3 nights stay at the hotel, six meals, (lunch and dinner on Wed, Thurs, and Friday) sewing room, set up, etc., and gifts for all. Even if you do not stay at the hotel, the cost is the same. This is an open sew event so you can do what you want. A couple of extra short activities will be held for those who want to attend. Bring your own sewing supplies. Ironing boards and cutting mats are available.

No babies or children allowed. This is a fun getaway for all. Everyone who attends must pay the registration fee.

The best way to register is to mail the form and a check to Trish. Yes, you can send them early, but she will not open them until March 15 when registration officially begins.

We do not take credit cards, but you can venmo the money if you want. There is an extra fee to venmo and you will see that on the form. Trish must have the **registration form before** she can sign you up, even if you send the money early. Since you have to mail the form, you might as well send a check with it.

The Zermatt has changed their payment plan with us and that is why we need to have you send in at least half of the money that is due with the registration form. The final payment will be due July 1. If, for some reason, you have to cancel, your money will be refunded (minus \$75) if a replacement can be found. If you do have to cancel, always call Trish first to let her know.

Last year, the retreat was full on day three of registration, so I advise sending in your form and money early.

I am already excited about having 4 days of fun with all of you and plans are well under way. I am hoping that many of you will sign up for the secret sister gift exchange. It is always a fun thing to participate in. More information and your secret sister name will be sent in July.

The majority of people like to come up on Tuesday afternoon. If you do, the hotel will charge your credit card for the extra night. But do **NOT** make the arrangements yourself, go through Trish. The retreat officially starts on Wednesday morning. Make sure that you initial the 4 places on the form, where indicated, before you mail it in. More retreat info will be sent later to those who are registered.

Any questions, please feel free to email, call or text me anytime.

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