Relay for Life team taking donations for quilt

Quilt will be on display at Old Settlers' Days

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Last year, Carol Proctor, a special education teacher at Salem High School, approached co-worker Doris Duffy about an idea of having their students work together on a community quilt. The idea was to gather blocks from students, teachers, community members and put them all together for the benefit of Relay for Life.

"We collected from anyone who wanted to donate a block," said Duffy, adding that it made a wonderful scrap quilt.

Proctor finished the project by handquilting it over the

The quilt, which turned out to be 8 feet by 8 feet is officially complete and the Spanish Club Relay for Life team is offering tickets for people to have a chance to get the finished project. Duffy is a Spanish teacher and sponsor of the club

at SHS.

"This is truly a school project," said Duffy. "We have all contributed because we believe in the need to raise as much money for Relay for Life as possible."

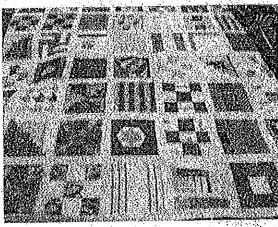
The quilt will be featured at a booth at Old Settlers' Days Sept. 17 and 18.

Starting Sept. 21, the tickets will be available at area banks. Duffy thought it would be fun to have a contest between the banks in town to see who could raise the most money. Each bank will have the tickets for 14 days. Watch the paper for dates and locations of the tickets.

"We want to see who could raise the most money," she said. So far, Old National Bank, First Harrison Bank, First Savings Bank, Mid Southern Savings Bank and Regions are

The tickets will be available at the various banks through Christmas. The bank that raises the most money will get a

After the holidays, there will be a picture of the quilt, as well as tickets, at Shear Perfection, Jason Wade State Farm Insurance and 3 Stories Trading Co.



This scrap quilt was created by students at Salem High School. The money donated for the quilt will benefit Relay For Life through the SHS Spanish Club's Relay for Life team.

Duffy said Spanish Club members also have a laminated picture of the quilt and tickets available.

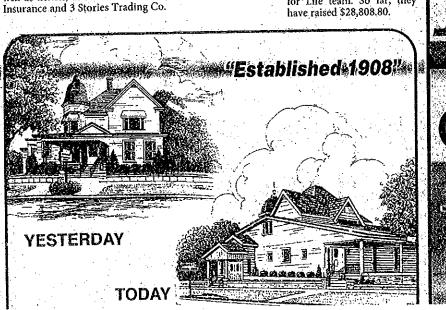
Donations will be \$1 for one ticket, \$5 for six tickets and \$10 for an arm length of tickets. A drawing will be held May 16, 2017

Anyone who would like more information can call Duffy at Salem High School and leave a message. She will return the phone calls at her earliest convenience.

"Our goal is to raise \$1,000," she said.

All proceeds will go to Relay for Life.

This is the eighth year the Spanish Club has had a Relay for Life team So are, they





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