



WEAVERS GUILD *of Greater Kansas City*

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SEPTEMBER 2010 GUILD NEWS

From the President

"A big thank you to Susan Hoisington for her wonderful program on pricing handwovens. She did an excellent job presenting valuable information for all of us, whether we're hobby weavers or professionals. I know I was impressed and inspired!"

Christy Berry

September 9th Meeting

Rose Room, Loose Park 5200 Wornall Rd., KC MO (816) 888-8476

10:00 AM – Regular Meeting

10:30 AM – Show & Tell / Treats

11:30 AM – Program

September Calendar

September 8th, 7 PM - Fiber Guild Meeting
(Old Mission United Methodist Church; 5519 State Park Rd, Fairway, KS 66205)

September 9th, 10 AM - Weavers Guild Meeting
(Rose Rm, Loose Park, 5200 Wornall Rd., KC MO)

Program News

The **September** program will feature Carol Leigh of Hillcrest Studio in Columbia, Mo. Carol Leigh's presentation is titled "Weaving in Beauty the Navajo Way" but her presentation will include other topics as well. Yarn, looms, books, etc., from her studio will

be available for purchase, so be prepared to shop. In **October**, the program will be a video titled "Dimensional Manipulation of Felted Surfaces". **November 12th** (Friday, due to Veteran's Day) is 'Shaving Cream Dye Processes and 'Crazy little Tips'; members will have 1 to 10 minutes to tell of any tips, trips, new project ideas, articles, anything of interest for members to consider. **December 9th** will be our annual potluck and gift exchange, "anything that is a bag". Remember our Community Service Project will be for Operation Breakthrough. Items are due in *November*, for early winter use.

September Treats—Special Potluck

The September meeting will be a salad potluck (but not restricted to salad). Please feel free to bring something if you'd like. This will give us a nice lunch and visiting time with Carol Leigh after her program. Sandy Martin has also noted that she won't be there to bring coffee at this meeting. Questions about the potluck should be directed to Lolly Buxton.

Workshop Update

The Ruby Leslie workshop in March of 2011 is full, but interested members may still sign-up for the waiting list (see Betty Haeberle).

Weaving Guild Decals

The Weavers Guild window decals are here! One of these will look great in the back window of your car and cost only \$5. They will be available at meetings, please see our treasurer Carolyn Budd. The business cards are also here and are free for you to take a few. They are great to keep in your purse or wallet.

OTHER NEWS

Congratulations to the Johnson County Fair Fiber Contest winner, Vivian Robinson who was awarded a year's membership to our guild.

Basket Weaving Class

Sandy Martin will be teaching a basket weaving class to five people (already signed up) in September. The idea is that these five would then be able to help with a larger class in the future.

Creative Hand Update

The Creative Hand show is sponsored by the Fiber Guild and Weaver's Guild of Kansas City. This is a chance for guild members to show and sell their work in a creative boutique environment. The show is Friday, November 19, 4-9 and Saturday, November 20, 10-5. As we were last year, the show is located at the Ramada Inn at Metcalf and Shawnee Mission Parkway. Applications were due July 31. If you missed turning in your application by the deadline, no worries, you can still enter the show up until October 18 for a slightly higher fee. Please contact me if you have any questions about the show. Sandy Cahill

cahill5505@sbcglobal.net, 816.505.5507 home studio, 913.709.1923 cell.

Upcoming Events – 2011

KAWS 2011, Manhattan KS, April 15-17.

Speaker and workshop leader: Mary Zicafoose. Theme: Personal Icons

More information: www.kansasweavers.com

MIDWEST WEAVERS' CONFERENCE 2011

Hancock, MI, June 23-25, 2011

Theme: Northern Wefts

More information: www.midwestweavers.org

Snowshoe Weaving!

My name is Jeff and I am with Independence Parks & Recreation. I'm not sure if anyone in the group gets into this kind of weaving, but I'd like to offer a snowshoe weaving class for individuals this fall/winter to weave their own pair of snowshoes. If anyone is interested please contact me by email.

Thanks. Jeff Umbreit, Recreation Program Supervisor jumbreit@indepmo.org (08/10)

WANTED

Grinter Place State Historic Site

We are looking for *demonstrators* at our Apple fest this fall. The dates and times are Friday, Sept. 24th from noon to 5 and Saturday, Sept. 25th from 10 to 6. I still have space available in the house both days for such demonstrations. Please contact Joe Brentano, 913-299-0373, grinter@kshs.org

Wellsville will be celebrating its 140th anniversary this year on Sat. Sept 25th. We will be creating an 1800's frontier town. We are looking for *demonstrators/sellers*: wool spinners, rug makers, bobbin lace, tatting,

wheat weaving, basket weaving, quilters, doll making, etc. Contact Lil Sanders: (fsjubilee@hotmail.com) or 785-883-4113

CLASSIFIED ADS

**Ads policy- Ads will run for 3 months then will be removed as space is needed. Ads may be re-submitted. If the item is sold, it's the responsibility of the SELLER to inform the Editor for removal. All ads will be placed on the Guild web site. The seller's e-mail and phone numbers will be listed online. More ads are listed on website.*

For Sale Floor Loom

I have a 45 inch cherry, 4 harness Looncraft floor loom with a sectional back beam that I would like to sell. I am asking \$975. Contact Laura Wilder at 913.631-3478 or gwilder43@yahoo.com. Thanks, Laura (09/10)

For Sale Floor Loom

48" Four Harness Newcomb Studio Floor Loom: it has six treadles, a sectional beam, and a 10 or 12 dent 42" reed, work area about 41". Floor to top of castle height is 47" Needs a weaver over 5 foot tall. Heavy duty loom has enough warp on it for a few rugs. Comes with warp rack & shuttles, \$888.00 (\$100 discount if picked up by Oct 1, 2010). Hand-Skill Table Loom: the reed is 38 inches long. Outside width is 44" height is 24". Advance the warp by turning the steering wheel. Fully workable collector's item, circa 50's, \$388.00. Call Joanie 816-250-2446 (09/10)

For Sale: Floor Loom

Louet Octado 90 cm, 8 harness compu doobby, bench and 10 dent reed. It will weave a 36" fabric. This loom has a big countermarche

shed; the compu doobby and mechanical doobby are included. The electronic interface works with most popular computer weaving software, including Fiberworks PCW, Patternland, PixieLoom, Weavemaker, Proweave and Weave It. I have a copy of Fiberworks PCW for Windows that can be used with the loom (I am changing to the MAC platform and no longer using the software). \$6,000 including compu doobby, a mechanical doobby and bench (new it is \$9000). Dimensions: Height: 50" Width: 53" Depth: 39" Leslie Carroll-Bartlett, cell: 417.448.4361 lecarroll@me.com (08/10)

For Sale Floor Loom

I have one Navajo loom for sale and dowels for sale 300.00, firm. I also have one 7 foot triangular loom (pine) and tripod for sale 170.00, firm. Must be picked up. Donna, 816-836-5098, ladyofthelooms@yahoo.com (07/10)

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

Articles and Announcements for the Newsletter are due the **20th of the month.**

Send them to the Newsletter Editor:
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