



KANSAS CITY WEAVER'S GUILD

JULY 2019

WWW.KCWEAVERSGUILD.ORG

The Kansas City Weavers guild was organized in 1954 to promote hand weaving, spinning, and other fiber interests in the KC area. We warmly are weavers, spinners, knitters, crocheters, dyers, basket makers, quilters, jewelry makers, and lace makers. We paint, dye, embroider, embellish, batik, bead, marble and cross stitch. If you work with fiber, we have a place for you!

**Weavers Guild Meetings are held
the 2nd Thursday of each month.**

Next meeting: July 12, 2019

**Guild meetings
Westwood City Building,
4700 Rainbow Blvd
Westwood, KS
(913) 362-1550.**

**9:30 a.m. - Coffee Time/Set Up
10:00 a.m. - Regular Meeting
10:30 a.m. - Show & Tell/Treats
11:30 a.m. – Program**

**Fiber Guild Meetings are held
the 2nd
Wednesday of each month.**

<http://www.kansascityfiberguild.org/index.html>

July 11, 2019 7:00 p.m.

Old Mission United Methodist
Church,

5519 State Park Road, Fairway,
KS.



Note from the President:

Hello Weavers,

I hope you are all having nice summers and staying cool. It's hard for me to keep up my weaving mojo during the summer. Too many things to do outside. I try to keep something going on one of the little looms so I can work on a little something mobile if I have a minute. it's all weaving. Don't forget to be working on your member participation project! See you all Thursday!

Happy Weaving,
Jacqueline

Jacqueline Jacobson
President, Weavers Guild of Greater Kansas City

Kansas City Weaver's Guild

2019 Slate of Officers

- President: Jacqueline Jacobson
- 1st Vice President (Program): Lynette Beebe and Jo Kledis
- 2nd Vice President (Newsletter): Kathryn Worley
- 3rd Vice President (Workshops); Marcia Harvey
- Secretary: Lori Deason
- Treasurer: Janet Meddings

Kansas City Weavers Guild – June 13, 2019

Weavers Guild Meeting June 13, 2019

Business meeting notes

Jaqueline Jacobsen called the meeting to order.

Minutes from the May meeting were approved.

Janet Meddings gave the Treasurer's report, and it was approved.

Treasurer's Report:

Current Assets:

Cash operating Fund	\$ 10,937.91
Workshops/Field Trips	
Scholarship Fund	1,301.78
Library Fund	<u>113.70</u>
Total Current Assets	\$ 12,353.39

Guests and new members were recognized.

Thank you to hostesses Judy Santner, Janet Meddings, and Tari Ward

Committee Reports:

Programs:

- **July** - Karen Sullivan will share how she turned a hobby into a business by up-cycling woolen sweaters into objects
- **August** – Bea Bonanno from Yarn Barn will be talking about Supplementary Warp and how she uses it in her own art
- **September** – Member Challenge: Fiber art based on movies and cinema
- **October** – Bex Oliger will be presenting a light history of looms, and sharing the kind of weavings she does. After lunch, a continuous weaving workshop will be held
- **November** –
- **December** – Holiday party: the gift theme is “bags”

Workshops

- A committee has been formed to discuss and plan a Beginning Weaving workshop. If you are interested in helping to plan or teach, please contact Lynette Beebe.
- **October 10** – triangle loom (continuous strand weaving) workshop \$50 after lunch on your own, following the October meeting. The class will be approximately 3 hours long. Sign up ahead of time by contacting Marcia Harvey
- **November** - workshop on making a wool Christmas tree, taught by Georgia Adams at the Georgeville Store.

Service Project

- The Weaver's Guild provides hand-work projects for the Hospice House as a service to our community. Contact Jackie Kincaide for more information.
- When you bring supplies for this project, please put them in zip lock bags, and bring supplies for an entire project; for example, embroidery hoops, cloth, pattern, thread, needle, and scissors, *or* color pages and crayons or pencils, *or* yarn, crochet hook, pattern, and scissors.... Please begin the project, so the person who takes it up can just continue without having to think or plan. Examples would be to knit a few rows of a scarf, or embroider a leaf, etc.

Library

New books are available in the library, as well as the whole set of Weaver's Craft Magazines.

Scholarships

Gail White asks that everyone see the updated scholarship guidelines in the directory. Send any scholarship applications to Gail, who will forward them to the board for approval. Scholarships can be used to pay for real time or on-line classes.

Mentoring

Mentors are needed to serve those in the Southeast quadrant

Sewing Group

- There will be no meetings in July or August, but on-line communication is encouraged
- In September Jacqueline Jacobsen will present a program on seam finishes
- They meet on the first Saturday of every month from 10 to 12 at the Yarn Mercantile in Independence, MO.

KAWS

- Registration for KAWS 2019 is available on the website. Dates for this event are October 11-13, and it will be at the Lion County Historical Center in Emporia, KS. Cost for registration is \$50. Classes are free. Vendors welcome.
- Registration for KAWS 2020 will begin November, 2019, and will be available on line. The 2020 event will be the first time KAWS has worked along-side Missouri Fiber Arts, and will be a unique opportunity for sharing talent and knowledge. Kansas City Weaver's Guild will host. Volunteers are needed in all areas.
The schedule so far includes workshops, classes, general conference, and key-note speaker

Felting Group

No meeting this month

Rigid Heddle Group

The Rigid Heddle study group had an organizational meeting last month. They will continue to meet the last Thursday of each month at 10:00 am at the home of Mary Babcock in Lee's Summit.

Creative Hand

The dates for Creative Hand this year are November 22-23. It will be at the Old Shawnee Mission Town Hall. The early-bird deadline for sellers is July 31. Registration forms are available from Leesa Duby and Sandy Cahill

New Business:

- A motion was made to release funds to purchase a book at the upcoming Midwest Weavers Conference in memory of Lenore Hammer. The motion was approved.
- A vote was taken on purchasing permanent name tags for all guild members. The vote passed

Old Business

- Kathy Landers now has possession of our equipment library. Thank you Kathy!
- The Anniversary Committee met following today's meeting. They are discussing ideas for celebration for the 65th and 70th anniversaries of the guild. If you are interested in being part of this committee, contact Judy Santner or Sue Metzler.
- October is Spinning and Weaving month. Unwind Fibers in Lee's Summit will host their grand opening that month, and invite anyone interested to spin and/or weave with them. Guild

members are encouraged to participate by weaving at local yarn stores, public libraries, book stores, craft stores...

- Contact Rebekkah Foote to let her know your interest in having our logo embroidered on a shirt, hat or bag. The set-up cost for this project, covered by the guild, will be \$65-70. Shirts may be purchased from the embroidery company, or we may bring our own object. Cost is anticipated to be minimal.
- Fiber arts demonstrators for MO and KS state fairs are asked to register on line. For Missouri, the dead line is July 19 and can be found in "home economics". KAWS will present awards at the Kansas state fair for fiber arts.

After show-and-tell, Janet Meddings shared photos from her recent trip to the New Mexico Fiber Crawl. She then gave a presentation on the use of a fan reed in weaving. Thank you, Janet!

48 people attended the guild meeting month.

PROGRAMS - 2019

July 12, 2019 - Karen Sullivan, OPKS - How she turned a hobby into a business by up-cycling woolen sweaters into objects.

August 8, 2019 - Bea Bonanno, Yarn Barn, Lawrence - Supplementary Warp and how she uses it in her own art.

September 12, 2019 - Guild Challenge. Members will present their creations inspired by the **movies/cinema**.

October 10, 2019 – Bex Wexler, Hillcreek Yarn Shoppe, Columbia. MO -a light history of looms and Bex's various weavings. After lunch, a continuous weaving workshop will be held.

Workshop -Using a triangle loom (continuous strand weaving. The cost for the class is \$50 and will include all materials, as well as use of a triangle loom for each participant.

December 12, 2019 – Holiday Party – Gift Exchange theme – “Bags”

REFRESHMENTS

July - Debbie Buddish

Kathy Landers

Lolly Buxton

August - Karlene Kramer

Nancy Pieperbring

Cynthia Smith

September - Ken Keister

Jan Miller

Barrie Mason

October - Janet Meddings

Leesa Duby

Cheryl Davis

November - Vickie Raynes

Laura Mayes

Rebekah Foote

UPCOMING GUILD WORKSHOPS

2019 Workshops

Download registration forms at www.kcweaversguild.org.

October 10 - Westwood City Hall 4700 Rainbow Blvd, Westwood KS

Continuous Strand Weaving (IE: Triangle Loom Weaving) Instructor: Bex Wexler of HillCreek Fiber Studio

Workshop Fee: \$50

During this 3-hour workshop you will learn how to use a continuous strand loom. You will learn techniques needed to complete various projects such as a washcloth, hat or scarf. The workshop fee includes 3 hours class instruction and materials needed for the class. This workshop will follow our regular guild meeting. A break for lunch will follow the regular meeting before the workshop.

Registration forms are available on our web site. Mail completed form along with your registration fee to Marcia Harvey, 13945 Hwy M, Rayville, MO 64084.

Nov 9 - Wool Christmas Tree with Georgia Adams at Georgeville Store, Cowgill, MO. This will be a one-day class. \$50.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

.Inclement Weather Policy

If the KCMO School District is closed due to inclement weather, our Guild meeting that day is canceled. Be sure to check for school cancelation before getting on snowy/icy roads.

Newsletter material is due on the 28th of each month.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Guild is working with Kansas City Hospice House to provide four types of projects for family members to work on while sitting with hospice patients. Each packet contains instructions, project specific supplies, and the project. Additional project packets are always welcome.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Weaver's Guild of Greater Kansas City offers an Educational Scholarship Program. Any Guild member in good standing who has been a member for at least one year may apply for acceptance. The purpose of these scholarships is not only to enhance the applicant's personal growth, but to also cultivate growth and enrich creativity within the Guild community. Recipients are required to share the results of their study with the Weavers Guild of Greater Kansas City. The Scholarship committee in cooperation with the applicant will determine how much the award will be and how the applicant will satisfy this obligation to the Guild. This might be accomplished by a program lecture or a workshop or other means to be determined. Any monies earned from subsequent workshops etc., will be credited the Scholarship fund.

Application forms are found on our website www.kcweaversguild.org and will be reviewed on a quarterly basis.

MENTORING

Contact Cindy Smith if you are struggling or have a fiber-related question. Reach out and she will help you find someone who knows the answer and can guide you. Please contact Cindy if you would like to be a mentor.

LIBRARY NEWS

A selection of library items will be available for checkout a half hour before and after the Guild meeting. There will not be any library business conducted during the meeting. Please contact our librarian, Debbie Buddish, a few days ahead of the meeting for any requested selection that you may desire. Remember to sign your name and the current month on the checkout card and place the card in the appropriate bag. Magazine checkouts are completed by writing your name on the correct magazine list.

CARE CONNECTION

Contact Karen Neal if you believe that the Guild should reach out to one of our members through a note or card to let them know the Guild is thinking of them.

FELTING STUDY GROUP

Each month the artists build upon the previous month's technique. Contact Judy Santner if you are interested.

SEWING AND HANDWOVEN STUDY GROUP

Meetings are held at the The Yarn Mercantile, 500 N Dodgion St, Independence, MO 64050. For more information, contact Jacqueline Jacobson

RIGID HEDDLE GROUP

The Rigid Heddle group meets the last Thursday at the home of Mary Babcock in Lee's Summit.

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Conferences/Workshops/Classes/ Festivals/Exhibits

Information concerning workshops, festivals or exhibit information comes from you, the members. Send to editor.



KAWS: Kansas City Weavers Guild will host May 1-2, 2020 and Kansas City Fiber Guild will host in 2024.

KAWS 2019 – October 11-12, Emporia. KS

CLASSIFIED ADS – LOOMS AND RELATED SUPPLIES

Please note: KCWG is happy to list the looms and supplies you have for sale at no charge. However, we do not guarantee results.

FOR SALE:

Schacht 20 Flip Rigid Heddle Loom (hardly used) \$300.00

Includes:

8 dent reed

10 dent reed

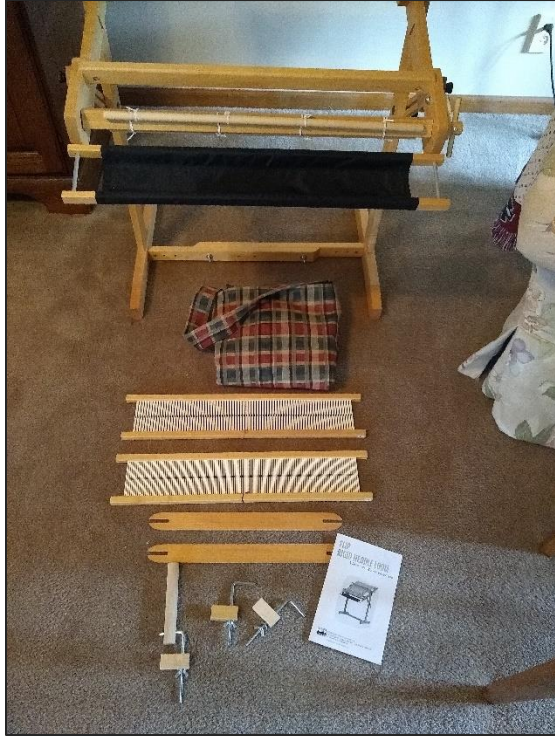
12 dent reed

2 flat shuttles

Flip Trap (Accessory Tray)

Stand

Travel Bag



Used a few times and I moved to a floor loom. This loom has been sitting and needs a loving home.

Contact:

Catherine Hargis

catherine.hargis@gmail.com

(913) 375-3874

FOR SALE:

Rick Reeves spinning chair

Approximately 15 years, good condition

Price: \$50.00

Suzanne Jones : suzannejones1855@yahoo.com 816-724-0122 St. Joe, MO



FOR SALE:

Ashford Traveler Spinning Wheel – approximately 15 years old – very good condition

Price: \$300.00

Suzanne Jones -suzannejones1955@yahoo.com - 816-724-0122 - St. Joe, MO



FOR SALE:

Schacht 8 Harness Mighty Wolf (36" weaving width) \$1,500.00

Includes:

10 dent reed

12 dent reed

Lease sticks

Wolf Trap

Stroller

Great loom, very sturdy. Does fold.

Contact:

Catherine Hargis

catherine.hargis@gmail.com

(913) 375-3874





FOR SALE:

Spinning wheel. Wheel is a hand-made "Cassandra", made by a Kansas man. It is about 2 years old and works beautifully. I'm selling it only because I've run out of room in my little 10X10' workroom.

Wheel - **\$250**. Will trade for rigid heddle loom.

Contact: Lori Deason - booklvr45@hotmail.com

FOR SALE:

Never Used Schact 45" Floor Loom, Solid Maple, 8 Shaft with High Castle, Sectional Warp Beam, Raddle, 2 Reeds

I purchased this from the Yarn Barn in April of last year and have never used it. I set it up and put a warp on that is still there. It has been indoors since then. I live in Tulsa, OK

Price: **\$4,000**. Today's value is \$5,400

Nancy Carroll - nancygcarroll@gmail.com - phone: 918-697-4256



FOR SALE:

Union 36 loom and HD four harness loom

More than 25 years old but very good condition, Lenexa, Kansas

Price: \$475 for Union loom, \$375 for HD loom

Additional weaving books, warp and shuttles, original instructional manuals

Price: **\$475** Union loom

\$375 HD loom

Wilma Liles – wrl@everestkc.net - phone: 913-894-5309

FOR SALE: Hand-made spool rack. Nicely made pine rack holds 40 spools (not included). Photo shows back of rack; vertical rods for tensioning. Ellen Kardell

msellenk@gmail.com

971-282-3508 Price: \$65.



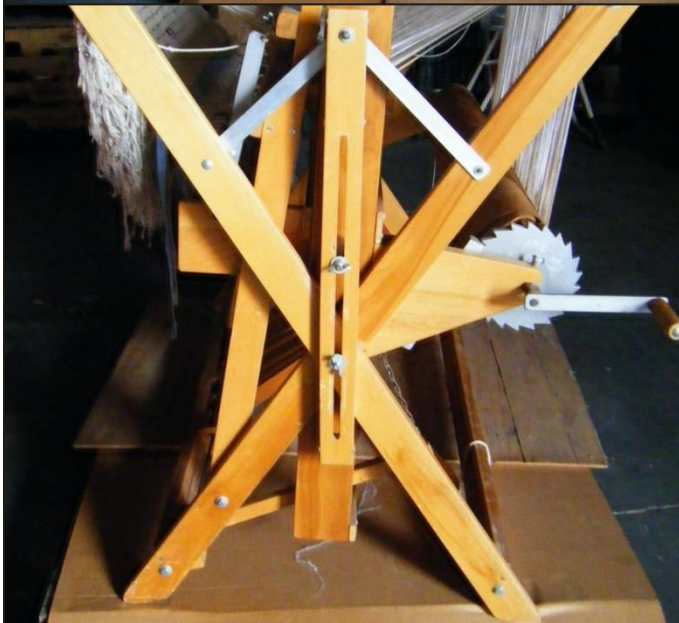
FOR SALE:

Loom for sale. Age unknown. Great condition. I bought this loom for my wife 8 years ago. We agree it needs a real home. We don't know much about looms. I think its a 42" No manufacturers name plate found. The only info is: The Pendleton Shop, Sedona, AZ. Have more photos. \$500

Ron Helmick

Email: fullmoon@sunflower.com

Phone: 785-550-0083



FOR SALE:

The Kansas City Art Institute textile department has an excess of 20/2 mercerized cotton for sale. The cones come in silver, sage, brown, and beige. You can purchase them in a set of four, one of each of those colors mentioned for \$30.00 or you can purchase them separately at \$10.00 each. Please bring cash only. You must email Natalie Spicker nspicker@kcai.edu to let her know that you want some and to coordinate with her a time for you to go and pick up your purchase at the KCAI Warehouse.

FOR SALE:

Selling Lots of RAW unprocessed Alpaca fiber. Colors are Fawn, Heather Grey, White, and a Blend of Grey/White. This is fiber straight off of the Alpaca and would need to go through the whole cleaning process. I do not know anything about the animals from which this fiber was shorn. Raw Processed. Located in Lone Jack.

Price: \$3.00 per ounce

Libby Andreas,

Email: libby_andreas@yahoo.com

Phone: 636-295-0916



fawn



grey white mix



white

For sale:

We have 1 refurbished antique Singer sewing machine we are selling for \$100. Please contact Linda Stoker at 913-620-6968 if interested. It is in Lenexa.



FOR SALE:

Warping board and wheel.. The wheel is a hand-made "Cassandra", made by a Kansas man. It is about 2 years old and works beautifully. I'm selling it only because I've run out of room in my little 10X10' workroom.

Warping board - \$50.
Wheel - \$250.

Contact: Lori Deason - booklvr45@hotmail.com

FOR SALE:

Serger
1980's Brother 3 thread
model #Lock-524N
Made in Japan, which is good. Includes a footfeed and instructions for threading

contact: IvaJoe Dyess at 816.560.4744 for more information.

For Sale:

Fairloom Sectional Loom made for Sears & Roebuck
45" weaving width
4 Heddles, 6 Treadles
New cords & springs
500 new metal heddles
Comes with 10 and 12 dent reeds
Tension Box, 1 year old
New Apron
Asking price is \$500
Contact: Melody Miller, run2yoga@gmail.com, 913-724-2324

For Sale:

Reed and Lease Stick Holder-Long Style
Never been used, still in packaging
Purchased from Woolery for \$35
Sales price \$20
Contact: Melody Miller, run2yoga@gmail.com, 913-724-2324

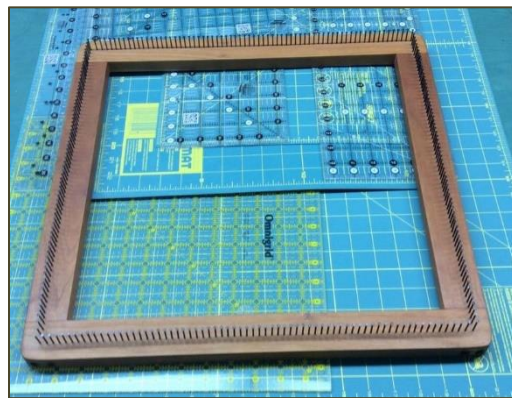
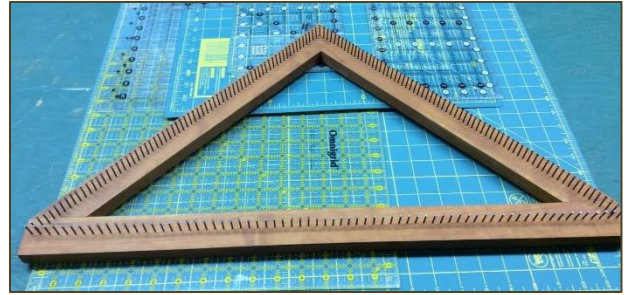
For Sale:

2 46" Lease Sticks
Originally paid \$30
Salesprice \$15
Contact: Melody Miller, run2yoga@gmail.com 913-724-2324



For Sale: Three looms from Carol Leigh Hillcrest Fiber Farm in excellent condition, age unknown, as follows:

- 3' triangle in cherry: \$90
- 2' triangle in cherry: \$50
- 18" square in cherry: \$40



Contact: Bob Covell
Email: rcovell814@gmail.com
Phone: 913-268-3093



RESOURCES/OTHER GROUPS OF INTEREST

Free Reference Library

The Spencer Art Reference Library is free and open to all. It is located on the second floor of the Bloch Building of the Nelson-Atkins Art Museum, accessible through the

Bloch Lobby. You will find resources relating to anything concerning art in which you are interested. Please note when they are open. <http://www.nelson-atkins.org/visit/library/>

Arizona University has an online digital resource for weaving books and other related information that is quite extensive and FREE. They have 4720 articles, 459 books, 319 ephemera, 271 illustrations, 7 manuscripts, 347 monographs, 398 patents, 1322 periodicals, 198 webdocs, and lots of other stuff. The link is provided below;
<https://www.cs.arizona.edu/patterns/weaving/index.html>

If you notice something on the web site that needs correction, please contact Janet Meddings at janetmeddings@gmail.com .

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