



## **KANSAS CITY WEAVER'S GUILD**

# **FEBRUARY 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 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month.**

**Next meeting: February 14, 2019**

**NEW LOCATION Guild meetings**

**Westwood City Building,  
4700 Rainbow Blvd  
(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 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month.**

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

**February 13, 2019 7:00 p.m.**  
Old Mission United Methodist Church,

5519 State Park Road, Fairway, KS.



### **Note from the President:**

Hello Weavers,

It's the start of another year. We have a lot of fun programs and workshops to look forward to this year. Have you thought about what your goals are for this year? Have you thought about how you can contribute to our guild? There are always things big and small that need doing. Think about raising your hand and helping out. I hope you're all weaving during this cold weather where you can justify not going outside and doing other things.

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 Kleidis
- 2nd Vice President (Newsletter): Kathryn Worley
- 3rd Vice President (Workshops); Marcia Harvey
- Secretary: Lori Deason
- Treasurer: Janet Meddings

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**Kansas City Weavers Guild Minutes- January 10, 2019**  
**Westwood City Building, 4700 Rainbow Blvd.**

General Membership Meeting

Jan. 10, 2019

President Jacqueline Jacobson called the meeting to order at 10 a.m. at the meeting room at Westwood City Hall.

No changes were offered to the minutes of the December 2018 meeting. The minutes were approved.

**Treasurer** Janet Meddings reported that the organization has \$13,110 in current assets. That includes \$10,834.78 in cash, \$634.88 in workshops, \$1,244 in the scholarship fund and \$396.40 in the library fund. She noted that applications for membership are available at the meeting and online. She also said that the guild received \$3,800 in donations (including looms, spinning wheels and other supplies) from the membership in 2018.

Jacqueline thanked Margaret Wisker, Iva Jo Dyess, Janet Meddings and Juli Sackman for stepping up at the last minute to bring refreshments. The refreshments sign-up sheet was then passed around.

**Programs:** Lynette Beebe reported that the programs committee will be working on program planning in the coming months. She asked that members email her with ideas. Lynette added that she will be the program presenter in February, delivering a presentation about the Creative Strength Training online course that she completed, thanks to a scholarship she received from the guild. Members will also do an activity related to the course.

**Newsletter:** Kathryn Worley said she sent out the newsletter and is interested in finding out how many people received it. She said she would resend the newsletter as a test. She recommended that people check their spam folder in case her email got routed there by mistake. If they still haven't received it, she asked that they please contact her at kckatw@aol.com to let her know and she will figure out what is amiss. She reminded everyone that the deadline for information to include in the newsletter is the 28<sup>th</sup> of the month.

**Workshops:** Marcia Harvey provided registration forms to members interested in attending the Painted Warp Workshop presented by Melissa Jones on April 4-5 at Westwood City Hall. The cost of the 2-day workshop is \$185. An additional optional workshop that focuses on dyeing will be held April 6 at Melissa's studio in Excelsior Springs. The fee for the dye workshop is \$90. Contact Marcia for information. A fall workshop about making wool Christmas trees is in the planning stages.

**Service Project:** Jacqueline mentioned the service project briefly.

**Library:** Debbie Buddish said new magazines are available in the guild library. She also mentioned that money is available to purchase additional materials that members request. Contact Debbie for more information.

**Scholarships:** Jacqueline said that scholarships are available for classes and courses that members want to take part in. She encouraged members to apply for scholarship funding. Gail White is the chair of the scholarship committee.

**Felting Group:** Judy Santner said the felting study group will meet Jan. 26. An exhibition is scheduled for the Overland Park Arboretum, starting in early February.

**Sewing Group:** Jacqueline said the sewing group is working to complete their origami tops by the group's next meeting on Feb. 2 at Trails West Library.

**KAWS:** Cheryl Davis reported that KAWS (Kansas Alliance of Weavers and Spinners) members are working with members of Missouri Fiber Artists to plan the joint annual conference on **May 1-2, 2020**. The conference, called Fiber Fusion, will be held at Lake Doniphan Retreat Center in Excelsior Springs, Mo. Volunteers are needed to help plan and organize the event. The planning committee will meet right after the guild meeting.

Cheryl also said that the **2019 KAWS Conference will take place Oct. 11-12, 2019, at the Lyon County Historic Center in Emporia, Kan.** Registration will be available online at the KAWS website. The registration fee is \$30 per person, with additional fees for specific projects.

The Weavers Guild board will meet right after the guild membership meeting.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

Lynette said a workshop is in the planning stages for the Beginner-Mentor program that will pair beginning weavers with mentors who can help them develop their skills.

Sandy Cahill said a retreat for Creative Hand artists past and future will be held Saturday, Feb. 16, 2019, from noon to 4 p.m. at the Create-It Studio, 1409 W. 11<sup>th</sup> St., Unit 200, Kansas City, MO. People interested in taking part in Creative Hand are invited to join those who have participated in Creative Hand in the past to make suggestions about ways to bring positive changes to the annual event. There will also be a time for socializing and checking out the features of the Create-It Studio. Reservations aren't needed. Parking is available.

Cindy Smith said that she and Jackie Kincaid visited Susan Ferguson's house in December to inspect the guild's equipment library. She said that she and Jackie inspected the equipment, which is available to all guild members for rental, and found that it was in working order. An updated inventory list was provided to Jacqueline.

**SHOW AND TELL** happened. It was followed by the Swap and Shop event and refreshments.

Following the Swap and Shop, meeting was adjourned. The guild board met after the general membership meeting.

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## PROGRAMS - 2019

### February 14 Creative Strength – Lynette Beebee

Based on the online class Creative Strength Training by Jane Dunnewold, Lynette will present a general report of her Guild Scholarship funded class and provide materials for all to participate in a short 15-30 minute collage or stitching creative strength training experience. **Please bring scissors that can cut paper and fabric.** She will also have wallpaper and fabric samples to give away.

## REFRESHMENTS

### February - Carolyn White

Pam Jenkins

Jan Cain

### March - Becky Gaskill

Marcia Harvey

Kate Webb

### April - field trip

### May - Linda Stoker

Kathryn Worley

Cheryl Davis

### June - Judy Santner

Janet Meddings

Tari Ward

### 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

**April 4-5** Spring-Design at the Reed Scarf with Melissa Jones  
Westwood City Hall

**April 6** Warp painting class with Melissa Jones – Melissa's studio

Additional information, samples and applications at January meeting.

Fall-Wool Christmas Tree with Georgia Adams at Georgeville Store. This will be a one-day class. Date and details to follow.

## **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 Weavers Guild of Greater Kansas City Scholarship Application\_rev. or mail it to Judy Santer at her home address.

## **MENTORING**

Contact Christy Berry [bearandsprout@yahoo.com](mailto:bearandsprout@yahoo.com) 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 Christy 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 Trails West Branch Library, 11401 East 23rd Street, Independence, MO 64052. For more information, contact Jacqueline Jacobson

## **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 28<sup>th</sup> of each month.

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**Conferences/Workshops/Classes/Festivals/Exhibits**

*Please let me know of any workshop, festival or exhibit information that needs to be included in the newsletter.*

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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

**Midwest Weavers Conference Update:**

Class descriptions and schedule for *Uncommon Threads*, the 2019 Midwest conference, are available on the website now. <http://midwestweavers.org/conference>

The registration booklets will most likely be mailed shortly after Christmas. Once the books are in the mail, a PDF of the whole book will be available to download from the website as well.

**Mark your calendars...online registration begins February 2, 2019.**

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**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:

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 \$600  
Contact: Melody Miller, [run2yoga@gmail.com](mailto: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](mailto:run2yoga@gmail.com), 913-724-2324

### For Sale:

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





**For Sale:** Baby Wolf-Schacht, bench, warping board, 3 Reed's, heddles. About 35 years old. Front leg needs to be replaced. \$300. Contact Margo Quiriconi, [quiriconi@gmail.com](mailto:quiriconi@gmail.com) 816-289-4649

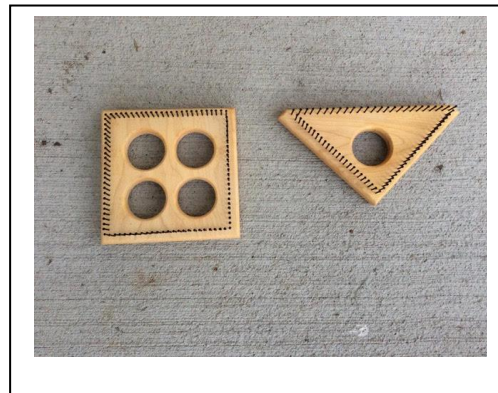
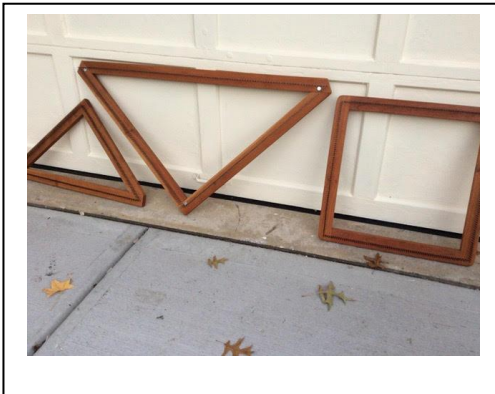




**For Sale:** Macomber loom - 10 harness, 12 treadle, 49 inch project width. Purchased in 1984 - good condition. Price includes: loom, bench, 6 reeds (various sizes), warping board, heddles, and treadle hooks. \$2000. Contact Erin Dooley, [edooley0323@gmail.com](mailto:edooley0323@gmail.com)

**For Sale:** Five 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
- 6" square and 9" triangle in maple, sold as a set: \$40



**Ashford 24" rigid heddle loom** with 4 reeds and a stand. Good condition. Priced at \$350 complete.



## **Sewing Machine + Accessories For Sale**

Viking Sapphire 930 sewing machine less than 2 years old: \$1,200

### **Accessories**

#### **Feet:**

- Utility Foot A
- Utility Foot B
- Buttonhole Foot C
- Blind Hem Foot D
- Zipper Foot E
- Non-Stick Glide Foot H
- Edging Foot J
- Embroidery/Darning Foot R
- Sensor One-Step Buttonhole Foot

#### **Extras:**

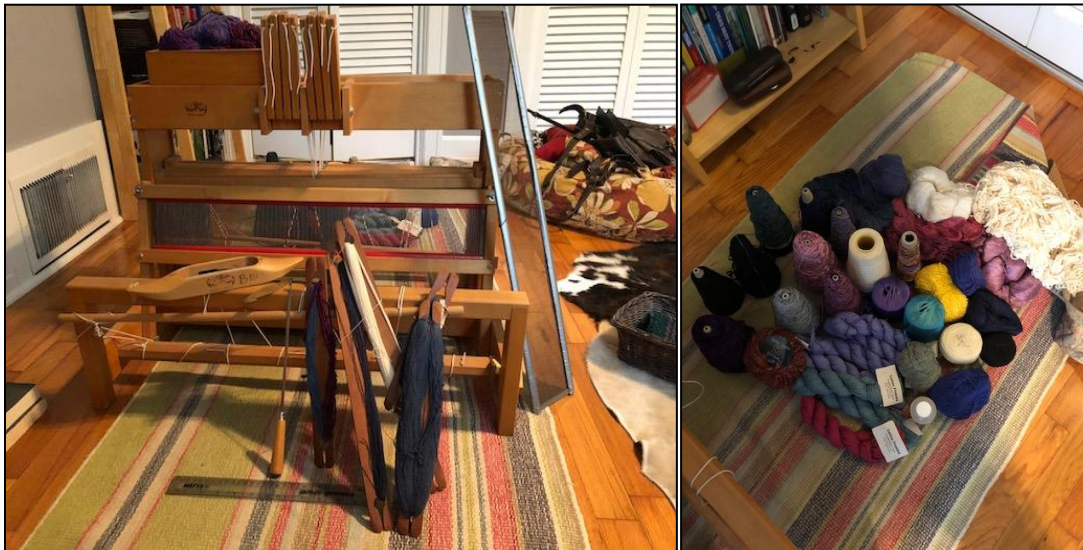
- PICTOGRAM Pen
- Non-Stick glide plates (2)
- Seam ripper
- Brush
- Screwdriver
- Edge/quilting guide
- Felt pad (2)
- Bobbins (5)
- Extra spool caps: one large, one small
- Multipurpose tool/button reed



- Thread nets
- Walking foot
- Large work surface plate
- Soft carrying case
- Fabric dust cover

**Contact: Bob Covell**  
**Email: [rcovell814@gmail.com](mailto:rcovell814@gmail.com)**  
**Phone: 913-268-3093**

**For Sale:** This table loom includes 8 and 12 dent reeds + a 15 dent reed that is 22", and all the related accessories including multiple shuttles, hook, weaving books, some great yarns and custom made box that fits on the top to hold tools etc. The loom currently lists at \$1240 new on the Schacht site for just the loom. It is in excellent condition. I am in Fayetteville, AR but am in Lee's Summit regularly and can bring the loom up for interested buyer. Price: \$600



Laura Moffitt [laurasuemoffitt@hotmail.com](mailto:laurasuemoffitt@hotmail.com) Phone: 773-220-9888

**For Sale:** LeCleric 45 inch, 4 harness, 6 treadle loom with 6 reeds and bench that has side pockets for storage and hinged storage area . Included are some shuttles and a large amount of heddles. Approx. age and condition: 25 years old. Not used for several years. In excellent condition. Price: \$600 Contact: Barbara Neth.  
 Email: [barbara.neth34@gmail.com](mailto:barbara.neth34@gmail.com) Phone: 816-347-0390



**For Sale:**

Saxony-Style Spinning Wheel-Antique Rebuilt

\$350

Original wheel and base on three legs

The wheel is on one end, the flyer on the other with a sloping frame.

It has been rebuilt by a Master Craftsman.

All of the parts are included to begin spinning.

Bonnie Hanni, Lawrence, KS. [bonnie.hanni@yahoo.com](mailto:bonnie.hanni@yahoo.com)

## **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 [jmeddings1@kc.rr.com](mailto:jmeddings1@kc.rr.com).

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