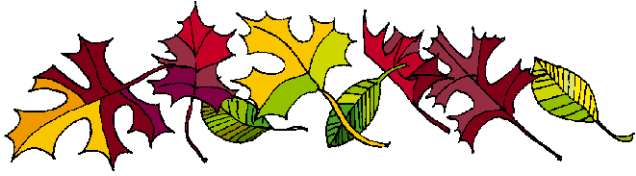


LOCO NEWSLETTER



Sept 14. Meeting

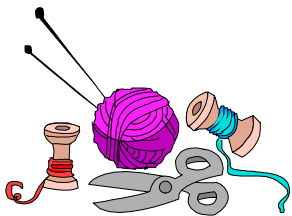
Our members have many talents. This meeting will be an opportunity to share their interests and talents at greater length than our monthly "Show & Tell".

Please bring an example of your special interest/talent to show and share. Members are gifted with the ability to produce many beautiful items made by painting, quilting, tatting, button making, felting, woodworking, dyeing, and who knows what else.

Please bring your projects so we have the opportunity to learn about them.

Oct. will be Socks with Donna. Nov. will be the Feed America Pot Luck Dinner. Donation to be matched.

Marybeth



Directory addition: New Member;

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crochet

Lori Summerville has cancelled her work phone # and added a cell # 440- 864-7468

Refreshments: Bring your own glass or cup. Be Green.



Refreshments for Sept. by: Lori Summerville, Donna Holmes, and Naudia Greer.



The Medina Guild has opened the Oct 2/3 Jacey Boggs Spinning Workshop to the public. There was a registration form in last month's newsletter for anyone wanting to sign up.

Calendar Events

Every Tuesday: Open Spinning and other crafts at Beth Hines' Studio. Baskets the 1st & 3rd Tues, 4th Tuesday is Weaving. No Beth's Studio 9/14.

9/4 Hale Farm - Made in Ohio crafts

9/11-12 Lyme Village Pioneer Days 10-5pm

9/14 LOCO meeting 7 pm Carlisle Reservation

9/14-15-16 Mill Hollow Pioneer Experience

9/ 18-19 Wool Gathering Yellow Springs, OH

9/26 Huntington Gathering 1:30 - 4pm

10 2/3 Birmingham, OH demo 9:30-4 / 11-4

10/ 12 LOCO meeting 7pm Carlisle Reservation

10/23/29/30/31 Weaving 101& 106 Russia Rd Ext Bldg

10/31 Huntington Gathering 1:30 - 4pm

10/24-31 SOAR Delavan,WI

Aug. 10, 2010 meeting of Lorain Co Spinners & Weavers Guild was called to order by Pres. Elizabeth at 7.

Dee, Treasurer report a ending balance of \$3547.30 with \$305 in the Heifer Fund. The secretary asked those who make motions and second them to identify themselves so the names are recorded in the minutes.

Reminder that Betsy needs the names of those taking the Oct. Weaving 101 & 106 by the Sept. meeting as she is ordering the wool for the 2 scarves from WEBS.

Program Chair Marybeth said the Sept. meeting will be an extended Show & Tell. Oct. will be Socks with Donna, and Nov. is the Feed America Pot Luck Dinner starting at 6:30pm. Bring you own table service and a dish and cash donation, which gets matched.

Demo Chair Chris reminded everyone of the Fair demo's.

Membership Chair Ann Hauser had the new Directories for us. Thanks to Ann, Katie for covers, Marybeth for paper donation, Etta for stapling, and Julie for including our Guild equipment list.

Sunshine, Etta sent 12 cards, mostly Get Well. Librarian Rachel Stowers sent word that she is moving and needs to be replaced as Librarian. Thanks for your good work for the Guild, Rachel. Eboni Francis volunteered to take the position.

Pres. Elizabeth appointed Donna Holmes and Renee Brown as Nominating Committee to bring a slate of Officers to the Oct. meeting.

It was announced that there is still a 10- dent reed missing from the Guild Equipment. Everyone please check your equipment to try and find it!

The Heifer Projects are progressing. Thanks spinners. Patti McAndrews had orders filled for T shirts, etc. which are ready for pick up. She is still taking orders, see the order form in the last newsletter. Karen Long made a motion for Patti to decide the color scheme of the banner and for us to purchase a 2 X 5 banner. Karen Morgan seconded the purchase of the banner, with Betsy Bruce seconding Patti's choice of colors. Motions passed.

Betsy reminded those without name tags that she will make them.

Pioneer Craftsman Experience is Sept. 14, 15, 16 at Mill Hollow for schools to come to. This Demo is our payment to the Lorain Co Parks system for our use of the room at the Carlisle Visitor Center for our meetings. We need more demonstrators for those days - choose what fits for you - knitting, spinning, weaving, fiber preparation, explaining the work. We need to be there at 8 am, schools there 9am to 2pm.

Heifer committee is to meet at Beth Hines last Tuesday of August, 7 pm.

Pat Giesler gave a great program on the Iceland Wool Camp she attended several years ago. Thank You, Pat.

Respectfully submitted,

Sara Twining



For Sale: Linda Bertanzetti of Columbiana, Oh. has several looms, floor looms and smaller ones, for sale with shuttles, thread guides, etc. For specific information and prices call her.

She also has an Ashford Traditional spinning wheel, Kromski stool, lazy kate & niddy noddy for sale. Like new. \$425.00

Call Linda at 330-457-7551

Peru Trip Report:

I had to get my journal, photo album & the book, Weaving in the Peruvian Highlands by Nilda Callanaupa Alvarez so that I could review my trip. We six "chickas" met in Miami & flew to Lima, Peru the day before Easter. We spent about 2 1/2 days being tourists along with 4 other couples from Denver & Cheyenne, and Indianapolis. We then flew to a town called Cusco (an hour flight from Lima) & promptly boarded a bus for Chinchero, a small weaving village at 11,200 ft. elevation. This stop at Chinchero was unscheduled but the tour company, OAT out of Boston, is noted for their "discoveries" and additional side trips. Anyway, this weaving center gave us a lovely demonstration of the drop spindle, plying, dyeing with natural dyes that they gathered & different mordants, washing alpaca & wool, warping for a back strap loom and actually weaving on a back strap loom. The weavers ranged from 4 or 5 year old to senior citizens. Later I realized that Chinchero was the hometown of Nilda Alvarez. Our guide who lived in Cusco planned for us to see the original weaving center that was the basis for Nilda's Center for Traditional Textiles of Cusco which is a co-op for a number of weaving center is the Cusco region. I will try to remember to bring some of my purchases to the LOCO meeting in December. Ask Etta about the magazine, "Wild Fibers" & the story of Nilda. Happy Weaving. Jewel



From Handwoven

So that everyone is aware, the Guild subscribes to Handwoven (and Spin Off). It is in the Guild library. This last issue has 6 projects using a Rigid- Heddle loom. There is also mention of a weaving sourcebook. It is by Jane Patrick. " The Weaver's Idea Book; Creative Cloth on a Rigid-Heddle Loom" This might be a good book for the Guild library (or your own library). Price \$29.95 ISBN 978-1-59668-175-0 from Interweave Press



Yarn Discovery Tour of 13 Shops in Northern Ohio

Yarn Discovery Tour 2010-the passports went on sale today at Smith's. Let me say that this year's goody bags are really, really nice. Not only are the straps longer, stronger and more sturdy, but the colors are great and it has a zipper! Perfect for a project bag after the tour is over. Come in and get your passport which has a list and addresses of the 13 shops on the tour. There are several new shops this year, and some of our old favorites. Using the passport allows you to sign up for the gift baskets that are in abundance this year. Did I mention the yarn tour bags are stuffed with goodies? They are, and a mere 5 bucks.

September 10-25, 2010 Wind your way through NE Ohio and explore the treasures of our area yarn shops!
Go to www.yarndiscoverytour.com

The bags are in the store and you better get your fannie in and get one if you want one-they are flying out the door. If you cannot get in right away and you want one, call Chuck or Elaine at Smith's and have them hold one for you. They will gladly hold them for one week. If you don't come in at the end of the 7 days, it goes back out to be snatched up. I got one and I can't stop playing with it.....

AND LAST BUT NOT LEAST, SMITH'S HAS THIRTY PER CENT OFF SELECTED COTTONS!!!! Stop in and see the yummy cottons we are selling to have room for all the new stuff coming in.

Kathie Skrabanek

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