

LOCO Newsletter



Refreshments: bring your own

Glass or cup; Be Green.

Refreshments for July by:

Kathy Webb, Kathie Skrabanek,
and Janet Vizkelety

**Remember to pay your dues so the next
year's Directory can be done soon.**

July, 2010: Can you believe it, already half the year gone, and can you believe it's "2010"!

Where has time flown. Our July meeting will be about taking care of those fiber items that time has 'flown' for. The July program will be "Preserving Heritage Textiles," presented by Nancy Rosendaul. She will explain cleaning and repairing your pieces, including washing methods.

She will have restored baby clothes and linens to show us. You will also get tips on how best to store or display items without causing damage. I know we all have a memory piece made by a grandmother, aunt, a dear friend (just for instance) that we want to show off and keep safe. Be sure and mark **July 13** on your calendar for this meeting.



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spin, weave, knit, crochet, sew

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 6/22, 7/13, 8/3, 8/10, 8/17, 8/24.** There will be Studio **8/31**.

7/13 LOCO meeting 7pm Carlisle Reservation

7/25 Huntington Gathering; 1:30 - 4 pm

July 18 - 25 Convergence Albuquerque, NM

<http://www.weavespindye.org/?loc=8-00-00>

8/6 Medina Fair Demo

8/10 LOCO meeting 7 pm Carlisle Reservation

8/12 Kid's Day 10 - 4 Cuyahoga Co. Fair (need help)

8/13 Cuyahoga Co Fair Demo 6 - 9 pm

8/14 Quilt Show Bonnie Brae Farm

8/29 Lorain Co Fair Demo 9 - 4

9/14 LOCO meeting 7 pm Carlisle Reservation

Editor's note: If you sent me things for the newsletter and they are not here, Please excuse and resend them. I lost all my saved files in email when my computer died last week. My daughter saved all the My Doc. files so I have those but I lost alot of email info. Katie

June 8, 2010 Lorain Co Spinners & Weavers meeting was called to order by Pres Elizabeth at 7 pm. There were no corrections or additions to the minutes read in the newsletter.

Dee Martin reported a beginning balance of \$2320.82, with an ending balance of \$2575.82, of which \$230 was the Heifer Fund.

There was a Thank You note from the Demuth family for the donation to the scholarship fund. Beth Hines reminded about the June 26th dye day. It is intended to have 4 dye colors and each person may dye 8- 50 yard skeins. There will be a Potluck meal.

The July program will be on preserving old fabrics, such as quilts. The Aug. program will be by Pat Geisler about her trip to Iceland.

Chris sent around the sign up book for the demonstrations, explaining the need to be signed early so Beth will be able to get the list to the Fair for free admission, or tickets.

Etta reported 9 cards for Sunshine.

June 29th is to be the Board meeting at 7pm at Beth Hines. Any member is welcome to attend, not just officers.

Patti McAndrew sent around 2 art designs, for the most liked one to be a design on T shirts and sweat shirts. Other articles will be discussed later. Colors and prices were discussed.

Betty Roll asked if she could price a Mic, as hearing a speaker in this larger room is hard. Consensus was for her to get prices.

Julie reported that there is a 10-dent reed missing that is listed as part of the loom supplies. Can anyone having used the Guild looms check to see if they have a spare 10-dent reed.

There was Show & Tell, refreshments, then the program with Betsy and Karen telling about natural dyes. Karen gave a comprehensive look at natural dyes and the outcome of using one dye with different mordants and the varying effects it produces in yarns. She displayed an interesting array of colors and hues she has produced using flowers and explained the steps to the natural dying process in detail. She then opened a question and answer forum and allowed members to view books she brought on the subject as well.



Moroccan inspired rug by Audrey Kolb

The below rug/throw was woven of cotton warp with handspun wool as weft. The looped shag rows are also handspun wool with gold sequins. All the wool was spun by Audrey.



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