

The Roving

September 2015



President's Message

I hope all those participating in the Show and Sale are not totally worn out yet. At the September meeting we will be helping Judy Trimble in preparing for the sale. She will let us know what he needs us to do at the meeting and we can have a great time doing it. What fun. I find that these are the times that everyone has a good time and get to enjoy each other's company. Judy still needs helpers so be prepared to sign up. I think the weaving and spinning at our Show and Sales gets better each year. Everyone seems to be pushing themselves and it shows.

We will also be voting on the slate of officers presented at the August meeting. The names presented were: **Bill Hungerford** - President; **Carole Martin**-Vice-President; **Nikki Crain**-Secretary; **Klara East**-Treasurer.

Be sure to come to the meeting so you can vote. See you there.

September Meeting

WHEN: September 13

WHERE: Exeter Memorial Bldg

TIME: 9:30- 1:00 pm

PROGRAM: Wool and other Fibers Sale

9:30- 10:00 coffee & goodies
Guild members with last names
between A-G please bring a goodie to share

Please carpool.

Check out <spinzilla.org> . Kathleen brought to this to my attention and Stacey Hungerford pointed it out on facebook. If there are any spinners out there who would like to do this or take charge of a group, please do so. I think it would be fun, but I am unable to do this at this time.

Denni Pearson and Nancy Reimer have done a great job as co-chairs of the Show and Sale for the last 6 years. Sadly this show and Sale will be their last. Yes, they have decided enough is enough and they are passing on the reigns. This said, we are now looking for new co-chairs for the Show and Sale. Denni and Nancy have organized the Show and Sale so that it now runs as a well-oiled machine. The guide lines, rules, and organization are all done and this information will be passed on to the new co-chairs. I am asking you, the Executive Board, to help in this. Last time a committee of the biggest sellers from Show and Sale was formed and they picked the new co-chairs. Do you think this should be done again or a volunteer committee of chairs to select co-chairs? Another option would be to send out a mass e-mail to ask for any members that would be willing to be co-chairs and then select from this list. What do you think? Please contact Kathleen with your thoughts and she will write them up

NewMembers

Patty & Janelle Robinett (family membership) Janelle is a dyer.
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Dear Handweavers of the Valley and Squeaky Wheels,

We are "The Treadlers", a small new group that weaves and spins with great eagerness to learn. We were welcomed so graciously at Nancy Register's home last spring. Since then, we have joined the guild and

traveled, whenever possible, to learn and enjoy these new skills. We have been invited and helped by members in Exeter, Porterville, Three Rivers, Camp Nelson, Visalia and Bakersfield.

It's our turn to Thank You ladies (and gents). You are invited to come meet us and join the fun in Bakersfield whenever you are available.

Carole Martin has reserved these rooms, where she lives, from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. on the 4th Tuesday of September and October in Bakersfield. We will break for November and December due to holidays and resume in 2015.

Here are the directions to the meeting place.

<http://www.villasatscenicriver.com/bakersfield/the-villas-at-scenic-river/map-and-directions/>

Guild programs

September 12

PROGRAM: Show and Sale Committee,

October 24

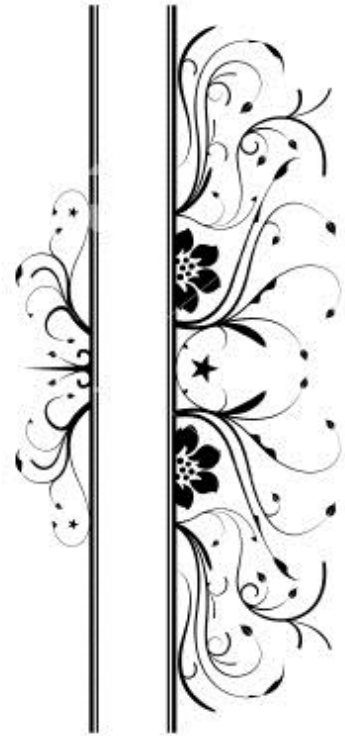
36th ANNUAL HARVEST OF HANDWOVENS SHOW & SALE, each member needs to bring 2 dozen cookies

November 14

PROGRAM: "Dyeing Day" presented by DeeDee King & Lindsay Dion (material fee)

December 12,

"Christmas Party"



We have a new "trial" Facebook page @ <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1449275522052127/>

It is a "Members Only" Group where we can learn, inspire and share our projects in a relaxed format, in real time. You can add yourself at the link above. Check it out. If you would like help being added, just send an email to 2HWOTV@gmail.com

Our other Facebook page serves us wonderfully to attract members at the public level. Once you are a member, and want to share a little more personally, perhaps this page can meet that need. Some have requested more interactions between meetings for various reasons.

For example...

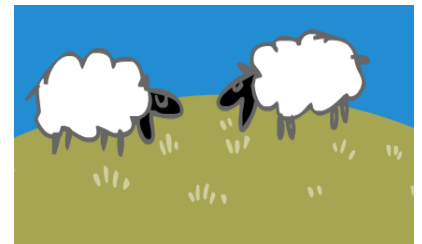
It's easier to post a question and have many responses quickly, rather than calling many individuals during their busy day. We can post pictures from meetings for those that are out sick. Carpooling, finished projects, and events, the possibilities are endless.

We will try it for 6 months and see if it's beneficial. Happy Posting

Other Info

Squeekie Wheels – the spinning group of Guild members meets the 1st Wednesday of each month in Porterville at Sierra Hills Retirement Community located at 2500 W. Henderson Ave from 10am-3pm, bring your lunch or get it there (\$7). They also meet on the 3rd Friday of each month in Exeter at the at Capella's Coffee House, 10-3ish.

Kawaeah Konnection This meeting is last until September. Meetings will resume on the second Wednesday of September



Loom for Sale

Beautiful dark walnut four harness Oregon Trail Loom

Weaves 45 inches wide. Matching bench with sliding drawer for storage. 12 dent reed. Asking \$800. Will deliver within a reasonable distance or meet you halfway.

Questions? Dee Dee King (559) 338-0322

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Items for the newsletter need to be received by Karen Dennis by the 25th of each month. E-mail is knjdenni@att.net or phone 559-561-4705 (please leave message or call back number).