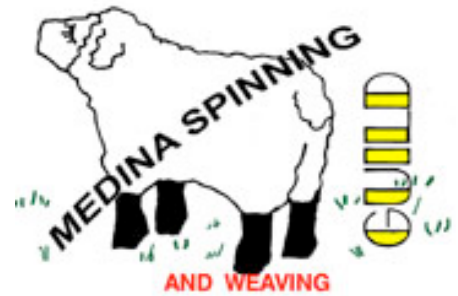


The Woolly Pages



PRESIDENT NEWS

That was a great double program! I admire those that can carve out the time for on line classes. I see programs I would love to do but I know that I would never take the time to watch them. Dianna's study of fleeces was really fascinating. As we like to say too many fleeces too little time.

Jean has some great craft ornaments for us to make in December. So as always bring any personal craft supplies, scissors, etc..

We are doing something different this year in having a potluck before the make and take. We would like to have everyone bring their own service. I know this can be a pain, but if we all just do a little bit toward conserving, it will help the planet. So bring a Cup or mug along with a plate and tableware, maybe a bowl for any soup. We will have the usual items but it won't be nice to do our bit to cut down on trash. Also please think about doing the same for RocDay.

Scholarship Drawing

We will be drawing for the Guild Scholarship at January movie. So please get your name and course of study to me A.S.A.P. So far I only have five names. The only thing you have to do is a short program on the class you took.

- Nancy Page

CONTINUOUS STRAND WORKSHOP

Ron Philips has provided a link to the diagrams from the workshop for anyone who would find them useful.

<https://reluctantweaver.wordpress.com/2019/10/28/continuous-strand-workshop>

Guild Calendar

Monthly Meetings

Are held on the third Tuesday of the month, September thru May.
Social time begins at 7:00 PM
Business meeting at 7:30 PM
Medina Presbyterian Church,
5020 Burgundy Bay Blvd.
(off Route 18)

Afternoon Spinning

December 6th 11:45 am
Richfield UCC

Board Meeting

December 12th 7:00 pm

Guild Meeting

December 17th
Starting at 6:30 pm
Pot Luck and Make and Take

Newsletter Deadline

December 22nd

Evening Spinning

No meeting in December

Roc Day

January 4th 10 am - 3 pm

Guild Meeting

January 21st
Movie night

Huck Lace Workshop

May 1st - 3rd
See flyer in newsletter

Medina Spinning and Weaving Guild Meeting Minutes for November 21, 2019.

Meeting Start: 7:35 pm

Meeting end: 9:25pm

Tonight's meeting opened with President Nancy Page presiding. Nancy greeted everyone. No Visitors present.

Minutes from October, 2019 meeting were voted approved with Linda White moving to accept and Marty 2nd the motion. All voted aye.

Treasurer Report – Linda

- Checking: \$ \$3459.70 as of November 14, 2019.
- Savings: \$2052.09
- Expected expenses by December 1, 2019 - \$397
- Membership: 75 Regular, 5 Family, 3 Lifetime

Programs – Jean

- Make-it/Take-it in December. 4 Presenters have volunteered with this meeting. We will share a pot-luck dinner, starting at 6:30 pm. Please bring your own plates, silverware, cups and a dish to share.

Workshops – Nancy

- Wrap up of Continuous Strand Weaving – 5 people attended.
- Wrap up of Rare Breeds Workshop – 14 people attended; co hosted with LOCO
- Spring, 2020 **Color & Design in Huck Towel Weaving** by Rosalie Wilson– May 1-3, 2020. 5/1 – 9 to 4, 5/2 – 9 to 4, 5/3 – 9 to 12 noon. Cost is \$220/members, Material fee is \$20. There is room for 15. Participants need a 4-8 harness loom, and should purchase 8/2 cotton in 4 colors. Workshop held at Weymouth Historical Preservation Society in Weymouth, OH.

Newsletter – Stephen

- Articles due November 24, 2019

Patches – Nancy P. - patches that were ordered were passed out. If you would like to purchase one, the guild has a limited number remaining.

Scholarships – Guild scholarship will be chosen at the January 2020 meeting. Please submit applications now!

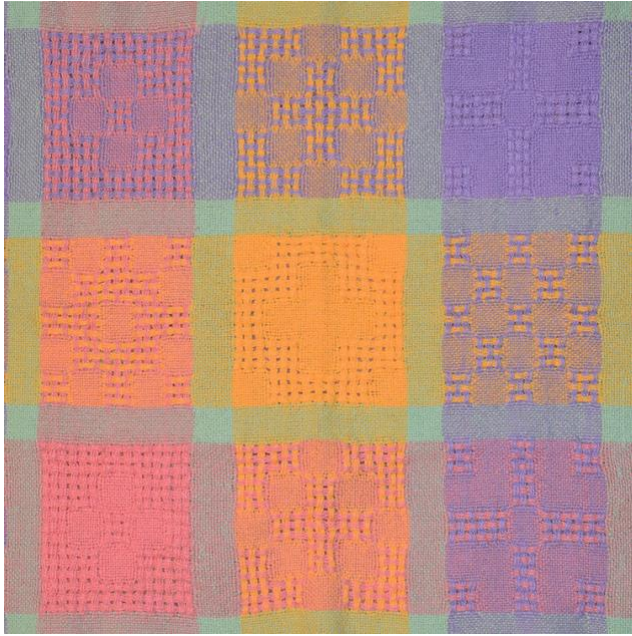
LOCO report – Barb

Service Projects – Dianna

Highlighted The Red Scarf Project for supporting children who have aged out of foster care.

Library – Becky – magazine group packs available for check-out; knitting books also highlighted.

Weaving Presentation by Debbie Swan and Barb Enos and Scholarship presentation by Dianna Phillips followed refreshments.



Color and Design in Huck Lace Towels

With Rosalie Neilson

May 1-3, 2020

(9 a.m.- 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday)

(9 a.m.-noon Sunday)

Weymouth Historical Preservation Society

3314 Myers Rd.

Medina, Ohio 44256

Huck Lace provides a treasure trove of design for weavers. It is a shaft-efficient weave structure where an 8-shaft loom can produce six blocks of design; and a 4-shaft loom can produce a myriad of different ways to combine 16 different textures of warp/weft floats with plain weave.

You will learn how “blocks” or units of huck lace are threaded on four and eight shafts, and how they can be combined to expand design possibilities within a single threading by changing the tie-up.

Using Design Pages and Transparent Overlays plus a Huck Lace Template from Neilson’s book *An Exaltation of Blocks*, you will practice how to convert black and white patterns into 6-block Huck Lace designs.



Rosalie Neilson loves using color and geometric design in her weavings and kumihimo braiding. As both designer and teacher, she was featured in a 2-hour DVD by Interweave Press called *Rep Weave*. She publishes regularly in weaving and braiding journals and maintains an active teaching schedule throughout the United States, Canada, and England. Her most recent book, *An Exaltation of Blocks* is a toolkit of design pages and transparent overlays for exploring symmetric block design.

The towel project for this workshop will consist of three 4 ½” sections of Huck Lace, each a different color, separated by a one-inch stripe of plain weave. The overall width of the project is 16 ¼” suitable for looms with a weaving width of 18”. For looms narrower than 18” wide, a narrower draft will be sent.

***Pre-workshop threading instructions will be sent via email to registrants. Warp and weft are 8/2 unmercerized cotton in four different colors.*

Students will work on their own looms exclusively.

Workshop fee: \$220 members, \$245 non-members

Open to members exclusively now until January 1, 2020, then open to non-members.

Skill level: Advanced Beginners and up

Materials fee (paid directly to instructor on the first day of the workshop): \$20 for a coil bound booklet with Design Pages and Transparencies.

Name_____

Address_____

Phone_____ Email_____

Loom (table or floor) (harnesses- 4 or 8)_____

Loom width (in inches) _____

Cancellation policy: Full refund if instructor cancels the class or 60 days prior to workshop. After 60 days, a full refund will be given only if another student can take your place. If another student cannot take your place, you will get a 50% refund. No refunds 30 days prior to class date.

Make all checks payable to Medina Spinning and Weaving Guild and mail to:
Linda White, 1107 Schocalog Rd., Akron, OH 44320

For more information about the workshop, contact Nancy Kilkenny at nancy.kilkenny28@gmail.com or 440-623-4774

Fiber Events Calendar

YER GRANNY'S OVERSHOT

March 28 & 29, 2020

Lake Metroparks Farmpark, 8800 Euclid- Chardon Rd., Kirtland, OH

Western Reserve Spinners and Weavers Guild presents a 2-day workshop with Janet Dawson. This round robin workshop will cover overshot basics like identifying blocks, tromp-as-writ, star vs. rose fashion, and opposites. With that foundation, we'll move beyond traditional patterns and treadling to variations like Italian, flamepoint, swivel, petit point, shadow, treadled as lace, and more.

The cost of \$235 for non-guild members includes pre-wound warps and weft, as well as substantial handouts.

Registration: Opens 11/1/19 for non-WRSW members.

<http://wrspinweave.org/workshops/>

CONVERGENCE 2020

July 24-30, 2020, Knoxville, Tennessee

The national conference put on by the Handweavers Guild of America. A large range of seminars and workshops on weaving, spinning and related crafts. Multiple exhibitions and other activities. A preliminary schedule available. Registration opens October 1st. Medina S&W Guild is a member of HGA

www.weavespindye.org/convergence

AUSTRALIAN CHALLENGE

The Australian Challenge is on again. The sponsor this year is The Handspinners and Weaver Guild of South Australia. It needs to be there by Friday December 6th. Then you have to get it back to them by Friday May 29, 2020. The entry fee is \$40 USA.

sites.google.com/site/scarfex2020/

NEWCOMB LITTLE DAISY RUG LOOM

If someone is looking for a project there is a unique loom available for free. This is a two-harness 45" rug loom from 1913. Currently it is in pieces. See flyer on our website.

<https://wp.me/a1YZ9e-pc>

TEACHERS WANTED

I recently opened a weaving studio in Lakewood and I am looking for teachers to hold workshops for adults. I am thinking of things like Weaving, Warping, Crochet, and especially lucet at the moment but I'd there is something you'd like to try please let me know.

Joanne Burns 216-533-7791

WeavingSupplyandStudio@gmail.com

GUILD PATCHES

If you missed out on the patch order (or signed up last Spring and missed the announcement that Nancy mis-placed that sign up sheet). We will place another order sometime in the New Year. Now if you cannot wait, the Guild did order 10 extra.

The price is \$6.00 each. You may pay by cash or check made out to the Medina Spinning & Weaving Guild, while supplies last.

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- Nancy Page