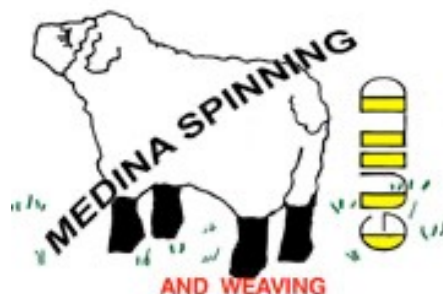


# The Woolly Pages



## PRESIDENTS LETTER

When I think about our upcoming September meeting, the theme song from “Welcome Back Kotter” keeps running through my head. Not all the words, just the “Welcome Back” part and the tune. . . it was a sitcom in the 1970’s, for those of you not old enough to remember it! So, WELCOME BACK!

Right now, the plan is to be back together at the church for our September meeting. We will be following the guidelines of the church – so we may have to wear masks – but we won’t know until the beginning of September when we get those guidelines. The Delta variant of COVID 19 is fairly worrisome but I so hope we can gather as a group for this meeting – summer is a very productive time for all of us makers!

Please plan on bringing your show-and-tell items and the spinning you did for the Tour de Fleece event! I look forward to seeing all the creative projects on which you’ve been working.

- Dianna Phillips

## MEMBERSHIP DUES

Membership Dues are due. There are a lot of you that have not sent them in yet. If you like to save a stamp, I am at the Brunswick Farmers Market every Sunday. I will be at the Medina Fair Demonstration on August 6<sup>th</sup>. Then I plan on being at 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday Spinning Richfield Senior Center and August 26<sup>th</sup> at the Richfield Public Library. Please see the form in the newsletter.

- Nancy Page

### Monthly Meetings

Held on the third Tuesday of the month, September thru May starting at 7:00 PM  
Medina Presbyterian Church,  
5020 Burgundy Bay Blvd.  
(off Route 18)

### Guild Calendar

#### Medina County Fair

August 6<sup>th</sup> 9:00 - 3:00

Spinning Demo in Sheep Barn

#### Afternoon Spinning

August 18<sup>th</sup> 11:30 am

Richfield Senior Center

#### Evening Spinning

August 26<sup>th</sup> 5:30 pm

Richfield Library

#### Afternoon Spinning

September 3<sup>rd</sup> 11:30 am

Richfield Senior Center

#### Newsletter Deadline

August 22<sup>nd</sup>

#### Guild Meeting

September 21<sup>st</sup>

The Big Show 'n Tell

#### Dye Day

September 25<sup>th</sup> 9:00 - 2:30

Details in newsletter

#### Spin In/Craft In

November 6<sup>th</sup> 10:00 - 4:00

Brunswick Library

## MEDINA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We are currently planning on returning to the Church for the September Meeting. We will advise you in the August Newsletter as to the Church protocols. We will observe the protocol that the Church Board sets out.

## TREASURER REPORT

Balances as of 6/30/2021

Checking:	\$3490.13
Deposits:	\$415.00
Withdrawals:	\$423.21
Savings:	\$2053.58

Current Memberships Renewed: 20.

Have not received July statement as of yet.

- Nancy Page

## KNIT A SHAWL

*For the Hale Farm Costume Department*

Our service project for Hale Farm is off to a great start with ten volunteers taking a packet of wool yarn to knit a triangle shawl for the Hale Farm Costume Department, some participants taking two kits! We still have four kits available if you would like to help out in this project to keep the staff and volunteers warm during the Spring, Fall and Winter programs. Yarn is supplied and a choice of two patterns, but you could use a pattern you like. The yarn is wool that was purchased for another farm project and it has been in-storage for many years. Contact Becky Monegan if you would like to participate. We are looking at September or October as a return date.

Contact: [summitbluebird@sbcglobal.net](mailto:summitbluebird@sbcglobal.net)  
330-920-1448

- becky

## DYE DAY 2021

*Saturday, September 25*

As we finalize our plans for Dye Day we are asking your help in collecting the dye material.

**Goldenrod** is just coming into bloom. The blooms at the first of August give the best yellows. Cut the flower heads as they break into bloom and freeze in plastic bags.

**Yellow Onion Skins:** save the papery outer skins. Once dried, they keep for years, so no need to freeze.

**Marigold flowers** bloom all summer. Clip the flower head of any color and freeze in plastic bags.

Our fourth dye is **Osage Orange**. We have enough wood chips/sawdust for our dye pots this year.

Dye Day will be hosted by Hollie Krenz, in her family barn in Grafton.(16100 Cowley Rd, Grafton, 44044).

Also, if you plan to participate in the guild's Dye Day on Saturday, September 25th, please reply to help us plan for supplies.

Becky Monegan: 330-920-1448  
[summitbluebird@sbcglobal.net](mailto:summitbluebird@sbcglobal.net) or Cris Voorhees  
at 330-848-1979 [crispins314@yahoo.com](mailto:crispins314@yahoo.com)

## SPRING RETREAT - APRIL 23, 2022

For everyone's safety, we will be pushing the annual Spring Retreat back another year. So please mark your calendars for Saturday, April 23, 2022. It will still be held at the Krabill Shelter at Chippewa Lake.

## SHEEP TO SHAWL

We are exploring the idea of having a Sheep to Shawl Demo/Contest with LOCO, at sometime in the future. If you would be interested in being on a team please let a board member know. Right now we are just trying to find out what the interest level is to go forward.

- Nancy Page

## DEMONSTRATIONS OR GATHERINGS

This is a list of all demonstrations or gatherings that I know of at this time. Some dates will overlap. I have listed dates through September, so you may get them on your calendar.

We gather at the Richfield Senior Center on the 1st and 3rd Fridays 11:30 to 2:45 and at the Richfield Public Library on the 3rd or 4th Thursday, 5:30 to 7:45.

Reminders will be sent out by Jan Pesek.

*August*

- 1st - Brunswick Farmers Market 11 to 2
- 6th - Medina County Fair - Sheep Barn 9 to 3
- 6th - Richfield Senior Center 11:30 to 2:45
- 8th - Brunswick Farmers Market 11 to 2
- 20th - Richfield Senior Center 11:30 to 2:45
- 22nd - Brunswick Farmers Market 11 to 2
- 26th - Richfield Public Library 5:30 to 7:45'
- 28th - Marshallville Historical Days 10 to 5 - Pioneer Dress
- 29th - Brunswick Farmers Market 11 to 2
- 29th - Lorain County Fair 10 to 3

There is no gathering at Beth Hines' Craft House during August

If you are available to spin or to craft at either Fair please contact Beth Hines for admittance information.

*September*

- 3rd - Richfield Senior Center 11:30 to 2
- 5th - Brunswick Farmers Market 11 to 2
- 7th - Beth Hines House 10 to 2
- 12th - Brunswick Farmers Market 11 to 2
- 14th - Beth Hines House 10 to 2
- 16th - Richfield Public Library 5:30 to 7:45
- 17th - Richfield Senior Center 11:30 to 2:45
- 18th - Weymouth Day 8 to 5 - Pioneer Dress
- 19th - Brunswick Farmers Market 11 to 2
- 21st - Beth Hines House 10 to 2
- 25th - DYE DAY 9 to 2 - See Dye Day announcement in Newsletter
- 26th - Brunswick Farmers Market 11 to 2
- 28th - Beth Hines House 10 to 2

I had spoken with some of you about the Ohio Agriculture Day at the Medina Fair Grounds. It has been delayed till September 2022.

- Nancy Page

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**DEMONSTRATOR NEEDED**

Case-Barlow Farm, a historical farm located in Hudson, Ohio, has requested a person to do a simple dye presentation on Sunday September 19, 12 to 5. If interested please let me know and I will put you in touch with the person in charge. No costume required.

- Nancy Page

**SPINNING BOBBINS FOR SALE**

4 Schacht high speed spinning wheel bobbins and 1 standard bobbin. Never used. Solid maple. For the Matchless, Flatron, and Ladybug with double drive. Will also work on a Sidekick. \$25 each.

Also in search of Bobbins for a Louet Victoria S95 or S96.

Contact Gina Talandis darzas@msn.com

**WOOLERY WEAVE-OFF**

The winners of the Woolery's Towel Weave-Off were announced last month. Debbie Swan was awarded second place in the pattern category. See photos of all the winning towels in their blog.

[woolery.com/blog/woolery-weaveoff-winners-2021](http://woolery.com/blog/woolery-weaveoff-winners-2021)

**CALL TO FIBER ARTISTS**

Peninsula Art Academy 18th Annual Fiber Show! Work Due August 13, 2021. Show us your Functional and/or Artistic fiber creations.

The show runs August 14, 2021 through September 13th, 2021

Work due August 13th 11 - 5 or by arrangement sooner with Carol Adams 330-657-2681 [caroladams@en.com](mailto:caroladams@en.com)

[www.peninsulaartacademy.org/gallery-1](http://www.peninsulaartacademy.org/gallery-1)

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**INTERESTING ARTICLES:****SHEEP GROUND KEEPING CREW**

Meet the sheep grazing the ground of a Kentucky solar farm

[spectrumnews1.com/ky/louisville/news/2021/06/11/shetland-sheep-graze-kentucky-s-largest-solar-farm](http://spectrumnews1.com/ky/louisville/news/2021/06/11/shetland-sheep-graze-kentucky-s-largest-solar-farm)

**A KNITTED CASTLE**

Sandringham Castle has been recreated in a miniature knitted version.

<https://www.architecturaldigest.com/story/queen-elizabeth-sandringham-castle-mini-knitted-version>

**SHETLAND SHEEP SHEARING DAY**

Diane and Lloyd Schrader invite you to their sheep shearing. See the sheep being shorn and have the first choice of the fleeces. With 75 sheep to be shorn there are many colors and fleece types to choose from.

Send an email to [DLSShetlands@yahoo.com](mailto:DLSShetlands@yahoo.com) to be added to the list to be notified of the date.

**SUPPORT THE GUILD**

When you order from the Woolery or Halcyon Yarns the Guild receives a rebate.

**WOOLERY**

Support the Guild by shopping the Woolery via the link on our web site or [www.woolery.com?aff=16](http://www.woolery.com?aff=16)

The Woolery will donate up to 5% of guild members' total purchases to our guild.

**HALCYON YARN**

We joined the Guild Rewards Program at Halcyon Yarns. That means the Guild will receive back a bit of the money you spend. To participate:

1. Go to [halcyonyarn.com/guild/](http://halcyonyarn.com/guild/)
2. Find Medina Spinning and Weaving Guild and click on it.
3. Order your stuff.

MEDINA SPINNING & WEAVING GUILD MEMBERSHIP 2021/2022

Dues are \$25.00 per individual or \$30.00 per household

If renewing please confirm your contact information in the previous directory and check the box if anything needs to be updated.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

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Make checks payable to Medina Spinning and Weaving Guild and mail to:

Nancy Page  
2032 Wascana Ave  
Lakewood, OH 44107

Mark to have membership directory mailed. Otherwise directory will be emailed.