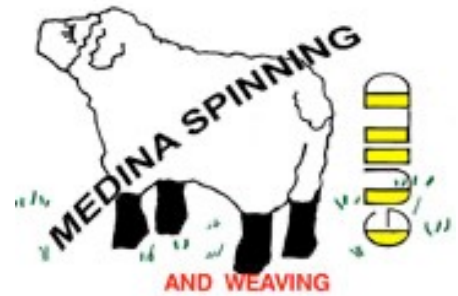


The Woolly Pages



EDITOR'S NOTE

Sorry for the delay in getting the newsletter out. I had lost track of time after attending Convergence and additional vacation time in Asheville.

There is a lot happening in the next couple months. We are happy to announce a Stranded Knitting Workshop in November. Please review the demonstration list and the other event listings.

Please take a moment if you have not had time and send in your membership renewal.

- Stephen

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

Afternoon Spinning

August 5th 11:30 am
 Richfield Senior Center

Evening Spinning

August 25th 5:30 pm
 Richfield Library

Newsletter Deadline

August 21st

Medina County Fair Demo

August 5th 9:00 - 3:00

Dye Day

September 17th 9 am

Guild Meeting

September 20th
 The Big Show and Tell

Spin-In

November 5th 10:30 - 3:00
 Medina Highland Library

Stranded Knitting Workshop

November 11th
 See flyer in newsletter.

TREASURER REPORT

Bank Statements as of July 31, 2022

Checking \$3,721.71

Savings \$2,054.18

Number of renewed memberships: 32

Please do not forget to renew your membership, the form is in the newsletter or on the website.

- Nancy Page

LIBRARY

We have started our downsizing of the guild archives. Twenty years of Handwoven magazines were sold at our Fiber Relocation in May. Watch for future downsize offers in September.

No new books were purchased but two books were donated by guild members: *Vanishing Fleece*, *Adventure in American Wool* by Carla Parkes and *Redwork from the Workbasket* (plus CD) by Rebecca Kemp Brent.

- becky

DYE DAY 2022

When: Saturday, September 17

9:00 AM-until the pots are washed.

Where: Hollie Krenz's family barn
16100 Cowley Rd., Grafton, 44044

Dye pots: Madder, Cochineal, Yellow to be determined, Indigo

What to bring: 8 skeins, each measured to 50 yards. Tie your skein beginning-to-end and secure with 3 figure-eight ties of white or natural yarn. Your skeins should be tagged with your name. Animal fibers work best with natural dyes(especially wool, Alpaca, silk). Cotton and Acrylic yarns will not accept the dyes.

What else?: a folding chair, brown bag lunch and drink, plastic bags to transport your wet skeins home. Many bring their spinning or knitting to work on as we wait for dye pots to heat up. Questions? contact Becky Monegan, Cris Voorhees or Hollie Krenz

- becky, Cris & Hollie

DYE GARDEN VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Lisa Pettry is looking for volunteers to help with the Dye Garden at Hale Farm & Village this season. Tasks include planting, watering, weeding and the fun part, harvesting! You will be asked to complete a Western Reserve Historical Society short-term or long-term volunteer application form. Contact Lisa if you are interested: 330-416-8473 lisapetry@gmail.com

LIBRARY DISPLAYS

We are going to have 2 library shows in September and October and the Highland and Lodi library in Medina. Let's have a sign up sheet so we can get an idea of what we will have to display. It will be a great opportunity to showcase our guild. Perhaps during the summer we can meet to collect items if you are unable to bring them to the library on set up days. I am open to suggestions on how to organize this!!! My email is ljendre@gmail.com, phone 541-778-1297 or text me with ideas!!! Thanks.

- Laurie Jendre

DIRECTORY UPDATE

Charlie Lermond

One Country Lane, Apt E209

Villas of Brookhaven

Brookville, Ohio 45309

STAN HYWET'S TEXTILE ART SHOW

We currently have available slots—both morning and afternoon—for our demo and display area at the Stan Hywet Textile Arts and Artisans event. The show runs concurrently with Ohio Mart October 6 through 9, 2022. It was lots of fun and very well attended last time!

The event will again be held in the Manor House Auditorium. Display tables and chairs will be provided. Last time, we were given passes that we distributed to each participant prior to the show. The passes cover both the show and Ohio Mart. We are expecting the same this year.

The show is open from 10:00 to 4:00 Thursday through Sunday. Our shifts will run 9:30-1:00 (morning) and 12:30 to 4:00 (afternoon). Three demonstrators per shift is ideal (2 works, 4 is too crowded). The shift overlap allows enough time to get settled and ready to demonstrate when your shift begins. Plan to visit Ohio Mart before or after your shift. It's great!

The demonstrator's parking is a little ways from the Manor House, so they will have a golf cart to help get equipment to the Auditorium. The Auditorium is down a flight of steps and there is a service elevator for those who need it.

We are NOT permitted to sell anything. This is demonstration and display only. So bring whatever equipment/supplies you plan to use, plus some hand spun yarn and/or finished projects for the display table during your shift. If you have a small loom, you can bring that to demonstrate as well. But please be aware, our area is not big enough for equipment that is much larger than a spinning wheel.

To sign up, or if you have any questions, please contact me at kjeanbabb@gmail.com or (216) 702-0233. I'll need your preferred date(s) and also a phone number where you can be reached to discuss optional dates/times in case your choice is not available.

I hope you will be able to participate!

Karen Babb

MEDINA - SHEEP TO SHAWL

August 5, 10 to 2, If you arrive before 9 am, you can drive up and drop off your equipment, then go park. At the Medina Fair, we will be demonstrating preparing washed wool for weaving a scarf or shawl by showing the different methods of carding, combing, drum carding, then spinning the fiber, Then winding on to the bobbins for weaving. This is to show the process to make a garment. We will have a speaker, to tell them about the shearing and washing and to explain what we are doing. So If you just want to come spin, knit, crochet, weave on your own that is okay too. You do need to get your name to Beth Hines or Nancy Page to get admitted to the fair grounds for free.

LORAIN- COUNTY SHEEP TO SHAWL

August 28, 10 to 3. The same demonstration is planned for the Lorain County Fair in Wellington. If you arrive before 9 am. you can drive up and drop off you equipment, then go park. It would be wonderful if members of the Medina Guild could assemble a group to also demonstrate there. Right now there are two groups, signed up. It would be great to have a third group. This is not a competition, it is a of showing different methods to get to the same goal. We hope to have finished the work on the Medina Fair Shawl to show at this demonstration. For entry to the Lorain County Fair

DEMONSTRATIONS

Hi everyone I will be sending emails to all of you who signed up to be at the demonstrations or activities in August. For the Medina County Fair if you did not sign up, I am afraid you will have to pay the admission fee. But it is worth it and I am sure they could use the funds.

There is still time to sign up for the Cuyahoga and Lorain Fairs. Please call Beth Hines or Nancy Page to join the fun at those two fairs, but you need to let us know by August 7 for Cuyahoga and August 21 for Lorain, to have your names on the admission lists.

- Nancy Page

2022 DEMONSTRATION SCHEDULE

MONTH	DATE	TIME	ORGANIZATION	WHERE		Contact
Aug.	5	9-3	Sheep to Shawl	Medina County Fair Ground	343-499 Fair Road, Medina, Ohio 44256	Nancy
	11	10-3	Cuyahoga Fair	Cuyahoga Fair Grounds	19201 E. Bagley Rd., Middleburg Heights, Ohio 44130	Nancy
	20	12-11	Streetsboro Bicentennial	Streetsboro City Park	8990 Kirby Lane, Streetsboro, Ohio	?
	21	11-9				
	27	10-4	Marshallville Historical Days	Marshallville	Marshallville Historical Cabin	Nancy
	28	11-3	Sheep to Shawl	Lorain County Fair Grounds	23000 Fairgrounds Road, Wellington, Ohio 44090	Barb
Sept.	17	8-2	Weymouth Historical Day	Weymouth Preservation Society	3314 Myers Rd., Medina, Ohio 44256	Nancy
	18		Case-Barlow Farm	Hudson	1931 Barlow Rd., Hudson, Ohio 44236	?
	23		OSU AG Day	Medina	343-499 Fair Road, Medina, Ohio 44256	Nancy
Oct.	2	10-5	Pumpkin Festival	Brunswick Historical Farm	4613 Laurel Road, Brunswick Ohio 44212	Nancy
	6 to 9	9:30-4:00	Needlework Guild	Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens	714 N. Portage Path, Akron, Ohio 44303	Karen Babb
	5	10-3	National Spinning & Weaving Week	Buehler's Market	3626 Medina Road, Medina, Ohio 44256	Nancy
	6	10-2	National Spinning & Weaving Week	Ben Franklin	13 W. College Street, Oberlin, Ohio 44074	Nancy
	15 & 16	10-5	Autumn Fiber Festival	Ashland County Fair Grounds	2042 Claremont Ave., Ashland, Ohio 44805	Nancy
Nov.	5	10:30 till 3	MSWG Spin In	Medina Highland Library	4160 Ridge Rd., Medina, Ohio 44256	Nancy

Medina Spinning and Weaving Guild Presents

Stranded Knitting Mini-Workshop

Medina Spinning and Weaving Guild is happy to host Kathy Disantis to teach us the basics of Fair Isle knitting as we make this cute multi-use pouch. Sign up now to join in the fun and learn.

Friday, November 11, 2022

10 am - 2 pm

Medina Presbyterian Church

5020 Burgundy Bay Blvd.

Medina, OH 44256

Cost \$25 (members only)

Lunch included

Class size 10



Workshop Overview:

Two handed Fair Isle knitting produces beautiful, multicolored items using only two colors at a time. It is a method in which each color is carried in each hand. This works very efficiently; you use your left hand to knit in the European style, and your right hand to knit in the North American style. You can master this in a short period of time and go on to make larger projects. This pouch can be used to hold a ball of yarn while you are knitting or hold your knitting implements. It also makes a great gift for a knitting friend. We will also learn how to read a chart and use charts effectively in our knitting. We will have two Christmas stocking patterns available for purchase for you to continue on your Fair Isle journey and some free patterns as well.

Materials: A materials list will be provided at a later date.

Questions: Contact Jean Crawford jeancrw8@aol.com; 440-670-1724

Stranded Knitting Mini-Workshop

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

EMAIL _____ TEL _____

Cost: \$25.00 Members Only

Checks to be made payable to Medina Spinning & Weaving Guild and mailed to:

Nancy Page, 2032 Wascana Ave., Lakewood, OH 44107

* Please include the name of the workshop on memo line of your check.

FIBER EVENTS

PENINSULA FIBER ART SHOW

August 14 - September 11, Peninsula, OH

The 19th annual Fiber Art Show is accepting works until August 11th. See details at peninsulaartacademy.org/news

MICHIGAN FIBER FESTIVAL

August 17-21, Allegan, MI

A variety of Workshops both full day and half day along with exhibitions and over 100 vendors. Held at the Allegan County Fairgrounds

www.michiganfiberfestival.info

A WOOL GATHERING

September 17 & 18, Yellow Springs, Ohio

Held at Young's Jersey Dairy. There will be shearing demonstrations, wool spinning, weaving and much more to see and learn. There are over 100 vendors from several surrounding states. Admission to this event is free! Hours are 10am to 6pm Saturday and 10am to 5pm on Sunday.

youngsdairy.com/wool-gathering/

RHINEBECK SHEEP FESTIVAL BUS TRIP

October 14-16, 2022

From \$650 per person based on double occupancy. Included: Comfortable charter bus from Cleveland area (east side & west side locations) to Rhinebeck NY for the New York Sheep Festival; gourmet box lunch (Fri.); sit down dinner (Fri. & Sat.); admission to the festival Sat. & Sun.; 2 nights hotel (double occupancy)

We will leave the west side at 8 a.m., making a stop on the east side to pick up additional people. We will return late in the evening on Sunday.

Registration will begin at the Wild & Wooly Fiber Expo on February 12, 2022 between 1 and 3 p.m. at the Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds. After Feb. 12 and until Sept. 1 (or full), you can

register by email. A \$100 deposit is due at the time of registration to confirm your spot. Balance is due by September 1st.

We will follow the Health Department's requirements about masks at the time of the trip.

Contact Stacy Allen stacallen@outlook.com

MAFA VIRTUAL

The MidAtlantic Fiber Association has added virtual workshops and lectures occurring monthly. Check out the schedule at mafafiber.org/virtual/

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

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/
2. Find Medina Spinning and Weaving Guild and click on it.
3. Order your stuff.

MEDINA SPINNING & WEAVING GUILD MEMBERSHIP 2022/2023

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 _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TEL _____

EMAIL _____

CHECK# _____ \$ _____

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

Nancy Page
2032 Wascana Ave
Lakewood, OH 44107

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