

CHIMNEYVILLE WEAVERS' GUILD

AUGUST NEWSLETTER 1981

ELECTION OUTCOMES:

DIRECTOR - Maryc Petrini ASSISTANT DIRECTOR - Wink Allen
SECRETARY - Sandi Kerwood Pace TREASURER - Merrie Osborn
LIASON TO CRAFTSMAN GUILD - Judy Rayner

The above forms your Executive Board. They are here to help and serve. Tell us what we can do to make our Guild better.

DIRECTIVES - are enclosed. We will discuss at the August meeting. If there are no changes (other than technical), we would like to vote on these at this time also. If you can't come to the meeting and would like to submit an amendment, please have in mail or called in by the August meeting.

LAST MEETING - We would like to thank Marcy and her husband Terry for being gracious hosts for our July party. Everyone had a good time, ate lots and we even got a little work done. If you missed it, we missed you too.

COVERGENCE - The yarn bill is due of about \$300 and we still don't have any money in the treasury. The total cost of the materials will be around \$500. We would like very much to keep the ownership of the piece and not have to sell it for the cost of materials. But to do so, we need your help. Ask everyone who might want to keep the ARTS for a donation, no matter how small. By keeping ownership, we can have a piece representative of the work of the Chimneyville Weavers Guild to travel in exhibits around the State, be on loan to the art museum, capital museum, etc. It would be great exposure for our Guild. If every member secured at least five (5) donations of only \$5.00 each, we could pay for our Convergence piece. Make a list of at least 5 people to call and do it today. The donations are tax deductible. Treasurer Merrie will mail a receipt to those who need one. Most will write a check and use it for a receipt. Make checks payable to: CHIMNEYVILLE WEAVERS' GUILD. Mail the donations you collect as soon as possible to
MERRIE OSBORN, 4006 Oakridge Drive, Jackson, Ms 39216

Also regarding Convergence - if you have not picked up your yarn, please give Marcy a call and make arrangements.

PEG McNAIR WORKSHOP - Design workshop all day August 18, 19, 20th. Theo Moorman technique workshop all day August 21, 22, & 23rd. We have ordered some supplies for the workshop, but are not mind readers. If you need supplies, it is imperative that you call March, Merrie or Sandi and let us know right away. The only source we have found selling the small yarns is very slow, has a 1# per color min. and a 10# per order minimum. We have placed one order for those we knew who needed it. - - so if you're taking the workshop,

#1 - Register with the Craftsman Guild immediately

#2 - Call Marcy Petrini w/987-5573 h/957-1423

 Merrie Osborn w/366-0990 h/362-3385

 or Sandi K. Pace w/957-1888 h/981-8352

and let us know if you will need any supplies. Even the design class recommends Coloraid which is not stocked and must be ordered in Jackson.

#3 - The August meeting will cover warping for the Theo Moorman technique workshop. You must be warped when the workshop starts August 21st. If you can't make the meeting and plan on taking workshop, call one of the 3 above to try & make other arrangements.

USE THESE TEMPORARY FLYERS TO RAISE MONEY FOR CONVERGENCE!

AUGUST MEETING - August 8, 1981 10:00 A.M. Brown Bag Lunch
Chimneyville School of Crafts & Design
Annex Building (the one with air conditioning)

We will have a short business meeting and proceed to warping for the Peg McNair Theo Moorman technique workshop. If you have a warping paddle (or more than one to share) please bring along with warping board. If you will be working on a small loom, you may want to bring it. It's possible, some may get far enough to begin threading their loom. Bring your material also. If you need a copy of the supply list for the workshop, please let us know.

We will have a guest at the meeting - HELEN VORANGAS, ARTS Editor for the Clarion Ledger. She is planning an article on the Guild regarding the Convergence piece. If anyone has a warp and/or barnacles complete, please bring to the meeting so she can have some idea of what we're doing.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

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With the election of Officers and hopefully the soon acceptance of a set of Directives, we are beginning to get organized.

The Newsletter is for everyone - to let you know what's coming up and to fill you in if you missed a meeting. We would like to add announcements, buy/sell classified section, etc. All of which can't be done without input from you the members. We are striving to have the Newsletter mailed 2 weeks prior to monthly meeting. That means a deadline for submissions a week prior to the mailing. If you have anything that you would like to have in the Newsletter, please mail to: Sandi Kerwood Pace, 5749 Old Canton Rd, Jackson, Ms 39211

See you at the August meeting and remember that there are 14 members who have not mailed in their 9½" self addressed stamped envelopes. Please get these in right away if you want to stay on the mailing list. Thanks!!!!!!!!!!!!

AGENDA

- 10:00 a.m. Meeting to order
- 10:05 Future programs and workshops Winki Allen
- 10:10 Publicity Judy Rainer
- 10:15 Yarn for Peg McNair's workshop: what has been ordered, etc. Sandi K. Pace
- 10:20 Yarn count for Convergence piece Marcy Petrini
- 10:25 Treasurer's report, including \$ raised for Convergence Merrie Osborn
- 10:30 HGA report did you vote the last HGA election? most didn't Marcy Petrini
- 10:35 Membership sheets please fill out ASA Marcy Petrini
- 10:40 DIRECTIVES; we will vote on the Directives and By-Laws separately. We will vote first on all non-controversial issues together; Make sure that you READ everything BEFORE THE MEETING and bring (or send) SPECIFIC admendements to those issues you disagree. Voting on admendements to controversial issues may have to be postponed.
- 11:10 Show and Tell: please bring everything you have woven that we haven't yet admired, including barnacles
- 11:30 Lunch at Chimneyville
- 12:00 Workshop starts at the Annex; even if you are not interested in Theo Mormon paddle warping is useful whenever more than one thread will be warped together.

I plan to follow this schedule as humanly as possible, for my sanity and yours. MFP