



CHIMNEYVILLE WEAVERS

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NOVEMBER 1984 NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR: November: Elections
November 17 meeting (NOTE NEW LOCATION BELOW)
Program: Design
SIGN UP FOR COLOR STUDY
December: New officers
Christmas luncheon

NOVEMBER MEETING SCHEDULE: 9:30 Board meeting
10:30 Membership meeting
11:00 Program

PLEASE NOTE: we will meet at the BRAIRWOOD PRESBYTARIAN CHURCH for all our future regular meetings (i.e., unless notified).
Directions: take the Briarwood exit from I-55 and drive east; the Church is located on the first block on the left hand-side of the road, before the Ridgewood intersection. The meetings will be held in the building behind the church building which is the one you see from the road; specific directions will be posted on the church ground. See you there November 17!

PROGRAM FOR THE NOVEMBER MEETING will be design, in preparation of our color study. Amy will conduct the miniworkshop. Please bring blank paper or a sketchbook, pencil and erase.

ABOUT THE COLOR STUDY: Carol Kurtz books are here; there are only 10, but we have received permission to copy them if necessary. A copy or original will be \$5, payable to the Guild; (there are no color illustrations). You have a chance on an original if you hurry; to reserve your copy send your money to Amy Evans 1704 Sheffield Dr. Jx 39211. Original will be on a first come, first serve basis. Each participant of the color study will need a book. WE WILL SIGN UP FOR THE COLOR STUDY IN NOVEMBER. This is to insure enough time to calculate the yarn needed, to put the order in and to receive the yarns in time for our January meeting. THIS IS HOW IT WILL WORK: each month each participant will do one or more designs, depending on the complexity of them; in some cases swatches will be swapped among the participants. The program of that month will then be to compare and contrast the results. Any member can observe the program, but in order to participate, yarns must be of the same color (and lot), thus it is important that we order all of the yarns together, now. IF YOU CANNOT ATTEND THE NOVEMBER MEETING AND WOULD LIKE TO PARTECIPATE IN THE COLOR STUDY, please make sure that you call Amy at 981-0162. A charge will probably have to be collected from participants because we estimate the cost of the yarn per person to be ~\$30 and the Guild won't be able to pay for that. IF YOU ARE NOT A MEMBER OF THE GUILD AND WOULD LIKE TO PARTECIPATE, YOU

CAN JOIN THE GUILD NOW (\$15); YOUR DUES WILL COUNT TOWARD 1985.

ELECTIONS. Enclosed you will find ballots. Please vote as soon as possible, by sending your ballot to Marcy Petrini 950 Fairfax Circle Jx 39211. Because several people who are not members receive our newsletter, ballots to members have been initialized in red ink. Please note that the office of Treasurer does not appear on the ballot because that office has been extended for one one year (see below), thus Vicky Walker will remain our Treasurer through 1985. Also note that nobody is running for Liason to the Craftsman Guild because no-one was interested in a meaningless job; we will vote in November whether to drop this office.

OCTOBER MEETING. We had a terrific time with our guests from the Coast, even if the visitators outnumbered our members! Thank you to Margaret Williard and Gerry Reiff for a wonderful luncheon. We are looking forward our Spring meeting on the Coast.

SLIDE SHOW. If you were not at the October meeting, you missed a show! Thank you to all who participated with their slides and thanks in particular to our Director Dianne Davidson and V. Director Amy Evans for something that we can really be proud of. The show is now available for renting, as discussed in your last newslatter. For more information, call Amy at 981-0162.

MISSISSIPPI STATE FAIR. Congratulations to our member Winki Allen for winning the Cotton Cloud Award. The HGA Award was won by Cassie Earhart-Dickson who recently returned to Mississippi and who, we hope, will join our Guild. Congratulations to both! Lots of blue and red ribbons were won by many people.

CHANGE IN THE BY-LAWS. The following change passed during the October meeting: that the term of office of the Trasurer be extended from one(1) to two(2) years. The following has been proposed to be voted in November: "that the office of Liason-to-the Craftsman Guild of Mississippi be dropped".

TREASURER REPORT. Vicky Walker reports a balance of \$198.32, after expanses for our slide show and deposits for dues and a commission from the Meridian Show. If you sold any pieces at the Meridian Show, please don't forget that you owe the Guild 5% commission. Please send it to Vicky Walker 624 Ellis Ave. E14. Jx 39209.

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBER: Karen Sansone 4215 23rd Ave. Meridian, Ms.; phone 483-2308.

THE WEAVING STUDIO AT CHIMNEYVILLE has recently opened; funds for the renovation came partly from "Mississippi Gulf Coast", which our Guild donated to the Craftsman Guild of Mississippi for the 1984 auction.

FOR SALE: 1) 25" Schatch Tapestry Loom with table stand. \$50. Contact Kate Patterson, 635 Houston Apt. H-13, Jackson 39209. 2) 22" Floor Loom; contact Sarah Johnson 373-6465.

BALLOTS FOR THE 1985 OFFICERS OF THE CHIMNEYVILLE WEAVERS GUILD

Please vote for one only or write in one name only for each office.

Mail ballot as soon as possible to: Marcy Petrini
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but to be received not later than November 15.

Director: Amy Evans

Vice Director Judy Foster

Gerry Reiff

Secretary Margaret Williard
