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AMNEYVILLE WEAVERS

JANUARY 1988 NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR:

JANUARY MEETING

Date: Saturday, January 16, 1988

Time: 9:30 Board meets

10:00 Guild meets

Place: Marcy Petrini's
95C Fairfax Circle
Jackson, MS

Call Marsha Harris for directions (825-9741)

Program: Loom Maintenance by Terry Dwyer

February 20: February meeting-- Drafting Study (Part I) at
Municipal Art Gallery

September: "Mississippi Weaves" -- Guild sponsored show

DECEMBER MEETING:

"Loom Crawl '87" took the place of our regular meeting and program on December 12th. We started out at Marcy's for appetizers and our gift exchange (wasn't it fun?!) and continued on to Susan Dignam's for the soup and bread course and then to Deborah Levine's for dessert. As usual we all ate more than we needed to and had a good time peeking at our hostesses' current projects.

Dues are being collected for 1988; please pay them quickly so we can get the directory out. Also, the information sheet will help us in planning committees and programs. Remember that dues are \$15, or \$5 just to receive the newsletter.

FROM THE DIRECTOR..(is that really me?)

I'd be much more comfortable with something like "Sandi says..." at the top, but tradition is tradition, and I do seem to be our Director this year so here we go!

Tina has some innovative programs planned for the year; Amy is thinking "The Show"; we have found some new friends and members recently,

and it looks like we're ready to get 1988 off to a running start. We'll need to be getting both our standing committees and our show committees functioning right away, so if you haven't mailed your info sheet to Gerry or Marsha already be prepared to state your talents and preferences at the meeting Jan. 16. It's going to take all of us to make "Mississippi Weaves II" the success we want it to be. Don't be too shy to let us know what you're good at-- display, writing, organizing, etc.. (There are still Christmas gifts on my loom so that should tell you something about my own limitations!)

We'll take it all one day at a time, but the sooner we get going the easier it will be to have a wonderful show. See you the 16th--

Sandi

SPINNING CLASS -- Tina Bradford's spinning class will meet after the Jan. 16 meeting until about 5:00, and then again the following Saturday at Hazel's from 9 to about 4.

Please bring the following:

spinning wheel
carder, dog comb, or hair pick comb
fleece, or other fiber

} (Tina says these are in the "if you have them" category)

notebook and pencil
ball of yarn (expendable)-any kind

The fee is \$30.

Also, Tina said some of the participants volunteered to furnish lunch fixings, so bring those as well.

I don't know anything about the wheels some of us ordered, but Tina says we won't really need that many for the class.

Georgia Weir would like to buy or rent for 2 months a small, 4-harness (preferably floor) loom. She needs it for demonstration purposes during her stay in Kosciusko as Artist-in-Residence. Her address before Jan, 15: Georgia Weir, Fiber Company, 600 Trade St., Winston-Salem, NC 27101 (919-725-5277) and after Jan. 15: Old Trace Gallery Ltd., PO Box 307, Kosciusko 39090 (289-9170). Please contact her if you are able to help her out.

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