

## CHIMNEYVILLE WEAVERS' GUILD

### **MAY 1993 NEWSLETTER**

#### APRIL MEETING MINUTES

Nominations for next years' board were read. Nancy Landrum, Director; Marva Goodman, Vice Director; Heather Gillis, Secretary, Eileen Wagar, Treasure; and Beth Arrington for Historian were nominated and accepted by acclamation. They will take office during the May meeting.

#### SHEEP-TO-SHAWL

Our annual Sheep-to-Shawl will take place at the Crafts Center on The Natchez Trace. Barney Tanner will begin the shearing at 9:00 a.m. We need more members to help with the preparation of the fleece and spinning. Bring your carders and wheels. The Jackson Zoo has expressed interest in hosting a future Sheep-to-Shawl as well as another Fun Spin. This will be discussed in the fall.

#### FIBER RETREAT

Several guild members participated in The Spring Fiber Retreat hosted by the Dyed-in-the-Wool Weavers and Spinners. There is another retreat planned for October 8, 1993 and we voted to offer to host that retreat. Barbara Mitchell will write with the offer.

During the Spring Retreat, Julia Kubat taught Hazel Howell to felt and other members expressed a desire to learn. Those interest should let Mary know for a head count to determine the feasibility of a workshop in the fall.

#### ROC DAY

Roc Day '94 is being hosted by the Dyed-in-the-Wool Weavers and Spinners Guild. We voted to provide door prizes with each guild member supplying one, hand made or weaving related item. This is to be optional.

#### COE JUDGING EVENT

It was moved during the meeting that we submit for guild consideration the hosting of the COE Judging in the fall of 1996. This is a two-to-four day event. We would be responsible for housing out-of-town people and providing space for judging. We would need a photographer, a registrar in place by 1994 to stay in touch with applicants until judging and other volunteers for food, etc.

**FUN FACTS**

The HGA Office is moving and discarding back issues of SS&D and Mary has submitted our guild to get some for the library.

Jane Dollar's "Dental Floss" sweater was featured in the current SS&D.

Judy Foster reported a new herb farm in Terry as a source for dye plants.

National Spinning and Weaving week is October 4-10, 1993.

**SEE YOUR AT THE**

**SHEEP-TO-SHAWL!**



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