



the CHIMNEYVILLE *Weavers & Spinners Guild*

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Notes from Sandra

One more month and we will be in our new home. Saturday, I will be in Jackson and plan on going by the Crafts Center to just take a look at the possible places we will be meeting. Have encouraged all of you to visit when possible. Building is beautiful and I personally think we are going to feel like we have come home.

Now on to weaving and spinning. So much to look forward to. We have a report from Nancy on the summer meeting at her home in Meridian. Then we have our August meeting set for the 19th at the Farm House on the Ag grounds at 9:00 to put up curtains, etc. A house cleaning day for sure. Bring your brooms, work clothes, gloves, buckets, dust rags, etc. Of course a lunch and plenty of water.

On September 22nd we will have our first meeting at the Crafts Center and have a big discussion of ROC Day. More later about other things happening that day.

Make sure all have sent in their dues for the year 2007-2008 so you will be in the membership book. The correct updated information is so important, didn't know how much until I have tried to get in touch with certain people and my email keeps bouncing back.

How about your stories for Debbie? Know there are some good ones out there just waiting to be put on paper.

So far no volunteers for Harvest Festival so don't be surprised at what is announced in the September news letter.

Looking forward to a big crowd on September 22nd.

✧ All Guild Meetings ✧

Guild Meetings are held on the third Saturday of every month (September through May) at 10:00 at the Mississippi Craft Center. CWSG Board Meeting will start at 9:00 during the regular guild schedule unless otherwise notified by President. Bring a snack lunch, drink, and other refreshments you might like during the day, and plan to spend the afternoon as well so that you may complete projects started in the morning program.

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Things to Remember!

The August meeting at the Farm House on the 18th starting for everyone at 9 due to the hot weather. Bring cleaning supplies and we will work on curtains and cleaning up. Some of the members will be moving the library and closet to the crafts center. This will be a busy day.

Our September meeting will be on Saturday, September 22nd, as there has been a great deal of interest in the Gourd Festival at Collinsville on Saturday, September 15th. The Board will meet as usual at 9 and the regular meeting will be at 10, all at the new Crafts Center and there will be signs telling us where to go.

IMPORTANT: Those members interest in Linda Weghorst Tapestry workshop the week-

end of October 27th need to come prepared to signup at the September meeting.

Door prizes and items for the goodie bags for ROC Day, as well as your stories for the booklet are due at the September meeting!

NANCY'S REPORT ON THE JULY MEETING

We had a small attendance, about seven people. A very good group but we missed everyone else. Since nobody really wanted to sit around and hem curtains by hand, Kathy Cohron volunteered to take the fabric home with her and hem the curtains up on her machine. Thank you, Kathy. We discussed several things of importance. ROC Day was reported on, but Marcy has since made several reports that cover

anything we might have discussed. Food was great as always. We all ate more than we intended. Some of the ladies took home plants from my new greenhouse which also serves as extra dining space. Of course, we will still be meeting in August at the farmhouse at the AG Museum to clean, hang curtains and evaluate the furnishings.

One thing I wanted to mention. I spoke to the people at a locally owned pharmacy here about goodies for our ROC Day bags and she said she needs an official letter about the event, etc. for her tax purposes. She would be able to donate something pretty good, like pens or note pads (which at our July meeting everybody agreed they really like getting in their goodie bags). Sandra said she thought Beverly should write the letter since she is in charge of goodie bags.

