

FROM THE PRESIDENT



Hello, weavers and spinners!

Can you believe that November is already here? Fall colors are so abundant and inspiring around

the lake that it's difficult to stay inside—even to weave!

I want to thank the Craftsmen's Guild of Mississippi for a wonderful Fiber Festival at the Center! And we all know they couldn't have accomplished such a great festival without Marcy Petrini and the great Fiber Festival Committee—Debbie Stringer, Carolyn Campbell, Gio Chinchar, Jane Klinck, Beverly Milner, Donna Peyton and Darlene Steele. It was informative, fun and replenishing... not only for our fiber spirits but also to our stash of books, tools, and supplies. Thanks so much!

We will have a board meeting at 9 a.m. at the Crafts Center on Sat., Nov. 19, followed by our regular guild meeting at 10 a.m. Nancy Landrum and I will provide a program on eco dyeing.

Who is willing to chair the Hospitality Committee and arrange for someone to bring light refreshments for the meeting?

Also, don't forget to plan for Show and Tell and White Elephant!

See you all on Nov. 19,

Fiber Festival Folks

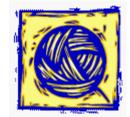


CWSG members and Festival vendors, from left, Patricia Holmberg and Brenda and Mike Harrower, talked shop over lunch.



CWSG members, Jenni Howard, right, and Debbie Stringer, left, visited while Jenni tended her booth at the Fiber Festival.

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2011-2012 Program Schedule

Nov. 19 *Eco Dyeing* Nancy Landrum/Winki Allen

> Dec. 10 Christmas Get-Together P is for Primitive, Canton

Jan. 21 Cotton Spinning and Weaving Marcy Petrini

> Feb. 18 Saori Weaving Debbie Stringer

Mar. 3 Sheep to Shawl

Apr. 21 Weaving a Gathering Basket Marva Goodman/Winki Allen/Nancy Landrum

May 19 Show and Tell - A Year of Creativity Guild Members



Hoppy November Birthday! Jane Dollar - November 29

Coming Soon

Fiber Friends/Art in the City Sat., Nov. 12, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. City Pavilion Plaquemine, LA Sponsored by the City of Plaquemine Mainstreet Program Free event, fiber vendors, no fee for vendors. For more information, contact Dr. Charlene Bishop 225-776-4119 or 225-687-8392 bellefleurcmb@cox.net

> Fiber Folks at the Center Sun., Nov. 20, 2 - 5 p.m. Mississippi Craft Center Finish a project or just visit. Enjoy a discount coupon for the day

for shopping at the Gallery.

<u>Roc Day 2012</u>

Sat., Jan. 7, 2012, 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Dry Creek Baptist Church Beauregard Parish, LA \$25 fee for registration, beverages, lunch and dessert. Deadline, Dec. 1 For more information, contact Beth Syron at csyron@hotmail.com or 337-540-0874 or Rhonda Selser at tselser@camtel.net or 337-328-8461.

FYI

Get well wishes to Judy Rayner who is now in a private room and feeling better after an extended stay in the hospital. Judy thanks everyone for their prayers.

October Financial Report

Deposits Debits: Debbie Stringer HGA Ending Balance

\$120.00 \$19.64 (for DVD door prize) \$50.00 (yearly membership) \$ 3,805.18

Fiber Festival Folks



Fiber Festival attendee Betty Penick of McComb started a new knitting project, perhaps with newly purchased yarn.

Always leave enough time in your life to do something that makes you happy, satisfied, even joyous.

Paul Hawken



CWSG member Beverly Milner, right, shared information with a fellow Fiber Festival participant.

Ready to share your artist trading card and fiber challenge visioning board at the November meeting?

GUILD MEETINGS

Unless otherwise noted, CWSG meetings are held on the third Saturday of every month from September through May at 10 a.m. at the Mississippi Crafts Center Library. Bring a sack lunch and other refreshments, and spend the afternoon!

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