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November Program Change: Enjoy Meeting and a Movie

Nature, music, colors, and textures have influenced the work of Swiss-born tapestry weaver, Silvia Heyden, featured in the award-winning film, *A Weaverly Path*.

CWSG members will view the hour-long documentary for its November program on Sat., Nov. 17, at 10 a.m. The film follows Heyden during a year of weaving and creative reflection influenced by the Eno River in North Carolina. Find out more at www.aweaverlypath.com.

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∞ FROM THE PRESIDENT ∞

Dear friends—

It was so good to see those of you able to attend the guild meeting in October. I think we had one empty chair—not to mention Nancy was downstairs demonstrating and I was standing! We had a successful white elephant sale in addition to donated items either for the Guild or the classes at the craft center. We will have another white elephant sale in November, skip December and then start the new year with one in January.

If you haven't already heard, several of our members have been recognized in the newly published *Craftsmen's Guild of MS's 40 at 40*. Don't miss out... purchase your copy and read the book's highlights about Marcy Petrini, Sharon Williams, and Marva Goodman and her

husband, Max. It is a great book that recognizes the accomplishments of many of Mississippi's finest craftsmen and women.

Hope to see all of you at our next meeting—Sat., Nov. 17, at 10 a.m. at the Electric Power Associations building. We'll enjoy a viewing of *A Weaverly Path*.

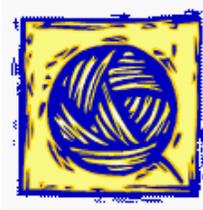


I give thanks for each and every one of you!

Blessings—

Winki

Winki painted this scarf at the October meeting.



2012-2013 Program Schedule

Nov. 17

*Meeting and a Movie:
A Weaverly Path*

Dec. 8

Christmas Get-Together
P is for Primitive, Canton

Jan. 19

Drop Spindle
Donna Peyton

Feb. 16

Crackle Weave
Marcy Petrini

Mar. 16

Sheep to Shawl

Apr. 20

Basket Weaving
Marva Goodman

May 18

Triangle Loom Weaving
Sharon Williams



*Happy November
Birthday!*

Jane Dollar - November 29

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To take advantage of projection equipment and a big screen, the meeting has been moved to Debbie Stringer's office at the Electric Power Associations of Mississippi at 665 Highland Colony Parkway in Ridgeland, just south of the Renaissance shopping center. Coffee will be provided, along with access to a full kitchen. Feel free to bring a project to work on while you watch.

Directions: Electric Power Associations of Mississippi, 665 Highland Colony Parkway, Ridgeland

• Coming from the north on I-55 in Ridgeland: Take Exit 105B, turning right onto Old Agency Road to the roundabout. Move into left-most lane to make a left turn onto Highland Colony Parkway. Continue southward for 0.4 mile. One-story brick office building is on the right, just after big curve to the right. Pull into rear parking lot (second driveway).

• Coming from the south on I-55 at Ridgeland: Take Exit 105C and continue on Old Agency Road to the roundabout. Move into left-most lane to make a left turn onto Highland Colony Parkway. Continue southward for 0.4 mile. One-story brick office building is on the right, just after big curve to the right. Pull into rear parking lot.

If you can't find it, call Debbie at 601-906-8082. Please note that Donna's drop spindle program has been moved to January 2013.

CWSG Library



Don't forget all the wonderful books, magazines and DVDs available to you through the Guild library. For more information, contact Donna

Peyton at peytondonna@gmail.com.

November Financial Report

Carolyn Campbell, Treasurer

Previous balance	\$4,260.52
Credits	60.00
Interest paid	.08
Ending balance	\$4,320.60

CWSG Board Minutes, October 20, 2012

Present: Winki Allen Debbie Stringer
 Donna Peyton Alma Ellis

The board meeting was convened 9:40 a.m. by Winki Allen, president. Winki said she had a short, specific agenda to address.

First, Winki discussed the CWSG white elephant activity. Last year, it was determined that white elephant was more successful if it was held every other month. Winki asked that a white elephant sale be held in October and November. Because of the holiday meeting, white elephant will not be held in December, but the Guild can hold the sale again in January and aim for every other month in 2013.

Winki suggested four committees for the upcoming program year: Refreshments, Sheep to Shawl, Workshop and Education. She said the Guild has always had a MS Craftsmen's Guild liaison, a position most recently held by Sharon Williams. Winki will ask Sharon if she will accept this role another year.

Winki said Nancy Landrum had suggested the Guild purchase a coffee pot to keep in the library for use at monthly meetings. She will mention this to members at today's meeting.

Alma said she had gotten prices for renting a minivan or a 15-passenger van for a possible January field trip to Oxford. Winki asked if she would present these at the upcoming meeting.

The board meeting adjourned at 9:55 a.m.



A DAB OF THIS AND A DAB OF THAT—Winki Allen demonstrated her colorful rust dyeing techniques at the October meeting. She uses natural dyes from berries, leaves and spices along with silk painting to create one-of-a-kind wearables.

White Elephant in November

Support your Guild. Find a new home for your favorite white elephant 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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