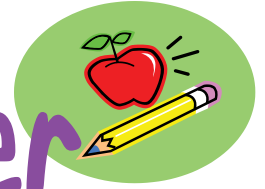


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It's Time . . . to Pay Dues!

Just a reminder, CWSG dues are "due" on or before the first meeting of the new program year. The date of the first 2013-2014 program will be Sat., Sept. 21.

CWSG membership is a terrific bargain at \$20: excellent monthly programs, the great company of creative fiber-minded folks, skilled mentors willing to share their expert knowledge, great food, and occasional access to some great yarn stashes!

See the membership form on page 3. By completing a form, you help us keep your info current.



From the President

Hello Fellow Weavers and Spinners,

I enjoyed our summer get-together so much! Thank you again, Nancy, for hosting another year. We had great food and fellowship, and made a new spinner out of Nancy's daughter-in-law!

I am looking forward to our September meeting. We have lots of new programs planned! Roc Day is still rolling along. More about the Patsy Z workshop will be shared then, too.

I finished the Tour de Fleece with a total of 1,148 yards. I think that's a personal best for the TdF. Now, I'm starting a KAL (knit-a-long) with the Yarniacs podcast based on the Pantone colors for

this fall. In addition to my fiber fun, I've started a new job teaching Latin at Ridgeland High School. Hopefully all will fall into a new schedule for me soon.

Your president,
Donna



Knit-a-long kit



Tour de Fleece yarn



Happy August Birthday!

Alma Ellis - August 6
 Debbie Stringer - August 6
 Winki Allen - August 10
 Donna Peyton - August 10
 Jane Klinck - August 17
 Sandra Mayo - August 22
 Sharon Williams - August 29

August Financial Report

Carolyn Campbell, Treasurer

Previous balance	\$4,282.31
Interest paid	_____ .04
Ending balance	\$4,282.35

My Project - Alma Ellis



Alma's been dreaming of pinwheels since first setting eyes on this pattern. Pinwheels, in fact, precipitated the change to an eight-harness loom. And here they are—pinwheels. Her first eight-harness project is a set of cotton flake pinwheel towels.

Marcy's August Exhibit

Marcy Petrini is one of four craftsmen—fiber and glass—whose work is being featured in a show at the Mississippi Craft Center in August. The opening is Tues., Aug. 6, from 5 to 8 p.m.

Debbie Stringer's Travels

I have just returned from a business trip to Boulder, Colo., where I seized every opportunity to sneak away to find yarn/fabric shops. One yarn shop was easy—right next to my hotel! I also visited the Rocky Mountain Quilt Museum in Golden, where I saw a wonderful show of New York-themed works by Manhattan art quilters. One night I was working on a crocheted scarf I had started at home when I noticed how loose my Colorado stitches were compared to my Mississippi stitches. And no, it wasn't due to medical marijuana!

For Sale

A 60" Leclerc 4-harness counterbalance loom that can hold up to 12-harnesses. It has fly-shuttle capabilities, reeds and shuttles. There is a 4-foot removable table on the back of the loom for painted warps. Also, a 45" Leclerc 4-harness counterbalance loom. Both looms are in good condition with stainless heddles and reeds. Photos available. Call or email Kim Whitt for additional information and prices: KWhitt@arts.ms.gov. Her cell number is 601-310-4168 and home number is 601-584-8035.

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CWSG Board Meeting, July 20, 2013

Present: Donna Peyton Winki Allen
Margaret Richardson Alma Ellis

President Donna Peyton called the meeting to order at 12:01 p.m. The board met in Nancy Landrum's studio at her home in Meridian during the summer get-together. Marva Goodman joined the board as a member of the Workshop Committee.

Donna said the Roc Day Committee has held their first meeting and planning is going well. The committee will share information about costs at the guild's first meeting of the new program year on September 21.

Next, the board discussed the Patsy Z spinning workshop. Alma had shared an email from Patsy Zawistoski with the board on July 9. Patsy asks for a deposit to secure the dates. Donna said Alma should get with Carolyn to send a deposit check to Patsy. The board discussed holding the workshop at the Craft Center or in the conference room at Debbie Stringer's office at the Mississippi Electric Power Association. Margaret made a motion to pay the deposit to set the date for the spinning workshop with Patsy Zawistoski. Winki seconded the motion. The board approved. Alma agreed to email Patsy and check with Debbie about the possibility of holding the workshop at EPA.

Donna began the discussion on potential programs for the 2013-2014 program year. Programs and speakers were tentatively planned as follows:

- Sept. – ideas for exhibit projects – Sharon Williams
- Oct. – weave/spin-in
- Nov. – dyeing
- Dec. – Loom Crawl
- Jan. – Roc Day
- Feb. – card weaving – Nancy Landrum
- Mar. – inkle weaving – Patricia Holmberg
- Apr. – Sheep to Shawl
- May – basket weaving – Marva Goodman

Winki reminded everyone that recipes are still needed for the Roc Day cookbook and there is still time to send recipes to Debbie. She said some of Hazel Howell's recipes had been found in an older guild cookbook. Alma agreed to remind members by email.

Donna adjourned the meeting at 12:23 p.m.

My Project - Nichol Treuil



At the get-together at Nancy's, Nichol was busy crocheting these colorful cotton bath puffs to be paired with a friend's handmade soap for family reunion gifts. Everyone was intrigued with the pattern, which she graciously shared. She also shared some bars of the wonderful handmade soap. Many thanks, Nichol!



CWSG 2014 Fiber Show

Plan to participate! Sharon Williams has announced that the Guild's 2014 fiber show is set for January at the Mississippi Crafts Center. In

February, the show will move to the Northwest Mississippi Community College campus in Senatobia. Winki Allen has gotten approval for for the show to move in March to the upstairs gallery of the Meridian Museum of Art. Learn more about this exhibition at the September meeting.

Recipes Needed

There's still time to submit your favorite recipe for the cookbook being prepared for Roc Day. Please email your recipes right away to Debbie Stringer at news@epaofms.com.

CWSG on Facebook and Ravelry

Remember to check out CWSG on Facebook and Ravelry. For Facebook info, email Debbie at news@epaofms.com; for Raverly info, email Donna at peytondonna@gmail.com.



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GUILD MEETINGS

Unless otherwise noted, CWSG meetings are held on the third Saturday of every month from Sept, through May at 10 a.m. in the Mississippi Craft Center Library. Find us on Facebook and Ravelry.

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