



WEAVERS GUILD *of Greater Kansas City*

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NOVEMBER 2009 GUILD NEWS

From the President

"Don't forget about items for both the holiday gift exchange and our donation to Restart. The gift exchange is anything to do with a rectangle. For Restart, scarves, hats, gloves, winter wear, and clothes can be brought to either the November or December meeting. Restart's mission statement: reStart Inc., an interfaith ministry with homeless persons, is committed to providing shelter and supportive services to homeless men, women, youth and families with the goal of helping persons move toward independence and self-sufficiency. "

Christy L. Berry

November 12th Meeting **Waldo Library 201 East 75th St, KC** **MO**

- 10:00 AM – Regular Meeting
- 10:30 AM – Show & Tell / Treats
- 11:30 AM – Program

November Calendar

*November 11th, 7 PM - **Fiber Guild Meeting***

(Shawnee Indian Mission; Fairway KS)

*November 12th, 10 AM - **Weavers Guild Meeting***

(Waldo Library, 201 East 75th St, KC MO)

Program News

November will bring us Sandy Cahill, who very kindly has agreed to give us a program on Sewing with Handwovens despite her very demanding schedule. She knows that many of us want to create special holiday gifts soon, so the timing is excellent. December is our long awaited potluck Christmas party, hosted by Leesa DUBY. Please bring a wrapped gift, the theme: anything in a rectangular shape. Long, short, soft, hard, flat, you choose.

November Treats

Leesa DUBY will provide treats.

OTHER NEWS

Election of New Officers

The Nominating Committee presents the following three members in good standing for elective office: 1st V.P.- Vonda Sager, Treasurer-Carolynn Budd, and Secretary-Carol Piepmeier.

Additional names may be nominated from the floor at the November meeting if such persons nominated meet the constitution's requirements for elective office in the guild.

Membership Info

It's that time again! Time to renew your guild membership before January. Look for Guild membership renewal forms in the Nov & Dec newsletters. Important: if you have any corrections or changes to your information, that information must be written on a membership form. *If the information is not turned in on a membership form, it will not be updated!* Also, if you happen to own livestock that you sell fiber from, you may list your business information to be put in the directory. Instructions are included about who (in which guild) gets your completed form and check.

Creative Hand

This group show and sale for members of the Weaver's Guild and Fiber Guild of Kansas City will be Fri. Nov. 20 and Sat. Nov. 21. We will be in a new location this year; the Santa Fe Ballroom at the Ramada Inn on Shawnee Mission Parkway, west of Metcalf. We will have more space this year. QUESTIONS: contact Sandy Cahill cahill5505@sbcglobal.net 816-505-5507.

Other Guild Sales

Weavers' Guild of St. Louis 27th Annual Sale, featuring a wonderful variety of fiberarts! November 6th and 7th
Friday 10am-8pm, Saturday 10am-5pm
At the Brentwood Community Center
2505 South Brentwood Blvd.

FREE Admission. Excellent parking available. Daily demonstrations of weaving, spinning and fiber art.
For more info. call: (636) 343-5643
or visit our website:

<http://www.weaversguildstl.org/GuildSale/2009/sale2009.htm>

The Weavers' Guild Sale is held only once a year and is a real treat for anyone looking for elegant handwoven clothing and accessories, exquisite hand-dyed silk scarves and garments, unique handmade jewelry as well as distinctive interior furnishings like woven rugs, placemats, baskets and wall pieces for the home!

Jane Olson Glidden, Event Chairman
636-343-5643

The Columbia Weavers and Spinners' Guild will hold its Twentieth Annual Holiday Exhibition and Sale on November 13, 14, and 15, 2009, at the Boone County Historical Society Museum. Located in Columbia, Missouri, the museum sits on the edge of Nifong Park near Highway 63 and Nifong Boulevard. Show hours will be 6-9 pm on Friday, 9-4 on Saturday and 11-4 on Sunday. Demonstrations will be held Saturday and Sunday. Admission is free.
Pieces offered will include hand-woven and hand-dyed scarves, luxurious shawls, one-of-a-kind jackets, vests and

sweaters, unique casual and formal table linens, cozy baby blankets, distinctive baskets, and fabulous stuffed animals. Other items include luscious handspun yarns, Christmas ornaments, an exceptional selection of fiber-art wall pieces and rugs, a variety of hand-felted hats, and incredible woven beadwork.

For further information contact:

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Area Shows

You are invited to attend the Friday opening party at Artichokes Art Gallery, November 13, from 6-8 pm. Judy Santner will be a guest artist from Nov. 13-Feb.12. Artichokes is located in the Mission Farms Development at 105th & Mission Road (10557 Mission). Sample of artists' work will be featured on the Artichokes website:

www.artichokeskc.com

Christy L. Berry--Gallery Show
Suspended Narrative: stories in silk and oil. Oil paintings by Steph Toth Kates and silk paintings by Christy L. Berry at Beggars Table Gallery in the Crossroads, 2009 Baltimore.
Opening reception, November 6, 6-9 pm
Show runs Nov. 6-Dec. 18, 009

Guild Dye Party 2

Loose Park Rose Room, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm, Fri. January 22, 2010.

Bad weather date: January 29.

\$10.00 per person - Limit 20

participants. Sign-up forms will be available at November meeting.

Mentoring Help

I'm looking for someone to do reweaving. I have a treasured knit skirt with a small hole that I think could be easily re-woven – it's a sweater-knit – solid black. Any references would be most appreciated! Debra Corr, 913.449.7744

debra.corr@corrmethods.com

I have recently purchased a spinning wheel at an estate auction and I am looking for someone who can help me look it over and educate me on any maintenance it may need. It does not have a name on it so I do not know who it is made by. Does anyone in your group work on spinning wheels. Thank you for any help you can provide. Sandra Cole, work email sandracole@citizensfsb.com, home email redsandra64@yahoo.com.

CLASSIFIED ADS

**Ads policy- Ads will run for 3 months then will be removed as space is needed. Ads may be re-submitted. If the item is sold, it's the responsibility of the SELLER to inform the Editor for removal. All ads will be placed on the Guild web site. The seller's e-mail and phone numbers will be listed online. More ads are listed on website.*

Kessenich 8 harness, 10 treadles, 46" weaving width, heavy red oak floor loom with hand rubbed finish. Has matching bench with storage, several extra reeds and detachable shelves for the sides of loom. Has a plain and sectional beam for warp. Folds for storage and easier moving through doorways. This is a quality loom. Will include a spool rack and few rug shuttles. Call 660-647-2410 for details. Asking \$1350.00.

Would also like to list the following small loom for sale. I have a handy little 4 harness, 6 treadle floor loom. Called a Parlor loom, made in Vancouver, Canada. Folds for easy transport to workshops and such. Has a 20" weaving width. It is a counter-march loom, \$295.00. Contact Wanda @ 660-647-2410 for details, wtseward@iland.net. (11/09)

Bargains

Polyester Sewing Thread, 50S/3, 600 meters (660 yards) per cone .89 cents per spool from this website:

<http://www.threadart.com/shop/>

SUBMISSIONS

Articles and Announcements for the Newsletter are due the **20th of the month.**

Send them to the Newsletter Editor:
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