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SUMMER 2015 NEWS

Our first meeting of the 2015-16 year will be on Monday, September 21. We hope to have show and tell from YOUR summer weaving.

COMING EVENTS

Indonesian Textiles at the Freeport Art Museum

These pieces (below) are part of our 40th Anniversary Exhibition which is on right now. It runs through the end of October.

Many of the pieces are part of a gift from the E.M. Bakwin Collection that was divided between our museum and the Art Institute of Chicago.

121 N Harlem Ave,
Freeport, IL 61032

<http://www.freeportartmuseum.com/#/id/i9544460>



National Alpaca Farm Days

Lodi Alpacas at Whistling Valley Farm

N1792 Ryan Road, Lodi, WI 608-576-8607 Jan Clingman

Saturday, September 26, 2015 10:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

SUBJECT: DYE WORKSHOP INTEREST

I would like to spread the word about a possible workshop to be held Oct 3 in the Madison area if a venue (large home or studio) can be found. The workshop is 4 hours, dyeing fibers with mushrooms and lichen. I am not the instructor, but just trying to see if there would be any interest.

Kipp Inglis
608-635-6293 home

CONVERGENCE 2016 The conference will be in Milwaukee, WI in 2016. This is an international Fiber conference with vendors, exhibits, classes, call for entries, workshops, etc. Please see the Handweavers Guild of America (HGA) website for more information. www.weavespindye.org. Perhaps we can get a few members who have gone to a convergence to tell us about it at a meeting. July 30-August 6.

NEWSLETTER

Please get anything you want in the September newsletter to me by September 10, or let me know you have something to put in the newsletter.

Area Weaving Stores:

Fiberwood Studio. 2709 N 92nd, Milwaukee. 414-302-1849

Sievers. Birch Court, Washington Island. 920-847-2264

Apple Hollow Fiber Arts, Sturgeon Bay. 888-324-8302

Mielke's Farm. 2550 Co. Rd 11, Rudolph. 715-344-4104

Bahr Creek Llamas and Fiber Shop. N 1021 Sauk Trail Rd, Cedar Grove. 920-668-6417

Studio S. Hwy A and 89, south of Whitewater. 608-883-2123

Susan's Fiber Shop. N250 Hwy A, Columbus. 888-603-4237

Classifieds

We will always welcome submissions of articles, reviews of books, shows or exhibits, letters to the editor, classifieds, samples, artwork, etc. to include in future newsletters. If you would like to contribute, please send to Emily Nie, 2500 Bootmaker Dr., Beloit, WI 53511; 608-362-8062; ricordanza@charter.net. Note the deadline for submissions and ads is **the first of the month**.

Looking for a loom? If you are looking for a loom and found a used one, some of the mentors can help you. In addition to weaving problems, checking out a good used loom could be a difficult thing for a new weaver.

SPINNING EQUIPMENT AND TOOLS AVAILABLE SOON.

A spinning friend recently passed away and I have purchased quite a bit of her spinning equipment. I will have an inventory of what is available and prices soon. There were only a few weaving and spinning books as she downsized several years ago, which is how I acquired her Jensen wheel and some other equipment. No looms, just spinning items. --Emily.