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**MADISON WEAVERS GUILD**

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Monday, January 16, 2023

MEETING 7:00 p.m. at Oakwood Village

Nakoma Room and on Zoom

Connie Lippart "Tapestry Wedge Weaving"



**Directions to Oakwood Village meeting space:**

Oakwood Village is located on Mineral Point Rd. in Madison. Turn south on Island and take the drive to the left. Go past the Resale Shop and park in the visitor parking. The Nakoma Room (next to the Westmoreland Room) can be found by entering the Heritage Oaks Building and After parking, walk to the Main Entrance (see red line on map below). After entering, go immediately to the right past the front desk to the Nakoma room. Tell Jane at the desk you are here for the Weavers Guild meeting. She will take your temperature, but you will not have to sign in at the kiosk. There is limited parking in front of the Heritage Oaks building.

**Masks may be required to be worn when indoors. Covid release forms will be required.**

**This Meeting will be IN PERSON AND ON ZOOM!**

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**PROGRAMS FOR THE 22-23 SEASON**

January: Connie Lippart "Tapestry Wedge Weaving"

February – Date Change: Sunday the 5<sup>th</sup> Zoom with Katherin Weber "Designing at the Loom with Multiple Warp Chains"

March: Mary Burns "Women and Water, A Global Exhibit"

April: Lily Hope "Ravenstail/Chilkat Weaving"

May: Book Review, Friendship Bag

Fine art and Craft Sale at Olbrich Gardens: February 11 and 12, 2023 Sponsored by the Madison Weavers Guild.

<https://www.fineartandcraftsale.com>

Interesting Reading:

Pantone's Color of the Year: Magenta

<https://kiddandco.com/2023/01/06/magenta-matters/>

Winter Events and Calls For Art at Overture Gallery

<https://e.wordfly.com/view?sid=OTk5XzExMjE0XzMwMTg0N183MDUy&l=c0bc67ba-f58d-ed11->

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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Library display:

The Madison Weavers Guild display at the Middleton Public Library is from January through February, 2023.



#### POT HOLDERS

To all those weaving potholders/mug rugs/trivet squares for the goodie bag project or those still wanting to weave, the last of the kits will be available at the upcoming meeting. Please bring all the squares you have completed. I would like the squares to be finished by the February meeting so there is time to count, label, attach rings, etc. and figure out how much is left to do while there is some time to do it before the end of March. I am incredibly impressed by the beautiful variety of squares woven

already. As of the last meeting we have about 70 squares. Hope to see lots more at this meeting. Many thanks to all the weavers. I truly believe this will be the best goodie bag item the participants at the conference will receive.

Pat Bullen

**MWG SPECIAL EVENT – Zoom Only**  
**Designing at the Reed With Multiple Warp Chains**

*Spectacular Warps!  
Spectacular Results!*

**Kathrin Weber**  
BlazingShuttles.com  
**Sunday, Feb 5, 1 PM**



Watch for the zoom link – Coming Soon!  
Hands-On technique class to follow in March.  
Led by Annie Berssenbrugge. Watch for more info.

#### HGA Tea and Textiles

Madison Weavers Guild is sponsoring an episode of Tea and Textiles (on Facebook and Youtube) on March 14, 2023. We have requested that Kathi Grupp interview our own Pat Hills. Watch for the announcement, tell all your weaving friends to watch. If you haven't been watching these, either live or on Youtube, start now. Do a Youtube

search for Tea and Textiles. The live broadcast is on Tuesdays at 3 our time on the HGA Facebook page. You do not need a Facebook account to watch.

**MEMBERSHIP:** Non-renewing members have been taken off our lists.

#### **MWG WEBSITE [www.madisonweaversguild.com](http://www.madisonweaversguild.com)**

For website submissions, please get in touch with Rhonda Brodbeck.

The following links are for the new website and Facebook page for our fine art and craft sale's artists that usually show at our Olbrich Garden sales. Please visit the pages. There are a lot of great gift ideas for your holiday shopping.

[www.fineartandcraftsale.com](http://www.fineartandcraftsale.com)

<https://www.facebook.com/fineartandcraftsale>

#### **Midwest Weavers Association**

Save the date!

**The 2023 Midwest Weavers conference, Confluence of Threads** will be hosted by the Des Moines Weavers and Spinners Guild, **June 12-17, 2023**. A preliminary Class Schedule is listed at <https://midwestweavers.org>. Registration opens January 2023. Several guild members have attended these meetings and are available to answer questions. We are making small potholders for the Goody Bags. Check out Piglet's Perfect Potholders website for designs.

#### **2025 MIDWEST WEAVERS CONFERENCE**

The Wisconsin Handweavers Inc. is hoping to host the 2025 Midwest Weavers Conference, probably in the Milwaukee area. Planning is just getting underway. They could use our help. To start, what kind of workshops are you interested in? Who would you like for a Keynote Speaker? What about local or area teachers for the workshops? Any of you interested in teaching a workshop? What vendors would you like to see? Is there a theme you have in mind? I'm not sure if they will need your physical help, more on that later. Any and all ideas appreciated. Send them to me at [ricordanza@charter.net](mailto:ricordanza@charter.net).

#### **ART FAIR ON THE SQUARE**

We had a very successful sale last year. If you are interested in selling your work in 2023, please let us know and we will try to fit you in to the group. If we don't know your work we would like to see what you would be selling. It is a great opportunity to learn how to sell your work.

#### **MWG FACEBOOK PAGE**

Please like us on Facebook and ask to join our Facebook page. Answer the questions if I don't know who you are! When you become a member, please post something! Already a member? Post something!

#### **RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS:**

Many fiber retail shops have an on-line presence. To keep them in business, please check their websites and do some mail-orders, if you can.

#### **The Woolery and Halcyon Yarn Guild Member Reward Programs**

Shopping can benefit the Guild

Perhaps you have a new resolution for this year that you will not stock up on yarn, but if you find you need to restock some of your favorites, please consider using our website ([www.madisonweaversguild.com](http://www.madisonweaversguild.com)) if you will order from the **Woolery or Halcyon Yarn**. Both of these sources return a percentage of your order to our guild. The links are on our resources page. If your item's cost compares favorably on either of these sites please follow the instructions with the logos on the resources page.

**Woolery** discounts and shipping: If you order \$100.01 or more select "Flat Rate" shipping option and your shipping is free (see their website for exceptions). Yarn discounts are \$150 or more and get 10% off or \$300 and get 15% off. If you order enough yarn to get the 10% discount with the free shipping, this is a decent discount.

**Halcyon** sells many kinds of fiber; they have their own signature yarns, high quality heavy rug wools and UKI fiber in many colors. Discounts are available when you buy in quantity. This is place to shop if you are looking for a rich color palette and for yarns that are not available in other shops.

#### **AREA WEAVING STORES**

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

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

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

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

Mielke's Fiber Arts, N4826 21st Ave Mauston WI 53948 608-350-0600

Lost Art Fiber and Textile Studio 519 Wisconsin Ave., Waukesha

[WWW.Woolgatherers.com](http://WWW.Woolgatherers.com), Fond du Lac, WI

The Fine Line in St. Charles, IL

**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](mailto:ricordanza@charter.net). Note the deadline for submissions and ads is **the TENTH of the month**.

Keep going, the next page is the membership form!!! Share with a weaving friend.

#### **MADISON WEAVERS GUILD INVITATION TO JOIN 2022-23**

The Madison Weavers Guild welcomes, as a member, any person interested in weaving and fiber arts.

Meetings and the monthly programs are the **third Monday of the month**, September through May. Members are sent a monthly newsletter, for our meeting months, that includes program announcements, reports on general guild activities, notices for interest groups, sales opportunities information, occasional swatches, listing of local yarn and weaving supply stores, and classifieds. Other advantages to members are the membership directory, eligibility for participation in sales, membership rate for workshops, social events, and perhaps most important -- the enthusiasm, support and sharing of fellow members.

Regular memberships are \$20.00 per year, \$15.00 for new members (first year), and \$5.00 for students.

The membership year begins in September.

Please fill out this form and bring it and your check (**payable to Madison Weavers Guild**) to a meeting or mail them to: Kathy Derene 5702 Old Sauk Rd., Madison WI 53705

**MADISON WEAVERS GUILD Membership Form for 2022-23**

<b>NAME:</b>	<b>PHONE:</b>	<b>Membership Category</b>
<b>CELL:</b>		
<b>ADDRESS:</b> (include Zip)		<input type="checkbox"/> New \$ 15.00
<b>E-MAIL:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Renew \$ 20.00
<b>WEBSITE:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Student (w/ ID) \$ 5.00

<b>What interests you about being a member of the Guild?</b>		
<b>Ideas for future programs. What topics would you like to learn more about?</b>		
<b>Other guild activities you'd be willing to take part in:</b>	<b>Areas of interest:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Party (help plan and organize)	<input type="checkbox"/> functional items	<input type="checkbox"/> felting
<input type="checkbox"/> Members' show (help plan, organize, execute)	<input type="checkbox"/> pattern drafting	<input type="checkbox"/> double weave
<input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter (write, find articles)	<input type="checkbox"/> basketry	<input type="checkbox"/> field trips
<input type="checkbox"/> Develop/update website	<input type="checkbox"/> bobbin lace	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Weave a swatch for the newsletter	<b>Other (what?)</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Serve on the board	<input type="checkbox"/> ikat	
<input type="checkbox"/> Demonstrate for local schools	<input type="checkbox"/> tapestry	
<input type="checkbox"/> Give a mini workshop, program at a meeting	<input type="checkbox"/> rugs	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (what?)	<input type="checkbox"/> sales	
	<input type="checkbox"/> spinning	
	<input type="checkbox"/> dyeing	
<b>Your looms:</b>		
<b>For new members, how did you find out about the Guild?</b>		



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