



The Weaving, Spinning & Fiber Arts Guild
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"Sharing A Love of Fiber Arts!"

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Up Coming Events & Classes

Unless otherwise specified, events are held at The Studio, 482 Constitution Way Suite B-11, Idaho Falls, Idaho 83403

Studio Night — *Members and visitors are welcome every Tuesday evening from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM at 482 Constitution Way, Suite B-11 same building just down the hall. Bring your wheel or a*

Studio day luncheon was be on November 10, at 11:30 am. We will be headed back to Rigby, to go to **Gator Jack's, Turn left off Highway 20 exit 322. You will see it on your left. If anyone knows any new or interesting restaurants that we haven't been to, let one of the board members know. We do not have a scheduled lunch for December (but if anyone's game, call Suzanne).**

- **The Sassy Sheep Open House** was on November 5, 2011 from 9 am—5 pm at 244 N 4200 E, Rigby, ID (520-8305). Join us for a fun-filled day of knitting, spinning, dyeing and tons of yarn and fiber! We will be serving a soup buffet.
- **The Guild's Exhibit at the Carr Gallery** is from Nov. 12 to Dec. 31.
- The **Rug Hooker's** meeting has been moved to November 17th due to Thanksgiving.
- Congratulations to Linda Fisher of Pocatello, winner of the **Afghan raffle**
- **This edition is a little light. If anyone has news, send it in early, since I expect next month might be the same.**



**There will be a Board meeting on the evening of
Tuesday, November 29, 6 p.m.**

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*****SALE*****RENT*****TRADE*****SALE*****RENT*****

Lots of room for advertisements! When you place a advertisement, it is also posted on our web-site at www.srfiberarts.org!

Also look at <http://www.srfiberarts.org/rental-equipment.html> at the many items we have available for members to rent from the Guild. The amount of the check we hold, when a large item like a loom is rented, has been raised to \$350.00. This check is returned when the rental item is returned.

Would you like to receive the Newsletter?

If you are not currently receiving "Rovings, Ravelings & Thrums" via email, please send an email to Suzanne at sriche@aol.com requesting the Guild newsletter which is sent monthly.

The newsletter can be downloaded and is posted each month at:

http://www.srfiberarts.org/newsletter_events.html

WANTED

Any outgoing or shy person/persons interested in any or all of the following:

- Knitting
- Spinning
- Weaving
- Crocheting
- Rug Hooking
- Combing
- Carding
- Raising of fiber animals and/or plants
- Dyeing

No prior experience required. Unlimited openings. All skill levels welcomed with open arms. No application need be completed, however there is a registration form to complete and a small fee (\$25.00 for an individual or \$32.50 for a family) is charged. A registration form is included on page 6 of this newsletter for your convenience.



ADVERTISE HERE

Newsletter Prices:

2.50 business card size

5.00 1/4 page

20.00 full page

10.00 1/2 page

Link on website: \$25.00/yr

Page on website with link: \$50.00/yr

Your Newsletter advertisement will be posted on our web-site as well.

Advertise on the Guild Website:

To add your web-site link to our favorite Links page ---\$25.00 per year.

For those who don't have a web-site, we'll post you a Full page and a link for \$50.00 per year.

Please send your payment to:

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Contact Suzanne LeMay-Riché at :

"sriche@aol.com" or Call 208.528-9467 & leave a msg.

Guild has renewed it's membership to the Northwest Weaver's Guild. Go to their site at www.northwestweavers.org to be informed of your membership benefits. You may check out videos, tapes and books and many other benefits.



Hartwell's Lazy PJ Ranch

Jack and at Day Hartwell
12739 North 55 East
Idaho Falls, ID 83401

New products from Knit Picks, Great Adirondack Yarn Company yarns, Skacel Felting Kits, Schacht, and Glimakra. Fiber for fleece rugs. Hand-dyed yarn in luscious colors.



A great rigid heddle loom for fleece rugs and quick weaving 32" comes with everything but yarn



Beginner's loom
\$60.50



Ashford's redesigned Traditional wheel spins like a dream



Baby wolf with 8 heddles, a great buy



New books



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Valkryie combs in all sizes



Warping boards in 3 sizes



Electric ball winder \$90.



Kromski's Minstrel



Knit Picks needles and yarn

Opal's new Antolia sock yarn



New lambs are being born nearly every day.



We are 1 m. east of Hwy 20 & 1 m. south, plus 2 houses on (Bonneville/Jefferson) County Line Rd.

Our hours are when it is convenient for you to shop.

Call before you come, so we can better serve you. Phone: 208-522-1337

Checkout our website at lazypj.com



If you are a member of Ravelry.com, check out the following groups!

The Association of Northwest Weavers' Guilds (ANWG)—which you a member of, if you are a Guild member—has a group for you to participate in. There is a forum that discusses fiber, weaving, knitting etc. The **group** name is: "Association of Northwest Weavers".

Check out our own group! Snake River Fiber Fair 2011. Stay up to date on all things pertaining to the Fiber Fair.

Studio Night Coverage

Nov. 8 – Kathie

Nov. 15 – Skye

Nov. 22 – Sarah

Nov. 29 – Skye

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

The Guild annual meeting will be held Tuesday evening, September 27th at the studio beginning at 6:30 pm



Guild News

Dues May be Due!

The procedure for membership dues has changed. Dues will now become payable each year by the end of the month in which you joined. For example if you became a member of the Guild in Oct. 2010, your dues need to be paid by the end of Oct. 2011. Or if you joined in May of 2011, your membership will need to be paid by the end of May, 2012 etc. If you have any questions, please contact Kathie Phoenix, our new membership chair at kathiephoenix@cableone.net.



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Because of the cost of mailing and printing, we regret that we will no longer be mailing the newsletter. It is posted for download online each month at www.srfiberarts.org and can be emailed to you as a pdf. Email us a request to receive an email copy of the newsletter with your name to "sriche@aol.com". We often broadcast changes & updates through email. Copies will also be available at the Studio. Emails are not shared. Don't miss out!

COME ENJOY THE BENEFITS OF GUILD MEMBERSHIP

Dues are \$25 for individuals and \$32.50 for families. Dues may be mailed to: The Weaving, Spinning, & Fiber Arts Guild of Idaho Falls, P.O. Box 1522, Idaho Falls, ID 83403.

Please add your email address so we can send your newsletter via email. www.srfiberarts.org (emails will not be shared for any other use)

Membership Application

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____