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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 project and join for an evening of fun & chat. Ring the bell below the left front window if the front door is locked.

Join us for Studio Day/Lunch

Please join us at on **Thursday, July 14** at Jaker's and **August 11** at **the Grille** at 11:30 a.m. then over to the Studio. RSVP to Suzanne @ sriche@aol.com or 528-9467 By Wed. . All are welcome to attend.

Folks: Last week I forgot the first Monday meeting of the **Finish the Rug group**. Since we have "finished the rugs" now the group is moving on to the color study napkins on the baby wolf and the overshot on a table loom. This group will meet on the third Monday, June 20 at 11:00 at the Studio. Bring your lunch and meet for a very entertaining time. We take turns with weaving so bring a project to work on during the down times or just bring your lunch and project and hang out with us for an hour or two. Everyone is welcome!

From Laurel ~ **SAVE THE DATE**, Saturday, July 16, 10:30 am - 3:ish. Bring your own fiber to dye and your own dyestuffs. We will meet at Barbara Bradley's (4120 North 55 East), help set up tables and dunk or paint our fibers, and as always enjoy a potluck lunch. This is a great way to experiment with colors. If you are interested in having a silk scarf to dye, let Barb, myself (Laurel), or Kathie P know. They are looking into placing an order. I hear that we always have a good time with plenty of laughter!

Thanks for Laurel for telling me about this and Barbara for hosting. Hope to see many of your there. I'm not really a "dyer" myself, but I can't resist the fun and the potluck lunch, so come one, come all!

If anyone else would like to plan a summer event and would like me to let everyone know via this weekly email, just send me the information and I'll pass it along ~ I'm very happy to do so. But in the meantime, hope everyone is enjoying the weather and whatever project you are working on. Take care, Kate

The Next Board Meeting will be Thursday September 1st at 11:30 a.m. at in the Studio.

In at the Guild library —check it out

Charlotte Goddin, Guild Librarian

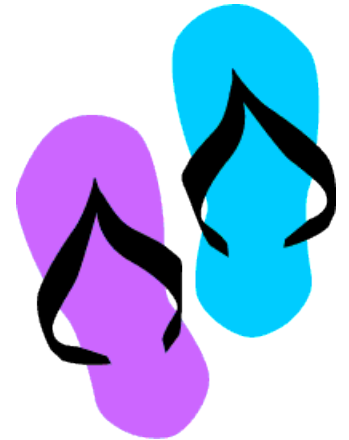
“The Efficient Weaver, Techniques for Fast and Happy Weaving” by Laura Fry is a DVD that was recently donated to the Guild by Laurel Cahoon.

Ms. Fry is a production weaver who started her weaving business in 1977 and has been working full-time as a professional weaver since 1980. It is said that the most common complaint of weavers is that they don't have enough time for weaving. While Ms. Fry can't give you more time, she has come up with many strategies for weaving more efficiently, so you can make better use of the time that you do have. Not only will you learn to produce more in the time that you have, but Ms. Fry's strategies will also help you to weave better cloth and at the same time reduce the wear and tear on your body.

Among the things you will learn are:

- How to warp your loom quickly and accurately.
- How to achieve correct, consistent tension during warping and weaving.
- How to thread faster than you've imagined you could.
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- Dozens of ways to make weaving easier on your body.

Check it out!



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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 5 of this newsletter for your convenience.

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.

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Guild News :



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 2016. Stay up to date on all things pertaining to the Fiber Fair.

Studio Hosts:

June 21— Laurel

June 28—Susan

July 5—CJ

July 12—Mary Ellen

July 19—Kathle

July 26—Sylvia

Aug. 2—Mary Ellen

Aug. 9—Open

Aug. 16— Laurel

Aug. 23—Susan

Aug. 30—Sylvia

BOARD MEMBERS

THE NEWSLETTER

DEADLINE IS ON THE
12TH OF THE

MONTH

Fiber Fair Pictures:

Laurel setting up the gallery.



The Old Time Fiddlers serenaded us at the dinner.



Some Fashion Show Pictures



Winner of the Bags:



Winning Fashion
Show Jacket



July 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5 Studio Night, 7-9	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 Studio Night, 7-9	13	14 Guild Day/Luncheon	15	16 Dye Pot Party 10:30-3 pm
17	18 Finish the Rug 11 am	19 Studio Night, 7-9	20 Warped Weavers, 9:30	21 Dizzy Spin- ners, 1-3	22	23
24	25	26 Studio Night, 7-9	27 Rug Hook- ers, 1-3 pm	28	29	30
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August 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7 Studio Night	8	9 Guild Luncheon 11:30 am	10	11
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26	27	28 Studio Night	29	30		



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COME ENJOY THE BENEFITS OF GUILD MEMBERSHIP

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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

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