

CABIN TALK

The Newsletter for the Malabar Spinning and Weaving Guild

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The President's Corner

September's meeting was well attended and everyone enjoyed John DeWalt from Royalwood who spoke to us about caning. What a talent that is. Thank ewe to the members who brought refreshments and to the van drivers and helpers. Show and tell was wonderful of course. Sally Rickel shared knitted slippers. Larry Ault showed a handmade wooden loom he was working on. Eva More made a beautiful woven shawl. Marie Bilsing shared one of her beautiful baskets. Iva Mahler and Kay Smith both shared very nice quilts they had made. Wanda Flor had finished a penny rug. Michelle Whisler finished a knitted baby set. As always, we have a very talented

group of people and these are just a few of the items that were shared at the meeting.

October Meeting

Our October meeting will be held at Pugh Cabin on October 4th, 7:00 pm. This will be our annual "Show and Tell". Bring or wear your completed projects to share with the group.

The members who signed up to bring refreshments for October are: Gorla Ault, Hattie Watkins, Lynn Reimer, Jack Heichel, Iva Mahler, and Marie Bilsing.

Spinning Group

The Spinning Group will meet on October 9th at the work area from 1:30 to 4:00.

Thank Ewe

**Thank ewe to Marty Rinehart for giving a workshop in September to make quilted purses. Several of our members attended and ended up with really cute purses.

**Thank ewe to all the members who demonstrated at various places during the month of September.

**Thank ewe to Annie and Rosie Rozell and Carol Rahall for setting up the dye garden area for Heritage Days.

Calendar of Events

October 1st – The Gathering – 10:00 – 4:00

October 4th – Guild Meeting, 7:00 pm

October 9th – Spinning Group 1:30 – 4:00

October 10th – Board Meeting – 1:00

October 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st – work area open from 11:00 – 4:00

Malabar Farm Events

**Malabar will have hayrides and harvest moonlight tours every Saturday in October from noon – 8:00 pm.

**Saturday, October 8th – 10:00 am – join a relaxing 2-mile guided walk through woods and field to enjoy the splendor of Ohio in fall. The trail for this walk is rated moderate in difficulty.

**Saturday, October 29th – 7:00 pm – 10:00 pm – Harvest Barn Dance – enjoy live music and square dancing to celebrate Halloween and a successful harvest. Open to the public at no charge. Beginners and experienced dancers welcome.

Sunshine Corner

Gary Schneeg, the husband of one of our members, passed away very suddenly at the end of July. Gary was the husband of Linda and the brother of Sharon Repp, who is also a member of our Guild. Gary and Linda have four sons. We extend our deepest sympathy to the family. We received a card from his wife and sister.

Dear Guild Members,

Thank you for all your thoughts, prayers and cards of sympathy. They are such great comfort during our time of sadness.

Linda & Sharon

New Member

Barbara Morejon
210 Sloan Avenue
Ashland, Ohio 44805-4342
Interests: Spinning and bobbin lace

Change of Address

Anne & Rick Presterl
22809 East Country Vista Drive
Big Trout Lodge #152
Liberty Lake, Washington 99019

We Need Ewe

**October 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, & 8th – Loudonville Fair. We need people to demo in costume. Time will be from 3:00 to 8:00. Contact Donna Richert at 419-994-2131 if you are interested in participating.

**October 16th - Dayspring demo in costume from 12:00 – 4:00. We need people to volunteer for this.

**October 1st – The Gathering – We need people to volunteer to bring cookies.

**Mishler Mill will be having an open house on October 8th & 9th and they need help. Please contact Fae Evans at 330-723-1895 if you are interested in helping.

For Sale

AVL end delivery hand shuttles and pirns \$75 each

Two small (11 inch) hand shuttles includes 4 pirns per shuttle

One large (15 inch) hand shuttle includes 6 pirns has extra tensioning component for thicker yarns

One thick yarn hand shuttle includes 6 pirns

Nilus Leclerc clamp on bobbin/pirn winder \$35

Model D130 made in Canada

Smooth action excellent condition

Whittacre Reed Co. \$10

8-dent reed

21 inches long x 4.5 inches tall

slight amount of rust noted at each end

dents appear to be rust free...stored in dry conditions

Handcrafted Maple warping board \$25

Hand rubbed tung oil finish

Approximately 10-12 + yards (as best I remember)

Sturdy, knocks down with wing nuts

(included) for easy storage

Hangs for use or can be propped

Several of the posts are loose (easily held in place with fleece or can be glued)

Contact: Cynthia Zutavern, Canton Ohio at 330-478-0413 or czutavern@hotmail.com

Sally Rickel picked up 23 more fleeces and they are available for sale. If you are interested in buying a fleece, contact Larry Ault at 419-347-9957. Fleeces will also be sold at The Gathering.

White fleeces are \$10.00 and other colors are \$15.00.

OOPS! From The Editor

Last month I listed all the October birthdays as September birthdays. Sorry about that.

September Birthdays

- September 6th – Fae Evans
 - September 11th – Sharon Repp
 - September 14th – Chantel Leggett
 - September 14th – Deb Kovacs
 - September 15th – Susan Donovan
 - September 27th – Barbara Morejon
 - September 28th – Nancy Ganyard
 - September 29th – Mary Parman
- I hope your birthdays were great!

October Birthdays

- October 2nd – Penny Myers
- October 3rd – Betsy Rush
- October 3rd – Jack Wheatley
- October 8th – Ron Rahall
- October 13th – Anne Presterl
- October 16th – Betty White
- October 20th – Don Yockey
- October 21st – Elizabeth Jensen
- October 21st – James Reed
- October 23rd – Neal Springer
- October 28th – Les Kovacs

Heritage Days Highlights

Heritage Days was very well attended and we had many members demonstrating. We had members in our work area and also out at the dye garden. Ruth Moody had a spinning wheel in front of the roped off section and always had a crowd. She let them try their hand at spinning and carding and people really enjoyed. She had so many people around her we told her we were going to get security for her. Annie and Rosie Rozell and Carol Rahall did a wonderful job getting the fire going and setting up the dye garden area. They are real pioneers! And, we dodged the rain. It was beautiful weather.



Information Just For Ewe

2005
the Gathering
All-Ohio
Spin-in
10am-4pm
Saturday
October 1st

You & your spinning friends are invited to our Ninth Annual celebration of National Spinning week with Malabar Farm Spinning & Weaving Guild at Malabar Farm State Park.

Malabar Farm is the former home of playwright Louis Bromfield. You can tour The Big House where Boggie & Bacall were married. We will be at the Big Barn across from the gift shop, where you can buy wonderful fudge & snacks. Goodies & Hot drinks are provided by the Guild, but please bring a lunch.

Malabar Farm is easy to find. Take I-71 to Mansfield Exit 169 (rt 13) & follow the signs to the farm. It is off Rt. 603 on Pleasant Vally Rd. This event will be held rain or shine. The Barn will keep you dry, not warm, so dress accordingly. Don't forget your favorite spinning chair.

Overnight accommodations available at the Hostel on the farm for a modest fee. Information & reservations at 419-892-2055.

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VENDOR MARKET
10-4 PM