

Fairbanks Weavers & Spinners Guild

Mailing Address
 PO Box 73152
 Fairbanks, Alaska, 99707
 Phone: 907-452-7737

Weaving Studio
 Room 219, Lathrop Building
 516 2nd Avenue
 Fairbanks, Alaska 99701

Website: www.fairbanksweavers.org

email: fbksweavers@yahoo.com

VOL. 36 Issue 2

MARCH 2015

ANNUAL MEETING & ELECTION

Wednesday APRIL 1st

5:30pm Dinner at the Bahn Thai

7:00pm Desserts, Election & Show & Tell

Location: Gayle Hazen's Studio,
 748 Gaffney Road, Suite 104 388-0247

JOIN Guild members at Bahn Thai for dinner followed by a variety of **DESSERTS** at **GAYLE HAZEN'S STUDIO on Gaffney Street**. Bring a dessert and your **SHOW AND TELL**.

A special presentation by the Weaving Students will follow the election of Officers. **Kay Nicholson** will present a few of her textile & basket treasures from world traveling. **Hanna Schempf**, member of Society of Creative Anachronism, will present several favorite band weaving looms.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS: Several of the Officer positions are still open for this next year as President, Secretary and a position as a board member. The nominating committee will be calling you to volunteer.

We celebrate 63 years as a Guild, 24 years of Weaving Instruction and 23 years presenting the Youth Summer FiberArts program.

MAY 6 Wed. HOOKED ON HOOKING

TIME: 6:00pm Snacks 7:00pm Meeting

Location: **WEAVING STUDIO, Rm. 219**
 516 2nd Avenue, Lathrop building

PROGRAM: Presentation by Kate Lamal on Rug Hooking

Kate retired from GVEA and fell in love with RUG HOOKING. Kate creates her own designs for the projects from photo's and paintings. She dyes and cuts the wool strips to the size she needs for each project. Rug hooking techniques use wool, yarn or rags in creating rugs, mats, mug rugs & chair pads. Enjoy this enthusiastic rug hooker's presentation. Bring rug hooking show and tell.

JUNE MEETING DYE GARDEN PLANTING

Stay tuned for more info on planting dates.

The weather is warming up, so an early planting schedule may happen before June 1st.

Officers & Board members for 2015 -16

President	OPEN	
Vice President	Joyce Outten	488-9424
Secretary	OPEN	
Treasurer	Rob Cermak	451-0975
Historian	Alicia Alexander	699-8147
Board of Directors:		
	Barbara Ebbesson	479-0440
	OPEN	
	Kate Hedstrom	590-1420c
	Maureen English	488-4784:
Librarian	Barbara Ebbesson	479-0440
Hospitality	OPEN	
Newsletter	Penny Wakefield	457-4124
Fair Supervisor	Moxie Pender	479-8443
Workshops	Alice Stickney	479-3425
	Penny Wakefield	457-4124
Dye Garden	Gail Mayo	479-2954
Spinning Group:	Alice Stickney	479-3425

A big THANK YOU TO KIM KORTENHOF, CATHY EGAN and MOXIE PENDER for serving as board members over the last few years.

60th Anniversary BAGS & APRONS BAGSA
 few **EXTRA 60th Anniversary BAGS & APRONS**
BAGS are still available so if you forgot to order,
you still have a chance to pick up one at the meeting

DUES are DUE AT THE ANNUAL MEETING

THE ART SCENE

FAIRBANKS ARTS ASSOCIATION

BEAR GALLERY Exhibits

ALL ALASKA JURIED EXHIBITION

Of artists from across the State
 opens April 3, 5 to 7pm

INTERIOR ARTISAN JURIED EXHIBITION

opens May 1 through 31

Deadline for entry will be 5pm, **APRIL 26, 2015**

Find the prospectus for this exhibitions on the

Fairbanks Arts Association website:

www.fairbanksarts.org

TANANA VALLEY FAIR DATES:

AUGUST 7 TO 16, 2015

Plan your Division 10 entry now.

CREATE, CREATE, CREATE
A GARMENT FOR THE

WEARABLE ART FASHION SHOW

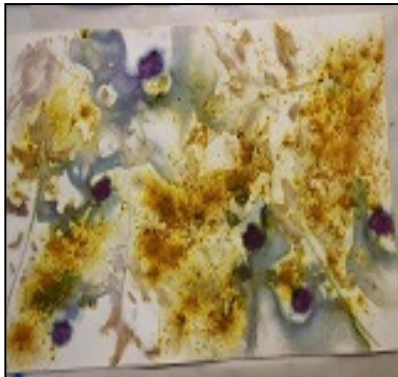
Sunday, APRIL 19, 2015

WEARABLE FASHION SHOW GARMENT for
Anchorage Threads 2015

Garments are due in Anchorage by the 4th of
April. Please let Penny know if you have
something and fill out a registration form.

PLEASE email ANNITA MAGEE: asmagee@gci.net
FASHION SHOW CRITERIA in November newsletter
Vol. 35 Issue 5.5

WORKSHOP SAMPLES



ECO PAPER
PRINTING
SAMPLES
BY
SHERRIL
& PAT, GAYLE
& MARNIE
AND CINDY

WEAVING
STUDIO
ACTIVITIES
Try your hand
weaving a 8
shaft sample on
crackle weave
or 8 shaft
Snowflake twill
sample.

Anchorage Weavers & Spinning 2015 Spring Retreat - Fiber Fiesta, May 15-17, 2015

For more information

- Elks Club Camp (2600 N. Barry's Resort Dr., Wasilla, AK) Here is a link for the camp's road map directions: <http://www.alaskastateelks.org/camp-map.htm><http://www.alaskastateelks.org/camp-map.htm>
- **When:** Friday, May 15, 1 pm until 2pm on Sunday.
Who: We will open registration to AWSG for a month, before opening up to the Mat-Su valley guild members. Due to cabin & space restrictions, we limit to 60 attendees.
- **How much:** \$80 for the weekend. \$45 for Saturday only. A 50% deposit is required to confirm your reservation.

For more information:

<http://www.anchorageweavespin.org/events.html>

YOUTH SUMMER FIBERARTS PROGRAM

It is that time of year again to set up the program for funding the rent for the Weaving Studio

This will be our 23rd year in providing a Youth program with over 5300 youth taking part in our art related program. Each year the teachers do a great job in presenting projects that are art related, creative and skill development.

Students return year after year until too old.

How can you help you ask? Here is a list:
3 people to volunteer to pick up snacks from the food bank a couple times a week.

Warping & threading of the little looms for the weaving program

Willing to be an assistant to the instructor
8 - 10 students per class

Teaching a class or creating a class.

A noon hour supervisor the first 3 weeks when some 24 students stay over the noon hour
End of week cleaning, pickup & vacuuming

Dates for the 8 week program are:

May 26 to 29 (four days only)

Four weeks in June

1 - 5; 8 - 12; 15 - 19; 22 - 26; 29 - July 3.

Two weeks in August 3 - 7 & 10 - 14

A WARPING Party will be scheduled for mid May so stay tuned. Anyone is WELCOME on Tuesday or Thursday from 2 to 6 to warp and thread or weave a sample on the looms that are set up.

SPRING IS HERE!