



President's Message

Laurie Harkin-Chiasson

I think everyone will agree that postponing the Strategic Planning meeting was a wise move. That snow storm was quite something! I doubt anyone went anywhere that day with the snow accumulation. We wouldn't have even been able to get into the parking lot. So, the new date is Sat. Mar. 29 in the Gallery at Heartwood House, 10:30 - 3:30 and lunch will be provided. Please send a new RSVP to Ann Sunahara (sunahara@magma.ca or 613 728-9691) so that lunch can be arranged for. There may be limited parking in the parking lot because of the synagogue services, so you might have to use the street north of Heartwood to park to start. The lot usually clears out by noon though. It is important to have lots of input at this meeting. This will set the direction of the guild for the next couple of years, so come out and have your say. Already there are lots of new changes to report, so read on and enjoy.



**Guild Clinic Day, February 2008:
Jack Lane assembling a new loom.**

April Meeting

Monday, April 7th, at 7:30pm

Library & Resource Centre open at 5:00pm
Hostess will be Francine Deguire. Greeter still needed!

Meeting Program: DVD "Through the Eye of a Needle: Stories from an Indian Desert"

Ann Sunahara will be presenting this documentary from Vancouver's Maiwa Productions which tells the story of a unique group of craftswomen from India's western desert who successfully revived the world class embroidery that made their ancestors famous. Experience the amazing landscape of the Kutch desert, the remarkable diversity of the communities there and the breathtaking colours of their textiles.

Things to bring to the April meeting...

- ♦ membership renewal form and payment!
- ♦ workshop registration form and payment

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General Announcements

Membership Renewal Time!

Memberships expire on April 30, so remember to renew at the next meeting or by mail to OVWSG, 153 Chapel St. Ottawa, ON K1N 1H5. Membership form is included at the end of the newsletter.

Nominating Committee

Past President Anne Middleton is heading this committee. Positions needing to be filled this year (at May Annual General Meeting) are:

President
2nd Vice President
Bookkeeper
Ex. and Sale Coordinator for 2009
Membership
Newsletter

Surprise in the mail

Laurie Harkin-Chiasson

At the last meeting I picked up the guild mail and there was a letter from the City of Ottawa. It was a cheque for \$2,625.00. It was totally unexpected as we usually do not hear about our grant money until June or July. The accompanying letter said that it was an "advance payment" toward our Annual Operating Grant. What a nice surprise. An appropriate thank-you card was sent.

Upcoming Guild Activities

Strategic Planning Meeting:

Sat. March 29th, 2007, 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

Postponed from earlier in the month...
Please plan to attend the Guild's Strategic Planning Meeting. More details on Page 1, in the President's Message. As lunch is provided, please RSVP to Ann Sunahara (sunahara@magma.ca or 613 728-9691).

Exhibition & Sale Meeting - Apr. 7th

Nancy Ingram

A special Exhibition and Sale meeting will be held in the Resource Centre on April 7th between 6 and 7 pm (prior to the April Guild meeting).

The meeting will focus on:

- 1.) The Exhibition: Ongoing planning
- 2.) The Raffle: target dates for printing of tickets and other details

- 3.) The wording for the Postcard and Bookmark texts
- 4.) The finalization of the design of the Postcard and Bookmark
- 5.) Discussion and finalization of wording for the new signs
- 6.) Review of budget for the Sale
- 7.) Continuation of discussion about the promotion and advertising for the event

As of the middle of March, all of the booth spaces have been sold (23 in all). I am delighted to report that we have several weavers and spinners (old and new) in the show. Many will be exhibiting high end fashion garments, accessories and household items. There are also a number of fibre artists producing artworks using different techniques in a wide assortment of finished products. We really want to focus on Canadian made goods in this year's Exhibition and Sale - a "Made in Canada" theme. We have excellent, professional artisans who will provide us with a unique event, featuring fibre at its best.

We need a title or name for the event. If anyone has any ideas for a title please pass along your ideas at the April meeting or e-mail me at ingram@rideau.net. So far the suggested names are "Fibre Fiesta", "Caught in a Web" and "From There to Here" - put on your thinking caps and help us out. Come up with a title and you may win a raffle ticket or two!

At the April meeting I will provide more information about the booth participants. See you at the Exhibition and Sale meeting or the April Guild meeting.

Executive and Committees Meeting: Tuesday, April 15, 2008, 7 pm

Meeting in the RC new classroom. RSVP to Laurie please (to determine if we will have a quorum).

Guild Challenge

Reminder that entry forms for the guild's 60th Anniversary Fibre Challenge will be available at the April & May guild meetings (entry deadline is June 1st). For more information about this exciting collaborative activity, please contact Shirley Browsey (email: sbrowsky@sympatico.ca or 613-488-2898).

The Guild's librarian, Jan Scott, has put together a list of books that may provide inspiration or research tools for your team's contribution to the Guild's Challenge (list is provided at end of newsletter).

Resource Centre News

Resource Centre Classroom MOVED

Laurie Harkin-Chiasson

The classroom part of the Resource Centre was moved down the hall (second door on right), over the March break. The library stays where it is. The new room provides west windows facing Chapel St. which can be opened for air and there has been no history of flooding in the new room. The room is in a sort of T shape, with the looms along the top of the T. The class area is along the body of the T, facing the windows. There is a storage room for our yarns and equipment cabinets. There was also talk of taking a storage room across the hall to store all the table looms. The doors have been keyed so that the original key that opens the RC door also opens the other doors.

The sewing group is now in our old classroom area. However, since they do not use the space on evenings and weekends, Moe (HH Exec. Director) has suggested that we could still use this area by moving the sewing machines aside. That means we can still socialize outside the library on meeting nights and perhaps have 2 workshops running on a particular day or the old classroom could be a meeting place for members, even though a workshop is running in the new classroom.

The good news is that our rent will drop by \$30/month. There was no cost incurred by the guild for the move. Heartwood House paid for all the renovations and did all the moving of equipment. Special thanks go out to the members who kept on top of the renovation progress and advised on the new room layouts.

New Library and In Depth Study Cabinets...SOON

Laurie Harkin-Chiasson

Six units were ordered on Feb. 20 and they said 4-6 weeks for delivery, so they should be arriving soon. They will be installed for us, so all we have to do is tell them where to put them and then load them up afterwards. These are cabinets with locking doors that should help to preserve both collections from various sources of damage.

Key Holders - updated list and access reminder

Laurie Harkin-Chiasson

A reminder that keys to the Resource Centre (and Heartwood House side door) are accessible to

members. There is a "floater" set of keys that can be signed out from the library on a monthly basis. You may also borrow a set of keys from any one of the Key Holders, as long as they are returned afterwards.

During HH hours members may access the RC room (not mornings, as ESL uses the classroom) by showing a valid membership card to the front desk staff and one of them will open the room for you.

Current key holders and contact information:

Laurie Harkin-Chiasson (President)	613-448-3853
Shirley Browsky (Vice President)	613-488-2898
Judith Rygiel (Treasurer)	613-825-4155
Mary Morrison (RC Coordinator)	613-830-9992
Sue Quinn (Assist. RC Coord.)	613-837-1619
Ann Sunahara (Constitution)	613-728-9691
Elizabeth Watt (Workshops)	613-692-6115
Jan Scott (Library)	613-828-3256
Cindy O'Gorman (Demos/History)	613-832-9316
Madeleine Parent (Programs)	613-741-0876
1 set for incoming 2nd Vice President	
1 set "floater" with librarians - may be signed out on monthly basis	

There is no longer a Big Online key as that room no longer exists.

Guild Equipment Sale

As we no longer have room to store extra equipment that is rarely used, the following items are for sale, at reasonable prices:

- Leclerc 4-harness (4H) 15" Dorothy table looms (5)
- Leclerc 4H 45" counter-balanced floor loom, with various accessories
- Leclerc 4H 45" jack-type floor loom
- Schacht 4H 24" table loom, front levers, with table-like stand
- Swedish 4H light-weight floor loom, approx. 36" width
- Leclerc small warping mill
- Leclerc warping boards---many

Please contact Mary Morrison
morrmy@sympatico.ca or Sue Quinn
sooniequinn@yahoo.ca

Guild Courses & Workshops

Sign up now for upcoming spring courses and workshops! Don't wait until the last minute, or the one you're interested in may be cancelled because enough people haven't signed up yet. Your cheques will be made out to one week before the class and not cashed until afterwards. Start dates are listed below.

Sun. Mar. 30 - **Basic Acid Dyeing** - full, but a list of names of interested people is being compiled for another course

Sat. Apr. 19 & 20 - **Felt Vessel** (parts 1 & 2)

Sat. Apr. 26 - **Overshot: Outside the Block**

Sat. May 3 - **Wheel Spinning**

Sat. May 10 - **Fibre Preparation**

Sat. May 17 - **Gaining Control** (spinning)

Pine Needle Basketry - no date set yet, probably April

For more detailed information, descriptions, fees and times etc., for all the above courses see www.ovwsg.com or pick up a workshop brochure & registration form at the meeting. For additional information please contact the Workshops Coordinator, Elizabeth Watt, at 613-692-6115 or elizabeth@wattfamily.ca.

Demonstrations

Shakespeare's Birthday Demonstration at the NAC

Cindy O'Gorman is organizing our participation in the Renaissance Fair (Shakespeare's Birthday) at the National Arts Centre on Sunday, April 27th, from 2-5pm. They would like us to demonstrate our skills and provide hands-on opportunities for the public (ie: small looms, spindles). We are also able to sell items at will. Contact Cindy O'Gorman for further details at 613-832-9316 or cgo244@yahoo.ca.

Other Upcoming Events

Embroidered Narratage: Visions of the Twenty-First Century stitched by Indian Women

Skye Morrison, our guest speaker from last June's guild meeting, has a new exhibition opening on

March 29 in St. Lambert Quebec, just south of Montreal, at The Museum of Costume and Textile of Québec. This exhibition is the culmination of three years of fieldwork with two groups of Indian women who make embroidery that tells stories. For more information (invitation & press release) please contact Ann Sunahara (sunahara@magma.ca or 613-728-9691).

ROM Textile Gallery opening Apr. 16 Ann Sunahara

Dramatic new gallery presents highlights from the ROM's collection of 50,000 textiles and costumes.

The Royal Ontario Museum (ROM) is proud to announce the opening of the Patricia Harris Gallery of Textiles & Costume. The Gallery, located on Level 4 of the Michael Lee-Chin Crystal, is scheduled to open April 16, 2008.

The Patricia Harris Gallery of Textiles & Costume presents highlights from the ROM's renowned collection of over 50,000 textile and costume artifacts, in a display of approximately 200 pieces dating from the 1st millennium BC to the 21st century AD. Outstanding examples include Chinese imperial costume, late Antique and early Islamic textiles from Egypt, western fashion from the Baroque period to the present day and early Canadian coverlets. These illustrate the extensive transformations in textile design and technology throughout the past three millennia. Due to conservation considerations, the artifacts are to be changed on a regular basis.

Sheep to Sock - April 26, Vernon

April 26 at the Osgoode Township Historical Society Museum in Vernon, ON. The museum's sock making machine will be put into service. We have been asked to participate in this fun competition. Contact Pat Trudel (patsy@ncf.ca) for more information.

WASOON 2008 - May 23-25, 2008

The Weavers and Spinners of Ontario North will hold their semi-annual conference in North Bay this year. The theme is "Inspiration 2008: The Path to Creativity". Full details available at the OHS website: <http://www.ohs.on.ca/WASOON2008.htm>.

Art on Abbeyhill - June 7, 10am-4pm

This juried art and artisan show and sale will be held at Glen Cairn United Church in Kanata (140 Abbey Hill Drive). Guild members interested in taking part in this show and sale should contact John Toft at 613-836-3782 (phone and fax), or by email at anne.toft@sympatico.ca. Application forms are due by March 28th.

St. Distaff's Day - June 21, Almonte

Circle your calendars. There should be more information coming soon.

Fibre Unleashed: Pushing the limits

Next year's Ontario Handweavers and Spinners Conference will be held at the Nottawasaga Inn in Alliston, ON, May 1-3, 2009.

Marketplace

FOR SALE: 16" Louet Kombo 8-shaft loom with stand. Adjustable bench, 2 shuttles, 10 bobbins, 5 reeds, raddle
\$1500 value if new - bargain \$800
contact sbrowsky@sympatico.ca

Loom, Leclerc, Nilus, 45-in, 8-frame, many extras
\$1500
613-592-2928

For sale:

- walking floor spinning wheel
 - 36-in floor loom
 - free other articles
- Call Jacqueline Thivierge (819) 682-2170

Weaving Equipment for Sale:

1. One 25" 4 harness Jack System Loom - portable or can be mounted on its own table
2. One 38" 4 harness Leclerc loom with bench
3. Books "Keep Me Warm One Night: Early Handweaving in Eastern Canada" by Burnham and Burnham, 1979
4. "The Weaving, Spinning and Dying Book" by Rachel Brown
5. 12 "Handwoven" Magazines
6. "Handwoven" Designer Patterns
 - Skirts
 - Overlayers
 - Tops
7. Warping Board
8. Wool Winder
9. 25.5" stretcher
10. Umbrella Swift
11. Three (3) Boat Shuttles
12. Tension Box
13. Bobbin winder
14. Threading hook
15. Assorted yarns - wools, silk, cotton and mixed, in various colours. Much of this is unused.

Contact: Phone 613 749 8619 or E-mail
collind@rogers.com

Advertising rates:

Members: \$12 for first 25 words or less,
+ \$0.23 for each additional word.

Non-members: \$15 for 25 words or less,
+ \$0.28 for each additional word.

Business Card size: \$18/issue or \$150/year;

¼ or ½ page: \$30 or \$32/issue.

Commercial: \$15 for 20 words,

+\$0.45/additional word, Full page: \$79/issue.

To place an advertisement, phone or email Tuula Talvila at 613-722-4808, tuulat@gmail.com.

Announcements of special events carry no charge to members unless items are specified for sale or services for reimbursement appear in the event notice.

Advertisements must be pre-paid.

Monthly Guild Meeting Minutes – March 2008

**Ottawa Valley Weavers' and Spinners' Guild
Monthly Guild Meeting
Monday, March 3rd, 2008, Gallery, Heartwood
House**

(Written & Recorded by Merilyn Mulligan)

Meeting called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Laurie Harkin-Chiasson

- introduction of the executive members
- advised that Dolores has provided refreshments

SHOW & TELL

- Elizabeth Watt showed a skein of yarn, same yarn as her yellow and green sweater we saw at a previous meeting, except this yarn was dyed a magenta colour
- we saw a scarf -tie-dyed indigo in a flower pattern, Chinese style and purchased in China.
- Dolores brought in several small articles made by needle felting.
- Ann Middleton finished her shawl - handspun Alpaca yarn and woven.
- Jan Scott showed us her finished Wet Felt Hat

BUSINESS MEETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Laurie H-C received a letter and a cheque for \$2500.00 from the City of Ottawa – this is 25% of our Grant.
- the storage cabinets have been ordered - should be

- in by the end of March, they will deliver, set up and level for us
- the lease has been signed - rent is up only a little, may even go down
 - Resource Centre classroom is moving:
 - Library is staying & the hallway is still ours
 - we will be moving to the next room on the right where the sewing machine room is
 - Heartwood House will start construction this week - the walls will be taken down
 - we will have more floor space for less rent
 - they will build shelves for small looms
 - we do not have to move anything, they will do everything at no charge to us
 - the lighting is better and this should all be finished by the 15 or 16th of this month (Mar.)
 - Mary Bowring advised us of St Distaff day:
 - Theme "It's a Wrap", June 21
 - sponsored by the Richmond and Mississippi Guild
 - we need workshops for the day, and volunteers to lead workshops
 - we are paying \$20.00, pays for rent and food
 - to be held in Almonte weekend after Father's Day
 - Strategic Planning Meeting:
 - March 9 Sunday, in Gallery 10.00 - 3.30
 - let Ann Sunahara know if we are coming
 - to find direction of the Guild, what is working, what is not working, how do we improve, are we filling our mandate
 - the parking lot should be empty
 - Dolores is our hostess for tonight, we need another for next meeting (Francine D will be hostess for April)
 - Executive:
 - Anne Middleton is leading the nominating Committee
 - need President, Librarian, Ex and Sale Leader after 2008
 - Demonstrations, Cindy O'Gorman
 - NAC, Shakespeare's birthday 27 April, 2-5
 - they want us to pay \$25.00 for the booth
 - we can sell - they want to know what we have to sell and display
 - cheap advertising for the Guild
 - Raffle - we must have a licence regardless of cost of ticket, the rules are set by the Province
 - Ex and Sale 2008:
 - Mary Morrison read report by Nancy Ingram
 - booth space is filling up quickly
 - photocopies of articles for sale to be sent to Judy Kavanagh, send information of yourself to Rebecca Moran, all articles will be noted "Canadian Made"
 - Demonstrations - Ann Sunahara suggested we buy computer & projector so that we can show DVDs when showing programs
 - less than \$2000.00 we can purchase this at Dell,

needs us to approve spending up to \$800.00 on projector

- moved by Ann Sunahara that we budget to approve the \$500.00 from the program budget and an additional \$300.00 to purchase a data projector
- seconded by Shirley Browsky, all in favour
- the logistics will be carried out by the Executive
- Guild Challenge - Shirley Browsky - would like to have another 3-5 teams
- Workshops - Elizabeth Watt - Dying workshop class is full and is now taking names for another class

BREAK

PROGRAM

8.35 - We needle-felted name tags

Meeting adjourned at 9:45

Ottawa Valley Weavers and Spinners Guild

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April Events Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5 Intro to Spinning workshop 10:30-3:30, RC
6 Beginning Weaving course (part 3/4) 10-4:00 RC	7 7:30pm Guild meeting	8	9	10	11	12 Inkle weaving workshop 10:30-4:30, RC
13	14	15 7pm Exec & Committee meeting (new RC classroom)	16	17	18	19 Felt Vessel course (part 1/2) 10:00-4:00, RC
20 Felt Vessel course (part 2/2) 10:00-4:00, RC	21	22	23	24	25	26 Overshot workshop 9:30-5:30, RC Sheep to Sock event, Vernon
27 Beg. weaving course (part 4/4) 10-4:00 RC Renaissance Fair. NAC	28	29	30 2008-2009 Membership renewals due			

Please note that details about events and courses can be found in the newsletter, workshop brochure, or on the website.

May Events Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3 Wheel Spinning workshop 10:30-3:30, RC
4	5 6-7pm Ex & Sale meeting / 7:30pm Guild AGM	6	7	8	9	10 Fibre Preparation workshop 9:30-5:00, RC
11	12	13	14	15	16	17 Gaining Control spinning workshop 10:30-4:00, RC
18	19	20	22	23 WASOON Conference	24 WASOON Conference	25 WASOON Conference
26	27	28	29	30	31	

From the Library

Here are some book suggestions to get all of you inspired for the Anniversary Guild Challenge!

Browse though 746.148 for projects to try or check out 646.4 to 646.408 for patterns to sew with the yardage you have created! Remember that 646.435SCO handwoven Designer patterns specifically for hand woven fabrics. We have books on finishing 746.1445 and various spots to look for inspiration on embellishments too! There are books on knitting if you want to add another element to your creation! We have sections on weave structures, and sections on Spinning different kinds of fibers. We even have the new binders of fiber samples of natural and synthetic fibers for those wanting to work with something completely different! Come early to the Meeting and use the library! You can check out all the wonderful books to help you create the perfect item you have always wanted to make!

Books on patterns and sewing

646 Sewing, Clothing

646.03 Encyclopedia - sewing

646.4001 Clothing Construction

646.407 Clothing Patterns - General

646.4072 Pattern Construction

646.408 Pattern alterations-fitting

646.03PET Handbook of Stitches, 200 embroidery stiches, old and new, with discriptions, diagrams, and Samplers
Petersen, Grete and Svennas Elsie

646.4BUT Vogue Sewing Book, Revised Edition Butterick

646.4001ALD Handwoven, Tailormade; a tandem guide to fabric designing, weaving, sewing and tailoring
Alderman, Sharon

646.4001HOL Pattern making by the flat pattern method 5th ed Hollen, Norma R

646.4001MAY Handwoven Clothing Felted to Wear Mayer, Anita Luvera

646.4001WIL Weave with style Wilson, Jean

646.4001CAP Weave it Quilt it Wear it Caplinger, Mary anne

646.407BEA Fahions from the Loom; handwoven clothing made easy Beard, Betty J

646.407HOL Peasant Chic Holderness, Esther R

646.407O'CO Creative Dressing O'Connor, Kaori

646.407TID Contemporary Costume: stictly handwoven, monograph 24, 1968 Tidball, Harriet C Douglas

646.407WES A Cut Above: Couture clothing for fibre Artists West, Virginia

646.407WES Weavers' Wearables West, Virginia

646.407WIL Weaving you can Wear wilson, Jean

646.407WIT Alternatives to a fig leaf Wittenberg

646.407GOL 25 Leisure Fashions to Sew GOL (Magazine)

646.408LEN Vogue Fitting Lenken

646.408RAS Fabulous Fit Rasband, Judith

646.435SCO Handwoven designer Patterns #101 Scorgie, Jean

Handwoven designer Patterns #102 Scorgie, Jean

Handwoven designer Patterns #103 Scorgie, Jean

746.011 HAH Textiles for todays Church Hahn, Roslyn

746.12041KAH The Handspun Project Book Kahn, Devorah Ed.

746.1204 Spinning - Special Techniques

746.12041 Spinning - Projects & Patterns

746.12042 Spinning - Novelty Yarns

Books on Finishing techniques

746.1445 Finishing

- 746.1445BAI Finishes in the Ethnic tradition Baizerman, Suzanne.& Searle, Karen
746.1445FRY Magic in the Water wet finishing handwoven Fry Laura
746.1445McE Compendium of Finishing Techniques McEneely, Naomi
746.1445WES Finishing Touches for the handweaver; a study of finishing details for handwoven articles. west, Virginia
746.1445WIL Joinings, Edges and Trims Wilson, Jean
746.1445YOU The Finishing of Handwoven Woolen Fabrics Younie, Christine
746.1445GOR The final steps traditional methods and contemporary application for finishing cloth by hand Gordon, Beverly

More books on projects

746.148 Weaving Projects

- 746.148 HAL Hallen & Hallgren 1996 Vav Kalender HAL (12 projects from VAV calendar)
746.148 HAN Table mats and Beyond - a Bakers Dozen Handweavers Guild of America (H.G.A.)
746.148 HAN A Handwoven Treasury Handwoven
746.148 LIL (Lily Mills) Practical Weaving Suggestions Lily Mills (really cool Vintage patterns)
746.148 RIN (A folio of) loom Projects for the weavers guild of rochester, NY 1962-63 Ringler, Aina
746.148 ROC Rochester Weavers Guild Place mat Project 1973 Rochester Weavers Guild
746.148 TID Handweaving Specialties ; 62 articles for the handweaver to make (monograph 11) Tidball, Harriet
746.148 VAN the best of weavers fabrics that go bump Vander Hoogt, Madelyn editor.
746.148 HAN Handwoven's Design Collection #10 Terrific Table Toppers Handwoven
#12 Great Cover-ups
#13 Super Simple Tops
#14 weaving for baby
#16 Kitchen Collection
#17 Jackets & Pullovers
#18 A treasury of Towels
#3 Gifts
#4 Outerwear
#7 Simple Styles
#5
746.14947MEE Reflections from a flaxen past for love of Lithuanian Weaving Meek, Kati reeder
746.14947YAN Ukrainian Weaving Pattens with Instructions Yanda, Doris Elizabeth
746.1497 BUR Handweaving in Pioner Canada Burnham, Harld
746.397 BUR Cut My Cote Burnham, Dorothy
746.397 EVA A Joy Forever: Latvian Weaving Evans, Jane

746.38 Tapestry Projects

746.4128 Basketry Projects

Knitting inspiration

746.4321 Knitting - Design

746.4328 Knitting Projects

- 746.4328BUS Folk Socks Bush, Nancy
746.4328LEW Folk Mittens, Techniques and Patterns for handknitted Mittens Lewandowski, Marcia
746.4328LIG Homespun, handknit Ligon, Linda C.

746.721 Rug Techniques

Reference – 100” loom binders, shawl challenge

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Membership Application / Renewal Form

ANNUAL FEE: \$30.00 Individual / \$45.00 Family

The membership period is from May to April 30 of the following year. New Members who join from February-April, the membership expiry is extended to April 30 of the following year

(Payable at the April or May meeting or by mail. Non-renewals by the June meeting, we will assume no intent to renew, with subsequent removal).

Please Print Clearly. In the email address, please differentiate zeros from the letter "O", ones from the letter "I", etc

NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____ PROVINCE: _____
POSTAL CODE: _____ TEL: _____
EMAIL: _____ FAX: _____

Are you a (please check one):

☐ New member ☐ Returning member (after an absence)
☐ Renewing member ☐ In what year did you first join the Guild? _____

Do you participate in:

☐ Spinning ☐ Knitting Other: _____
☐ Weaving ☐ Felting
☐ Dyeing ☐ Basketry

Are you interested in:

☐ Spinning ☐ Knitting Other: _____
☐ Weaving ☐ Felting
☐ Dyeing ☐ Basketry

Are you willing to help in the following areas:

<input type="checkbox"/> Programs	<input type="checkbox"/> Equipment	<input type="checkbox"/> Resource Centre
<input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter	<input type="checkbox"/> Yarns	<input type="checkbox"/> Hostess
<input type="checkbox"/> Workshops	<input type="checkbox"/> Annual	<input type="checkbox"/> Membership
<input type="checkbox"/> Library	<input type="checkbox"/> Exhibition and Sale	<input type="checkbox"/> Executive

Do you have any ideas for workshops or programs, or any additional comments?

Date: _____ Signature: _____