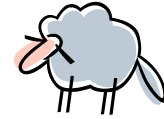


WOOL GATHERINGS...



The Monthly Newsletter of the Golden Fleece Spinners' Society

The mission of the Society is to preserve and perpetuate the art of hand spinning; to promote interest in spinning by educating the public through demonstrations, lectures, displays, and news/social media; and to provide instruction and social life in spinning for its members.

Next Meeting: Saturday January 15th, 2021, 10:00 AM
Grace Episcopal Church
Baldwinsville, NY

Annual Roc Day Celebration

Hostess: Joyce Lock, Treats: Elizabeth Wilcox, Jessica Bixby

While we won't be holding our traditional Roc Day luncheon, we will play some fun games with prizes awarded to the winners.

- Bring your decorated spinning wheel. Traditionally married women would decorate their spinning wheels in green, while single women decorated their wheels in red. There will be prizes for the best decorated wheels.
- We will be playing **Sheep Breed Bingo**, think regular Bingo, but instead of numbers, the cards are filled with the names of sheep breeds.

Start thinking about donations for the March auction. Each member is asked to contribute two items which can be yarn, fiber, knitting, spinning and weaving books, eggs, plants, fiber equipment, basically things that are spinning, knitting and weaving-related.

Masks and social distancing will be required for our meeting inside the church. Remember to bring your lunch and coffee mug.

DECEMBER MEETING

The meeting was called to order at 11:50 AM by President Jill Robinson.

Jill reminded attendees of name tags and the signup sheet for hostess and treats.

The Treasurer, in absentia, reported we have a balance of \$5,256.89.

Programs for 2022 include:

January - Roc Day

February - Zoom Fiber Travels in India DVD

March - Guild Auction
April - Deb Robson on Zoom
May - Angora Rabbits
June - Bundle Dyeing
July and August- free spin at Onondaga Lake Park, weather permitting
Fiber Frolic at Beaver Lake in April
State Fair week

Jill received a note about a past member Barb Romeo. Her husband Marty said that Barb is now in the Memory Unit at:

McHarrie Point
7740 Meigs Rd
Baldwinsville, NY 13027

Marty's mail address:

Marty Brennan
2407 Lydia Court
Baldwinsville, NY 13027

Events for your Calendar (* indicates events we provide spinning demonstrations)

April 30, 2022	Fiber Frolic at Beaver Lake Nature Center*
May 7-8, 2022	Maryland Sheep and Wool Festival
June 11-12, 2022	CNY Fiber Festival, Bouckville, NY*

2021-2022 Calendar and Program Plan (at the Church Unless Otherwise Noted)

September 18, 2021	Welcome to New Members, Luncheon, Market Day
October 23, 2021	Heritage Breed Study: Columbia
November 20, 2021	Charity Knit and Crochet
December 18, 2021	Holiday Party
January 15, 2022	Roc Day Celebration
February 19, 2022	Fiber Travels in India with Marilyn Romatka (Zoom)
March 19, 2022	Guild Auction
April 16, 2022	Shetland Sheep with Deb Robson (Zoom)
April 30, 2022	Fiber Frolic at Beaver Lake Nature Center
May 21, 2022	Angora Rabbits
June 18, 2022	Bundle Dyeing
July 16, 2022	Open Spin, Onondaga Lake Park
August 20, 2022	Open Spin, Onondaga Lake Park
August 27-28, 2022	Guild Weekend at the NYS Fair Wool Center

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