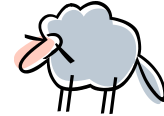


# WOOL GATHERINGS...



## *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.*

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**Next Meeting: Saturday June 18th, 2022, 10:00 AM**  
**Grace Episcopal Church**  
**Baldwinsville, NY**

### **Bundle Dyeing Workshop with Cheryl Molesky**

*Hostess: Joyce Lock, Treats: Marilee Williams, Joyce Lock*

For those participating in the Bundle Dye workshop, remember to bring rubber gloves to protect your hands and a mask for safety when mixing mordants. Contact Nicole Massenzio if you have questions. For those not participating in the workshop, enjoy yourselves spinning and socializing. *Remember to bring your lunch and coffee mug.*

**Membership dues** for the 2022-2023 guild year will be collected at the meeting: \$20 for an individual and \$30 for a family consisting of an adult member and family members under 21. If you won't be at the meeting, mail a check made out to the Golden Fleece Spinners' Society to:

Sue Jones  
404 Sixth St  
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If you would like to pay your dues electronically, send them via PayPal to [goldenfleecespinners@gmail.com](mailto:goldenfleecespinners@gmail.com). **Select "Sending to a Friend" so that the transfer is free.** Otherwise, you will be responsible for paying the PayPal fee so that the guild gets the full amount. Once received, Treasurer Angela Mann will let Sue know via email that you are paid in full. Please include any changes to your contact information.

### **MAY MEETING**

President Jill Robinson called the meeting to order at 10:10am.

Treasurer's Report from Angela Mann: the current guild balance is \$4364.75.

Jill welcomed members and visitors and summarized the church's Covid protocols. She also reminded all about name tags, the hostess and treats signup sheet, the signup for demonstrating at the CNY Fiber Arts Festival in Bouckville (see Joyce Lock), and the signup for demonstrating at the State Fair Wool Center (see Linda Miller).

Demonstrations at the Seven Acres Alpaca Farm in Phoenix Shearing Day are cancelled for this year, but the situation looks good with appropriate shelter.

As no one has expressed an interest in running for office and the incumbents are willing to stay, a ye or nay vote reelected the serving officers with no nays.

Bundle Dyeing material fees are due today. PayPal payments must be sent using the "Sending to a Friend" option so that the guild gets the entire amount. Members using PayPal are responsible for making up for shortages caused by PayPal fees.

### **Announcements**

Next year is the 50th anniversary of the Maryland Sheep and Wool Show. Anyone interested should start making reservations to stay in the area soon.

The meeting ended at 10:15am and the Great Auction began.

**Events for your Calendar** (\* indicates events we provide spinning demonstrations)  
June 11-12, 2022 CNY Fiber Arts 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	Sheep Breed Bingo
April 16, 2022	Shetland Sheep with Deb Robson (Zoom)
April 30, 2022	Fiber Frolic at Beaver Lake Nature Center
May 21, 2020	Guild Auction
June 18, 2022	Bundle Dyeing Workshop
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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