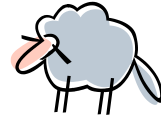


# WOOL GATHERINGS...



## *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 September 17th, 2022, 10:00 AM**  
**Grace Episcopal Church**  
**Baldwinsville, NY**

### **Welcome to New Members, Pot-Luck Lunch and Market Day**

*Hostess: Joyce Lock, Treats: Sue Jones, Angela Mann*

For the Pot-Luck Lunch, bring a dish to pass along with your table setting.

For Market Day, members bring items to sell - fiber related, food, plants, etc. Non-members may also bring items but need to pay a \$20 fee to the guild.

**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  
Liverpool, NY 13088

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.

Congratulations to Jean Tyo, Christina Rotondo and Elaine Salvetti for their awards in the **NYS Fair Spinning competitions**. You can find the results at <https://nysfair.ny.gov/wp-content/uploads/2022/09/2022-Arts-and-Crafts-results.pdf>.

**October's Breed Experience** will be Cotswold from Robin Nistock of Nistock Farm. Four ounce bags of fiber will be available for distribution at the September meeting so that we

can discuss the spinning experience at the October meeting. And this time, there are four different colorways!! Come early for best selection.

Vice President Nicole Massenzio is looking for suggestions for classes and speakers for the upcoming guild year.

### **AUGUST MEETING**

There was no business meeting.

Treasurer's Report: the current Guild balance is \$6,126.78.

### **Announcements**

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

September 10, 2022	Indie Dyers Spectrum, Allegany, NY
September 10-11, 2022	Endless Mountains Fiber Festival, New Milford, PA
September 24-25, 2022	Adirondacks Wool and Arts Festival, Greenwich, NY
September 24-25, 2022	Weaving Weekend, Farmers' Museum, Cooperstown, NY*
October 1, 2022	WNY Fiber Arts Festival, East Aurora, New York
October 8-9, 2022	Little York Fall Fiber Arts Festival, Preble, NY
October 15-16, 2022	New York Sheep and Wool Festival, Rhinebeck, NY
November 4-6, 2022	Northeast Handspinners Association Gathering, Danvers, MA
November 5-6, 2022	Fiber Festival of New England, West Springfield, MA

#### **2022-2023 Calendar and Program Plan** (at the church unless otherwise noted)

September 17, 2022	Welcome to New Members, Luncheon, Market Day
October 22, 2022	Cotswold Breed Study
November 19, 2022	Charity Knit and Crochet
December 17, 2022	Holiday Party
January 21, 2023	Roc Day Celebration
February 18, 2023	TBD
March 18, 2023	Guild Auction
April TBD, 2023	TBD
April TBD, 2023	Fiber Frolic at Beaver Lake Nature Center
May 20, 2023	TBD
June 17, 2023	Guild Picnic
July 15, 2023	Open Spin, Onondaga Lake Park
August 19, 2023	Open Spin, Onondaga Lake Park
August 26-27, 2023	Guild Weekend at the NYS Fair Wool Center

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