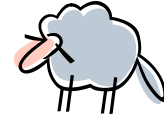


WOOL GATHERINGS...



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 November 19th, 2022, 10:00 AM
Grace Episcopal Church
Baldwinsville, NY

Charity Knit and Crochet

Hostess: Gail Roemer, Treats: Christina Rotondo, Cindy Green

Bring your knitting needles and crochet hooks, patterns and yarn to craft items for local charities. Yarn should be acrylic or a very washable wool blend. Cold weather is coming and hats, scarves, mittens, etc are very much needed and appreciated by our less fortunate neighbors.

Sue Jones is bringing the knitting machine that several of you used to make hats at the October meeting. Nicole Massenzio will provide some yarn, but you are welcome to bring your own to crank a hat to donate. If you already have completed items, bring them, Christina Tartaro will distribute them to the various organizations.

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. **Dues must be paid by the November meeting to maintain active member status.** 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 goldenfleece spinners@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.

OCTOBER MEETING

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Nicole Massenzio, standing in for President Jill Robinson at 10:20 AM.

Treasury Report: \$6,480.78 balance

Signup sheet for treats and hostessing is on the front table. There are several openings that need to be filled. Name tags are up front. If you do not have one, please let an officer know so we can make one for you.

GFSS Logo Clothing Report: Linda Brust found a company in Cato who can take care of our needs. She was provided with numerous samples which she passed around along with both our existing logo and a logo suggested by the company. They have shirts that drape in more flattering and comfortable ways than previous shirts and a range of colors. They also can do all the usual jackets, vests, bags, etc. Please think about what you want so she can put in a good-sized order. Thank you Linda for stepping up.

Charity Knitting in November: Christine Tartaro will be collecting for Clear Paths for Veterans and St Joseph the Worker food cupboard. She reminds us that Clear Path for Veterans includes female veterans and families of veterans, so a wide range of items is needed. The last collection will be the Knitting Guild meeting the second Saturday of December at Grace Episcopal Church. Items should preferably be machine washable and dryable.

Announcements

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

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	Skill Sampler, 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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