

February 12th. 2024

From our President:

When I was quite young, about five years old, I watched as my mom jumped up to her feet to help an elderly lady get into her wheelchair. I watched as my mom took her time helping to make sure the white haired “old lady” didn’t fall. After she was shifted around and comfortable she looked up at my mom and said to her, “you are truly an angel”. I thought, she’s not an angel she’s my mom! It wasn’t till I was older that I understood what the older lady meant when she called my mom “an angel!”

As I’m sure we all know, occasionally in life, at one time or another we find ourselves in the midst of an unanticipated crisis that can be a mild inconvenience or a true adversity. During such difficult times, we often are blessed to encounter one of those special individuals who instinctively rush to offer their support, assistance or compassion.

As the years came and went I witnessed many, many experiences when my mom was a true angel to others and I wanted more than ever to be just like her.

As we sojourn in this life, I hope we will all pause long enough to be mindful of the kindness’s shown to us and look for the many ways we can give those big and small “acts of daily kindness.”

Happy Valentine’s 🇪🇺 Day to all of you wonderful guild members!

Kind thoughts to all,
ChristyAsay

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PROGRAM

Kathleen Waln will be presenting her 'Crazy Quilt Recycled' lecture and Trunk Show for us to be inspired and enjoyed.



Questions for Rona: Please check the roster for contact.

SMALL GROUP MEETINGS :

Weave Structures: We are discussing Lace weaves and Quigley for our topic. The next meeting is Monday, February 5th. at 10:00 am. Owing to bad weather the meeting may be via zoom so please contact Deborah for further information. Normally if you would like to attend as a guest, please let her know (her contact is in the roster). Held on the 1st Monday of the month.

Spinning: Set for the 3rd Monday of the month at 10-12 Noon at the University Community Center Association Clubhouse, 4530 Sandburg Way, Irvine, CA 92612.

Please [RSVP](#) to Susan. Please check roster for contact

by the Friday prior, if you plan to attend. 😎

Tapestry: Tapestry group is the 4th Monday of the month at Margaret's house. February 26th. Please [RSVP](#) to let her know.

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Hospitality:

Please feel free to bring your own drink.

Equipment: Please look for the list of items that will be for sale at our Guild Meeting. Plus there will be a request for members to house one or two items that we wish to keep, spreading the load of just one person having to keep it all. Thanks for participating in this need. Deborah.

LIBRARY:

The Guild Library is still available for browsing by appointment with either of our two librarians. Rosalie has all the DVD's and Magazines. Co-chair Deborah has all the books and equipment (looms etc.). Visit the library online at <http://www.scwsg.org/librarytools>

Please contact Rosalie or Deborah to confirm an appointment time. Contact info in the roster.

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MEMBERSHIP: New Form for 2023-24 :

SCWSG Membership Application Form:

The deadline to be included in the yearbook is **September 15, 2023**.

We are offering three categories of yearly membership:

Regular: \$25-49 *Sponsor:* \$50-99 *Sustaining:* \$100+

Members over 80 years of age are complimentary. Cont'd

If you wish to NOT be acknowledged as a Sponsor or Sustaining member, please write "Anonymous" or "ANON" on the memo line of your check.

Please print and complete this form. Return it with your dues to Marian at the September 11 meeting. **South Coast Weavers and Spinners Guild.**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Please indicate which committees/activities or small group you are interested in participating in.

Committees:

___ Programs

___ Arts Center Fair

___ Education/Outreach/social media

___ Historian

___ Hospitality

___ Incentives

___ Library

___ Membership

___ Newsletter

___ OC Fair

___ Parliamentarian

Small Groups:

___ Small looms & Tapestry

___ Spinning

___ Weave Structure

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and Spinners Guild**

www.scwsg.org

Queries to Marian. In roster

____Sale Table (December auction)

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Social Media Show and Tell:

Please do post pictures of whatever you are working on at:

The Guild Facebook page : Group name is **South Coast Weavers & Spinners.**

Instagram: #southcoastweaversandspinnerguild, #scwsg

Our Guild Website: www.scwsg.org

For inspiration, participation and the joy of seeing your works we might not get to see!

HGA: Handweavers Guild of America offers an interesting new program 'Tea & Textiles' where you can sign up for these weekly on-line talks. You do need to be a member of HGA. But after it has aired you can view the conversation via their Facebook page, directions are at HGA website.

tatterbluelibrary.com is an interesting website for the library of antique embroidery, and sewing objects concerning all things textile, plus the research library collected by Jordana M Martin, the

granddaughter of Edith Wyle, founder of the Craft and Folk Art Museum in LA.

Southern California Handweavers' Guild: <http://www.schg.org>

Bobbinwinders Weaving Guild: bobbinwinders.org

Handweavers Guild of America: <https://weavespindye.org>

The Textile Society of America :

<https://textilesocietyofamerica.org>

The Antique Gas & Steam Engine Museum in Vista. Please check for updates per their website: **<http://vistafiberartsfiesta.yolasite.com>**

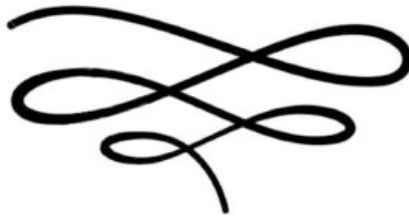
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handwovenmagazine.com; spinoffmagazine.com;
pieceworkmagazine.com

Google Arts and Culture, We Wear Culture:

This site is a great resource, amazingly informative where you can virtually visit many Art Museums, learn of the origin stories behind what we wear including how they are made from thread, dye and weave:

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