WILLIAMSBURG SPINNERS AND WEAVERS GUILD P.O. BOX 2086

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http://Williamsburgspinweave.org
October 2008

Meeting: Monday, October 20, 10:00 am (9:30 am social time) to 1:00 pm, in Room C in the James City County Recreation Center, 5301 Longhill Road, Williamsburg.

Program: Sharon Davis will present a program on card weaving. Refreshments will be provided by Jane Gustafson (sweet) and Sandi Petty (savory).

Upcoming Programs:

November: Beth Palmer on Liturgical Weaving and other Double Weaves

December: Fashion Show and Holiday Gift Exchange

Bash: The Bash will be held at Birdie Burton's house on October 6. Call Birdie at 757-564-8846, if you plan to attend.

Events outside our Guild:

Montpelier Fiber Fest, October 4-5 (Rosalie Brown will have a booth) Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival Feb. 26-March 1, 2009

Website: If you would like to add to the guild website http://williamsburgspinweave.org please contact Dave Banks at dfbanks@earthlink.net

October Birthday: None on our roster. Please let me know if I missed you.

Officers:

President: Judy Mooers Vice President: Bob Hecker Ass't Vice President: Jerry Smith

Secretary: Beth Palmer Treasurer: Ingrid Kross

WSWG Minutes for September 15, 2008

The meeting was called to order at 10 am at Williamsburg Unitarian Universalist Church, 3051 Ironbound Road by President Judy Mooers. We welcomed guests Sharon Alderman, Peggy Sue Truett from Richmond and Dee Thomas from New Kent. Peggy and Dee joined us for the Sharon Alderman workshop.

Minutes from the August meeting were approved as printed in the newsletter. The treasurer reports that we have \$2,905.33 in our checking account.

The October bash will be held at Birdie Burton's home in Williamsburg.

Refreshments: Jane Gustafson (sweet) and Sandi Petty (savory); remember that we need to have low-maintenance snacks.

Events Outside our Guild:

Virginia State Fair – opens Sept. 25; Jerry Smith will accept our entries today and deliver them to the fair

Montpelier Fiber Festival – October 5 & 6; Rosalie Brown will have a booth Mid-Atlantic Quilt Festival – Feb. 26 to March 1, 2009

Programs: Bob reviewed the schedule for the remainder of 2008. In October, Sharon Davis will do a program on card weaving. In November, Beth Palmer will do a program on liturgical weaving using double weave. In December we will have a fashion show and gift exchange. Bob announced that the calendar for 2009 is wide open.

New Business:

Rosalie Brown, Alice Noyes, and Beth Palmer agreed to serve on the nominating committee for new officers.

Show and Tell:

Alice Noyes -- wall hanging for the VA State Fair

Sandy Petty -- handwoven jacket for the VA State Fair

Pam Franck -- sample baby blanket

Barbara Frey -- start of a mohair scarf

Judy Mooers -- projects for handspun, handspun silk, and bags woven in complementary doubleweave

Charlotte Headley -- socks knit with handspun yarn

Sharon Alderman presented the program "It's Not in the Book" to the entire guild. Fifteen weavers stayed for the 2 1/2 day workshop "Understanding Weave Structures" with Sharon Alderman.

Members Present:

Linda Adamchak, Dave Banks, Virginia Banks, Rosalie Brown, Mary Lou Burns, Shawn Clarke, Jeff Cleveland, Julie Colby, Pam Franck, Barbara Frey, Dolly Gaus, Charlotte Headley, Bob Hecker, John Janson, Ingrid Kross, Judy Mooers, Alice Noyes, Beth Palmer, Jerry Smith

Respectfully submitted by Beth A. Palmer