

Sample Schedule

We need volunteers for weaving, dyeing, and spinning samples for the newsletter. Hopefully we will always have a weaving, spinning, and dyeing sample for each newsletter. As you can see there are still some holes left in the sign up sheet. If we don't have volunteers, then we won't have samples that month. If you would like to volunteer, please let sample chairperson know.

For weaving, we need two (2) samples (6" x 6" minimum, 8" x 10.5" maximum). For spinning we need two (2) samples which need to be butterflies approximately 4 yards long. The two (2) dyeing samples may be on fiber or handwoven cloth. So the size of the sample will depend on the media.

The newsletter editor needs digital photos of the sample for the newsletter. Please save the photos in .jpg format and e-mail them to editor@pikespeakweavers.org. If you do not want to take the digital photos yourself, please give or send the samples to the newsletter editor to take the photos. Please contact the newsletter editor to make arrangements for the photos.

Your weaving, spinning, and dyeing descriptions need to be given, mailed, or emailed to the newsletter editor, at (editor@pikespeakweavers.org). The sample chairperson will print the descriptions from the newsletter for the sample notebooks in the library. If you have other information for the sample notebooks, please give it to the sample chairperson at a meeting.

SAMPLE SCHEDULE:

<u>Month</u>	<u>Month Due</u>	<u>Weaving</u>	<u>Spinning</u>	<u>Dyeing</u>
May	Apr	Dottie Weir	Gretchen Kantor	Dottie Weir
Jun	May	Doreen McLaughlin	Chris Race	Cozy Swickard
Sep	Aug			

Intermountain Weaver's Conference Basket by Doreen McLaughlin

We have received a basket from Linda Lugenbill and now we need to begin collecting new or "like new" items to put in it. The IWC raffle monies go toward providing scholarships for weavers, spinners, dyers, and felters to attend the conference held at Fort Lewis College every two years. Since the IWC is a non-profit organization, all donations are tax deductible. I will be collecting items for the basket at the April and May meetings. Although we do not have a "theme" for our basket, we will be focusing on having items that represent our interests such as weaving accessories, spinning fiber and tools, yarn, dyes or dyeing items, and felting-related stuff.

If you have something you'd like to donate, but can't get it to me at our regular guild meeting, just give me a call at (719) 481-4303 or send an email to doreen@divide.net, and I'll arrange to pick it up.



Hospitality

We are now planning for the 2011-2011 Guild year, so get ready to sign up and show off your culinary skills. THANKS for all who have contributed this year!

Apr 2011 - Catie Kiley, Emily Jones, Weldon Walker
May 2011 - emma greek, Judy Gearhart, Judi Arndt
Sep 2011 -