

## Meeting Minutes by Carol Stewart (cont.)

Standing Committee Reports: **Advertising**, Emily Jones reminded us of a 15% discount at White Rabbit Beads. **Demonstrations** Peggy Doney was warping meat trays for the December demonstration at the Pioneers Museum. They are for children to have an experience with weaving and something they can take home. One focus of the guild is community education. **Hospitality** Barb Byerly will be purchasing more supplies. **Library** Deb Scott reported that we have Jane Patrick's book in the library. We also have the calendar made Handweavers Guild of Pueblo. The calendar was donated by Heather Hubbard. **Newsletter** Doreen McLaughlin reminded members of the deadline for submissions. She would like people to send more pictures. Members are asked to let the editor know if she can edit articles or if they would like to have it send back to them with suggestions. If articles are to be sent back for corrections or clarification, they should be sent in well before the deadline. **Samples** Catie Kiley still needs a couple more members to sign up for a date. **Web site** will have new updates to the directory. **Yearbook** Susan Bowman still has a few that need to be picked up. **Major Workshop** reports there is one opening for the Rep Weave workshop in January. The drafts are available to be picked up.

**Old Business** none. **New Business** Colorado Weavers Day award will be \$150 award from our guild for an individual item. It will be the juror's choice. Our guild will have a table. Please have something from the last two years that is handwoven, handspun or hand dyed to be displayed. There was a reminder that the Show and Tell table can contain items that are shown even if the maker does not have to tell about it This is also a time when people can "tell" even if there is nothing to show. It was suggested that members bring items that may not have worked out well. They are learning experiences. **Announcements:** The Alternative Fair netted over \$55+ thousand dollars. Colorado Weavers Day registration will start the 1<sup>st</sup> of January. It will be May 19, 2012 in Golden. There are 3 members who have participated in the Studio Tour. Front Range Fiber Artists sale. **Show and Tell**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:10am The Program by Jane Patrick and workshop followed.

## NORTHERN LIGHTS NEWS by Deb Scott

### NORTHERN LIGHTS PILLOW FIGHT -T3

The Northern Light's challenge for the year was announced in September and the details were published in the October newsletter.

It is all about words! Make a pillow that is inspired by text- that is, inspired by the written word. Find your inspiration in a book, a saying, a phrase or a word.

Pillow may be any size, but must be made of 50% handwoven or 50% handspun materials. The entry form will ask you to name your inspiration and also give a name to the texture of your pillow.

Each and every entrant will receive a gift just for entering. Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd ,3rd and Honorable Mention. Judging to take place at the May Guild meeting. Any questions, contact Debra Scott.

