

Thank You

Living With Beauty: Handwoven Textiles for the Home

With the exhibit opening just a few short weeks away, we want to extend our thanks to all members of the Pikes Peak Weavers Guild for their support on this project over the last two years. Without everyone's support and generous donations, this exhibit would never have happened. We know that you have shared our enthusiasm for this project and that the exhibit will be fabulous!

Judi Arndt, Debbi Holdeman and Sandy Hutton had the original idea of a juried show in conjunction with the coverlet exhibit. The entire coverlet documentation committee met and came up with a name and a theme for the exhibit. Sandy, Judi and others on the committee helped us to narrow down our choices for a juror for the exhibit.



Lynne Gnaizda, Marilyn Hoisington and Karen Smith of the Handweavers Guild of Pueblo shared with us their planning experiences for the juried show they had sponsored in Pueblo. The HGP members will provide an award with a cash value of \$350.

Cozy Swickard and Stephanie Powell spent many hours designing a logo and helping to develop the prospectus. Sandy Hutton and Karen Pierce provided valuable inputs related to the prospectus. Cozy created a publicity plan, and Deb Lane helped us notify publishers and guilds.

Jane Rock created the beautiful and useful LWB web page, developed the design and layout for the catalog, and offered her photography expertise for members' entries.

Judi Arndt secured the venue at the Business of Art Center and will assist in hanging the exhibit. Holly Parker at the Business of Art Center worked with us to plan the exhibit and made helpful suggestions about catalog design software.

Linda Shaffer, Karen Currier, Louise Conner, Judy Arndt, Peggy and Rich Bowman, Claudia and Bob Birdsall and all the people who donated and purchased items at the event at Susan's house in October, 2006 were instrumental in making the fund raiser a success.

Peggy Bowman and Lynne Lovett designed, dyed, wove and beaded ribbons for the PPWG award winners.

Heather Hubbard developed the historical description of weaving that will be distributed while the exhibit is on display. Karen Pierce will help distribute catalogs during the opening reception to the members who pre-ordered them. Diane Fabeck created a list of lodging recommendations in Manitou Springs for anyone traveling there to see the exhibit.

We also want to thank our juror, Betsy Blumenthal, who has been a joy to work with.

We can hardly wait to see the spectacular weaving in this exhibit and hope to see everyone at the opening on Friday, June 13th, 5-8 pm!

Susan Bowman and Beverly Weaver