Guild Business by Emily Jones (cont.)

Committee chairpersons:

Website Jane Rock

Newsletter Doreen McLaughlin

Major Workshop Heidi Bates

Library emma greek & Debra Scott

Yearbook Marisa McMillen Advertising emma greek

Demonstrations Beth Garrison & Barb Byerly

Publicity Deb Lane Samples Robin Wilton

Hospitality

Robin Wilton made a motion that we accept by acclamation the slate of officers and committee chairpersons. The motion was seconded and passed. Announcements: Robin W. circulated a sign up sheet for weaving, spinning or dyeing samples for the upcoming year. Volunteers for the children's tent at Estes Park are still being encouraged for June 13-14, 2009 at the Estes Park Wool Festival. Heidi Bates circulated a form for input from members with their suggestions for the major workshop. Susan B. asked that members bring ideas to the September 2009 business meeting on the guild's focus for 2009/2010. Gail Necker announced there is one opening still available at the Colorado Basketmakers Guild 3-day workshop series with Mary Hettmensperger. Sally Kuhn announced that Colorado Weaver's Day is May 16, 2010. This event is located at the Glenn Miller Ballroom at CU near the end of the exhibit of the Navajo textiles from the Joe Van Wheat Collection at CU. More information will be available at the September guild meeting. Weldon W. presented Linda S. with a gift from the guild to show our appreciation for a job well done as president of the guild over the past two years. After show and tell, the meeting adjourned at 10:45 a.m.

PPWG Board Update from Susan Bowman

Anne Vickrey Evans agreed to be co-librarian with Debra Scott for the coming year; emma greek had to resign, as she will be going to Sweden for 6 months to attend a weaving school. Thanks a lot Anne for stepping in! Anne and Debra live in Woodland Park and Monument, respectively, and with weather conditions, travel schedules, etc, may not be able to be at the church by 9:00 am on some meeting days, so those of us that arrive early will need to fill in when that happens, which won't be a problem.

With emma's resignation, a new Advertising Chairperson is needed. Advertising income of approximately \$700 per year helps offset operating expenses related to things like the web site server, programs and church rental. This equates to about \$9 per member that doesn't need to be added to membership dues.

What's Involved When You Are The Advertising Chairperson?

A standard letter and list of potential advertisers is already available, making this ultra easy for whoever volunteers. The new Chairperson can decide whether to call, mail, or drop off information to potential advertisers. Checks are forwarded to the treasurer and ad copy is sent to the newsletter and directory editors. Simplification is encouraged! Most of the work is completed by August 20th (deadline for Sept Newsletter) since advertisers have generally paid by then for an entire year's worth of advertising. A few one-time only ads may come up during the year. Please contact me or other board members to volunteer.

For those of you new to the board, our usual way of organizing for the upcoming year is to have a board meeting over lunch sometime late in the summer. I'm looking at setting it up during the first two weeks of August, and in July will email out several possible meeting dates to find the best fit for schedules. Also, in order for our treasurer, Emily, to get a budget together by September, she will be looking for proposed budgets from board members a week before the meeting.