

# March Program by Ellen Alderson

Program “**History of the Distaff**” Lecture will begin around 11. Our social time begins around 9:00 am, followed by our business meeting, and then the program. **All are welcome!** After a short lunch break, Mr. Kennedy will present our **mini-workshop: “Use of the Distaff for the Handspinner.”** Workshop will begin around 1 pm.

As stated above our program will be on the **historic and various ethnic uses of the distaff**, a tool for holding a spinner’s fiber while she spins. Following his program, and a time for lunch, he will present an **afternoon workshop at the church on the use of the distaff**. Supplies will include a distaff for each participant to keep!



**See our guild contract for participants on page 2 as well as the list of those expressing interest in this workshop** below. Please download the contract and send with your **full payment of \$15** for the workshop to: **Ellen Alderson, 12835 Myrick Road, Colorado Springs, CO. 80908. Make checks payable to PPWG and please write “Kennedy wksp” on your check!**

**Questions?** email me at **pyrartlady@yahoo.com** or phone: land line: **719-495-6713 (leave a message.)** If you signed our “interest list” and find you will not be taking the workshop, please email me, so I know not to wait for your contract and check. Those participating will be sent particulars about the workshop including supplies and additional fees due to Mr. Kennedy for materials. The idea for this program and workshop was suggested by Celia Quinn on her visit to us. We hope all will agree it is a good one! [Photo courtesy of Mineola League of the Arts, with permission]

**Here is the list of those who signed up for: Norman Kennedy Afternoon Workshop March 1, 2011 at 1 p.m. “Use of the Distaff for the Handspinner”**

|     | <b>Name</b>       | <b>Contact Info</b>             | <b>Fee Pd - \$15</b> |
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WAIT LIST: You will be contacted if those above withdraw or fail to send their workshop fee within a timely manner. **Do email if you are interested in participating in this workshop.** Typically a number of folks who express interest in workshops find they cannot participate and openings become available.

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| 16. | Bob Bosscher | rj.bosch@gmail.com |  |
| 17. | Kathy Albi   | albithere11@ms.com |  |

Note: An additional amount will be due for Mr. Kennedy the day of the workshop to cover supplies and materials, including a distaff!