

Notes from the President by Beverly Weaver

I want to thank all my Board members and the nominating committee members for this year and last year for being willing to take on tasks for the good of PPWG and its members. Without the work of volunteers, our guild would cease to function.

We have had a lot of great programs and mini-workshops over the last two years, and I think we have all learned something new. Those of us who took the natural dyeing workshop with Donna Brown came home with some exciting yarns. The weaving major workshops with Michael Rohde and Rosalie Neilson were wonderful opportunities to study with internationally recognized instructors. In addition, everyone who took the spinning workshop with our own (and soon to be internationally known) Peggy Doney talked about what a fantastic learning experience that was. Our guild has demonstrated weaving, spinning and dyeing at the Rock Ledge Ranch and at the Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum to introduce children of all ages to the age-old techniques for making cloth. I am satisfied that we have met our mission, which is to educate our members and the public about weaving, spinning and dyeing.

Thanks again, and KEEP ON WEAVING (and spinning and dyeing).

Nominating Committee Slate of Officers and Committee Chairs

Officers:

President: Anne Vickery Evans

1st VP: Edna Devai

2ndVP: Leslie Parker

Recording Secretary: Debra Scott

Treasurer: Sandra Hutton

Membership Secretary: Mary Madison

Committee Chairs:

Advertising: Emily Jones

Demonstrations: Peggy Doney

Hospitality: ?

Library: Stacy Holder, ?

Workshop (Tapestry): Debra Scott, Carole Stewart

(Ply split braiding): Sally Kuhn, Beverly weaver

Newsletter: Doreen McLaughlin

Publicity: Linda Shaffer

Samples: Audrey "Catie" Kiley

Website: Jane Rock Costanza

Yearbook: Susan Bowman

We still need someone for Hospitality and an additional person for the Library. If anyone is interested in filling one of these positions, please contact Anne Vickery Evens, Heather McLaren, or Linda Shaffer. A nomination from the floor for Weldon Walker for President was made at the April meeting.

Thank you to everyone that has accepted a guild position for next year.