# October 2012 Newsletter

# Monthly Meeting ~ Wed, October 10, 2012 @ 7pm



We meet at Old Mission United Methodist Church, 5519 State Park Rd, Fairway, KS 66205. The north door of the church is closest to the meeting room.

Donations for the church food pantry are a welcome way to give back for the use of the meeting room.

### **Inclement Weather Policy**

When schools and public events are closed, due to weather, guild meetings will not be held that month.

### **October Program**

Sandy Cahill will present Double Weave



### **Creative Hand News**

More information can be seen on our website:

www.creativehandkc.org

### **Mentoring Program**

### Need a Mentor?

Bobbin Lace, Crochet (including beginning, intermediate, interpreting old patterns, lace), Dying Yarn, Historic Clothing, Knitting (including beginning, socks, beginning lace knitting, knitting in the round, multiple needles and circulars, knitting socks two at a time toe up and top down), Sewing (including beginning, sewing hand wovens, intermediate, fitting, pattern alterations, matching fabric and pattern, interpreting old patterns), Spinning on Drop Spindle, Tatting (including beginning, with beads, advanced techniques, old patterns), Weaving. Please contact Stephanie Smith psunflwr@hotmail.com if you need a mentor, or are willing to help someone in the guild. Free meeting space available at Fabric Recycles if needed. Contact Page Burns, 913-385-0614 to schedule time.

### October Guild Newsletter Deadline

The newsletter is a great way to find out more about upcoming workshops and artist opportunities, to sell things you no longer need, to do a little bragging...and more. Get your voice heard! Please submit information for the November 2012 newsletter to me (your newsletter editor), Page Burns, by October 18th (customerservice@fabricrecycles.com or fabric-recycles@att.net). If your email changes...please let me know!! Be sure to give the old address as well as the new one.

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#### **Upcoming Fiber Events**

### 2012 National Goat Expo - October 7-11, 2012

This is the first ever National Goat Expo for all breeds of Dairy, Meat, and Fiber Goats showing and being under one roof, well two barns in a 5 day event. There will be everything from Boers, kikos, all dairy breeds, to angora, cashmere, pygora, nigerians, and mini breeds. Not only will there be showing for the different breeds of goats, but there will be meetings, seminars, classes, clinics, demos, and 4H and FFA activities and shows for the kids. There will also be a 4H and FFA auction, a Premier Breeders Auction, and silent auctions being bid on throughout the week. We are also having spinning, knitting, and weaving how toos that we are looking for sponsors for. We are having I-2 advanced 3 hr spinning classes and we have alot of interest in these, but we are now looking for someone to do them, as health issues arose with the lady that was going to do the classes for us. I have been working on this for a few years now and have formed a wonderful BOD as well as committee members working with

### The Weaver's Guild

Meetings are on the second Thursday of each month at 10am Rose Room at Loose Park 5200 Wornall Road Kansas City, MO 64112

If you're in the Fiber Guild, you're welcome to attend Weaver's Guild meetings!!

Be sure to check out their website: www.kcweaversguild.org

me on this wonderfully huge event. More information about goats needs to reach more people across the US so that they can see the importance and uses of goats and that they are important. I am contacting you today to see if you would be interested in being involved with the National Goat Expo. There are many options of sponsors, donations, and ways to be involved with and at the NGE. I would love to have Fiber Guild of Greater Kansas City involved with the National Goat Expo. We have quite a few different options for sponsorships, vendors, donations, class sponsors, seminar sponsors, etc. If you would be interested in helping out with the NGE please let me know and I would enjoy talking with you more about the NGE.

For more information about the National Goat Expo you can visit our website at <a href="www.nationalgoatexpo.org">www.nationalgoatexpo.org</a>, you can also reach me at <a href="mailto:president@nationalgoatexpo.org">president@nationalgoatexpo.org</a>

Jen Parrish, Oquawka, IL, National Goat Expo- President, PNP Nutrition (livestock)(specializing in Cattle & Goats) http://pnpnutritionandbreedingservices.weebly.com, http://parrishfarms.weebly.com http://www.nationalgoatexpo.org (official Site)

### Creative Hand Sale, November 16-17, 2012

We now have application, guidelines, and committee sign-up forms available on the Fiber Guild website and the Weavers Guild website. Just follow the tabs for "Creative Hand" from the home page. Debbie Youngdahl and Vicky Tramposh have both been working to update the Fiber Guild website and Vicky deserves a hearty THANK YOU! for making this information available to Creative Hand Artists in a short amount of time. Just a reminder that the early bird deadline for applications is July 31st; Limited production is \$10 for 5 pieces or less and Full production is \$50 for any number of items. Then July 31 till October 16, the fees are \$15 for Limited production and \$75 for Full production. October 16th is the last day we will be able to accept applications to allow us time to jury everyone. Those who have already submitted application forms with their fee will be contacted regarding jurying of a sample of their products for Creative Hand. We will schedule to coinside with the classes at Fabric Recycles next to Michaels at 91st & Metcalf in Overland Park, KS. We are all looking forward to a great sale this year! Laura Mayes, laura.mayes06@gmail.com, cell 913-626-5898

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### Links to share

Yarn Barn Classes Click Here

Etsy Success: The Basics of Pricing with Danielle and Michelle <a href="http://www.etsy.com/community/online-labs">http://www.etsy.com/community/online-labs</a>

KCVLAA is a nonprofit, 501(c)(3) organization that provides legal and accounting assistance to qualifying artists and arts organizations from all creative disciplines. Our ArtSmarts program provides seminars in arts law to help artists avoid common pitfalls in their professional arts careers. <a href="http://www.kcvlaa.org/">http://www.kcvlaa.org/</a>

### **Guild Classifieds**

Email the details & a picture of the items you are wanting to sell to customerservice@fabricrecycles.com.

This listing will be deleted every newsletter to ensure items are available month to month.

- I am having a show/sale of my artwork and collection of textiles. I would be willing to do a preview for K.C textile artists if you think that would be appreciated. Oct 11, 4-8pm, Oct 12, 2-8pm, Oct 13, 12-5pm. 4348 Locust St, Kansas City, MO 64110 Jasonpollen41@gmail.com, 816-560-5051
- I was hoping to find some information about selling or donating some of my dyes and supplies. If you can forward this email or give me a call I would appreciate it. I have way too many supplies and I am trying to get rid of some of my hobbies. I am getting rid of all my dyes, chemicals and supplies. Some of the dyes are old, but I have a ton. Sarah Cartner, 816-807-1456