



THE WOOLPACK WATCH

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Presidents Message

Dear Fellowspinners,

It is already February and I am amazed at how fast the year is passing. If any one is attending Stitches in Santa Clara, California this month, we have a few vendors going from our woolpack. Make sure to stop by and see their booths and visit with them.

March is our annual dye exchange or spinners Christmas. Everyone who wants to participate dyes 2 pounds of spinnable fiber in our theme for the year.

Then when dyed, you separate the dyed fibers into 1 ounce bumps. Make sure you pull it apart, do not cut fiber with scissors. You will then package your 1 ounce bumps however you want to present to us at the March meeting. The theme this year is "The Flowers in My Garden". Everyone shares their fiber then and we all get 1 ounce of everyone else's fiber!

You will leave with all kinds of beautiful fiber that night.

To PREPARE for that night, this month we are discussing dyeing and how to go about it. We are still looking for presenters for February's meeting. If you don't mind sharing with the group about your method of dyeing and how you do it,

Please contact me so I can put you on the list

for that night. I am also hoping to have a vendor with white wool that night so you can purchase if you still need to! Excited to see you all!

Your President, Cheryl Stratton

please send responses to cstratt69@gmail.com



Vice Presidents Message

I am looking forward to dye exchange in March. The theme is "Flowers in my Garden", which is perfect for our mild weather that has me thinking about my garden this year. This guild meeting we have a few members talking about how they dye and have prepared for dye exchange.

A few dates to keep in mind....

Snake River Fiber

Arts Fair in Idaho Falls
May 15, 16, and 17
will be held at the Eastern Idaho Technical College

Great Basin Fiber Arts Fair
August 21st & 22nd
at the Equestrian Park in South Jordan

I am so excited to host our Workshop
March 19th, 20th, and 21st. Our classes filled up quickly. I have spoken with

Lonna and she is excited to teach.

Thank you to everyone who brought equipment to share in January. I brought home some great ribbon yarn from the stash exchange, thanks to all who participated.

-Jenny Ferguson



Spinning Saturday

NO ONE HAS SIGNED
UP FOR SPINNING
SATURDAY IN
MARCH

Please contact Kira if
you would like to host a
spinning Saturday.

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ANNOUCMENTS

NONE FOR NOW/



NEXT MEETING

February 18th 7:00
p.m.
(mingling at 6:30)

Thimbles & Threads
1221 S 900 E
Draper, UT
Basement



Directions: take the 12300 South exit from I-15 and head east to 900 East. Turn left and the store is on your right hand side before the street turns left



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