



Weaver's Bag

Statewide Meeting and Workshop

Unitarian Church 6876 South Highland Drive, (20th E)

Have you registered for the Biennial Statewide Meeting? If you haven't, you need to hurry as the time is fast approaching. April 23, 2004 will be here before you know it. The meeting offers a chance to renew old friendships and make new ones. It also offers a chance to learn new things. There will be a display of the work of participants—weaving, spinning, and surface design items. Don't delay—register now!

President's Message:

Hello to all you fiber persons. The weather we've been having doesn't make you want to sit inside to work on indoor fiber projects. Hopefully you've been able to find projects outside to meet your fiber needs and the desire to be in the warm out of doors.

The Statewide meeting will only be a short time away by the time you read your newsletter. I'm really looking forward to the Friday and Saturday (and Sunday, Monday Tuesday for workshop attendees) time we will have together. It is enjoyable to find out what everyone has been doing with their fiber time. We have some really fun programs planned. Hope to see you there.

Our May, June, and August programs have not been finalized. We'll keep you posted as to what our programs will be. Look for the listing at the Statewide Meeting. Also our slate of officers for next year will be given at the Statewide Meeting. If you're interested in participating as a board member, please give Connie Denton a call. (801-943-4717)

A group of concerned fiber people is starting the process of rejuvenating the Pioneer Craft House. They are forming a committee of persons from all the guilds in and around Salt Lake (fiber and others) that wish to be members. The committee is very diverse and a lot of energy fills the air when we meet. The Granite School District will be an active and involved owner/member. I had never been to the Craft House and was amazed at what was once such a thriving place. I sure hope it becomes that again. The Guild has the opportunity to have a permanent "home", a place to meet and practice our craft and interface with others that have a passion for their crafts also. We'll keep you updated as to the status of the project.

That's enough for now. See you at the Statewide Meeting! And keep enjoying your springtime activities.

Julie

Statewide meeting registration form is on the guild web page:

www.MaryMeigsAtwaterWeaversGuild.org

On Your Way to Convergence:

The Rocky Mountain Weavers Guild, hosts of Convergence 2004, is mounting two exhibits at Denver International Airport (DIA) which will be easy for you to miss because of the location of the art area at DIA. The exhibits are to be mounted the third week in April and will run through July 5. One is a juried exhibit of fiberart items and the second is an educational exhibit aimed at the general public. The exhibit area is outside security on the walkway to A Concourse.

If you are driving from the south, don't forget to view "Road to Convergence"

at www.PikesPeakWeavers.org. You will want to visit many of these great

fiber opportunities if you're driving to Denver. Everyone in Colorado is looking forward to your visit. Sandy Hutton

www.MaryMeigsAtwaterWeaversGuild.org –more info

Guild Project – *The Recipe Book* The Mary Meigs Atwater *Recipe Book*. We are finishing up the photos of samples for the CD. If you have a sample to photograph, please contact Judie Eatough at judie@eatough.net or 801-375-5535.

DUES. To join the Weavers Guild, send \$30 to Treasurer: Charlene Lind, 2974 N 320 E, Provo, UT 84604, clind@juno.com

Guild Looms and equipment. Please contact Connie Denton if you would like to rent a guild loom or other equipment. 801-943-4717, cdenton222@aol.com A complete list of the guild's rentable equipment will be available soon.

Weavers...

...don't forget that our guild show for March of 2005 is at Red Butte Garden and will reflect the guild challenge of using cellulose fiber—cotton, linen and soy. Red Butte is planning a correlating display of the plants that created the fibers we used in our show. Wouldn't it be wonderful if everyone had a piece in the show!!

Ads: See the web page for ads. If you would like an ad or link on the web page, contact Judie Eatough, judie@eatough.net.

Guild Library. Susan Hainsworth's home. 801-292-1169, shainsworth@networld.com Susan is willing to bring books to guild meeting. Partial list on web page.

Mary Meigs Atwater Weavers Guild Calendar:	
23-24 April 2004 Statewide meeting Unitarian Church 6876 South Highland Drive, (20th E), 25-27 April 2004 Workshop Michael Rhode will be the keynote speaker and workshop leader for the statewide meeting. http://www.michaelrohde.com/index.html 13 May 2004 TBD	27 June - July 3 2004 Convergence in Denver We're planning a get-together in Denver.
June 2004 Saturday (12 or 19), Kathy's meadow	TBD August 2004 Basket weaving at Julie's
2003 – 2004 Board	September 2004 With sheep dog trials. A 1-day workshop is being planned.
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