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## July 2025 Newsletter Humboldt Handweavers & Spinners Guild

Established 1971

<http://www.hhsguild.org/>

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Meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday  
(Feb, March, April, May, Sept, Oct, & Nov)

Board meeting begins at 5:30 PM

Social/Snack time at 6:45 PM

Program begins at 7:00 PM

### Calendar Of Upcoming Guild Events 2025

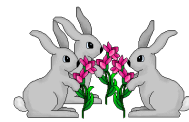
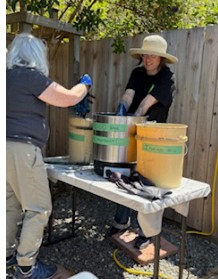
*Meetings are in-person at the Wharfinger Building  
in the downstairs Bay Room.*

**Aug 16-24 Humboldt County Fair**  
*Closed 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>*

**Sept 11 Mushroom Dyeing**  
**With Gina Glock**

**Oct 8 Felting**  
**with Kristy Kun**

**Nov 13 Wool Week in Scotland**  
**With Angelina Gregorio**



### HHSO Mentors

The guild has a new program that connects experienced fiber artists with newcomers who could use some help with their craft. Attached to the newsletter email is a list of mentors and the crafts they are offering to help others with. *Contact them directly at the emails provided.*

*\*\* Thanks to Angelina for making this project happen! \*\**

### Guild Dye Day

Pictures of fun at Dye Day!

Thanks to Linda Hartshorn for making it a fun and productive event!!



## Treasurer Report April 2025

### Income

Dues 2025 & later	\$ 35.63
Total	\$ 35.63

### Expenses

Program & mileage	\$558.00
Website	\$203.88
Photo archive software	\$75.00
Total	\$836.88

**Checking Balance** \$3,608.50



**Membership application at bottom of newsletter.**

\$35 for 1 year, \$70 for 2 years

**Dues can be mailed to:**

*Humboldt Handweavers & Spinners Guild  
PO Box 370, Arcata, CA 95518*



**From Rags to Rugs** weaving class at the Ink

People Center for the Arts

Instructor: Linda Hartshorn

6 sessions July 15, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, and 24 (Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for two weeks)

6-9 PM at the Weaving Studio

\$250 plus you will have to provide yarn and fabric. We will meet by appointment prior to class to plan projects.

Rag rugs are fun and easy! Weave two small rugs or one larger one in this class. Choose from one of the many plain weave variations, such as striped, clasped weft, and log cabin, or weave a twill rug. Learn different ways to prepare your rags, using new fabric or recycling old textiles. Finish your rug with a hem or plied fringe.

To register, contact Linda Hartshorn 707-599-2729, [linda@lindhartshorn.com](mailto:linda@lindhartshorn.com).



Sign-ups for NFF workshops are open!!

<https://naturalfiberfair.com/workshop-enrollment>

## Humboldt County Fair



**August 16 - 24**

(No fair on 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>)

**Sheep Shearing:** Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> after the sheep show.  
Outside Belotti Hall.

**Spinning Contest: Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> @ 4 PM**  
Belotti Hall

**Must sign up for contest online by July 14<sup>th</sup>.**

**Deadline for entering exhibits in fair is July 14<sup>th</sup>.**  
(Link to Exhibitor Guide is in newsletter email.)

The guild will have a booth at the fair and needs volunteers to demonstrate and greet visitors.

Shifts will be 12-4 and 4-8.

(Link to sign-up sheet is in newsletter email.)

Contact Becky @ [rebeccasalstrom@gmail.com](mailto:rebeccasalstrom@gmail.com) or 707-499-9267 if you have questions.

## Classified Ads and Notices

**Free:** I have over 40 happy Indigo seedlings needing a home. If someone wants to save them from the compost pile, let me know. [aeburroughs@gmail.com](mailto:aeburroughs@gmail.com) or 707 845-5758

**Free: Gilmore Double Back Beam** for 40" compact Gilmore loom or other.

*See flyer attached to newsletter email.*

**For Sale: Schact Baby Wolf and Wolf Pup**

Petaluma, CA

(see flyer attached to newsletter for more info.)

**For Sale: Mini Black Sheep**

Millville, CA

(see flyer attached to newsletter for more info.)

**For Sale:**

**Patrick Green Supercarder** Barely Used, \$3500

**Wool Picker** \$300

**Majacraft Gem** \$900

**Ashford Rigid Heddle Loom** with stand \$400.

**Contact:** 707-499-2150 [jamie.cohoon@yahoo.com](mailto:jamie.cohoon@yahoo.com)

**For Sale: Schact Table Loom**, 4 shaft, 15-inch weaving width. Like new condition, only used a few times in a class. Sturdy, lightweight and compact. Price is \$250 (these looms cost \$850 new). I have several available.

Linda [linda@lindahartshorn.com](mailto:linda@lindahartshorn.com) or 707-599-2729.



### **Help: Calling for Donations** **HHS needs fiber related items to sell**

The guild is having a booth at the Humboldt County Fair this year but is not selling anything at the fair. We have moved our fundraising efforts to the Natural Fiber Fair [September 6 and 7] where we will have a booth. What we earn helps fund scholarships, pay for meeting space and speakers.

So this is a call for those items! Spun, woven, knitted, crocheted, felted, eco-printed. Towels, scarves, placemats, afghans, skeins, hats, purses, pillows. What sells *very* well is dish towels, so if you have a spare loom and a stash, maybe put on a quick set of tea towels.

If you have things to donate, please contact:  
Joyce Lowrey (707) 601-3000



### **Guild Equipment Library** [List of Equipment on Website](#)

*Guild equipment is available for loan to members.*

Contact: Becky @ [rebeccasalstrom@gmail.com](mailto:rebeccasalstrom@gmail.com)

## Discount code for guild members!



Guild Affiliate Program 2024  
Humboldt Handweavers & Spinners Guild  
Coupon Code: HumboldtGuild2024



Use this code on our website to save  
5% on your order &  
earn 5% for your guild!  
[www.LunaticFringeYarns.com](http://www.LunaticFringeYarns.com)  
(800) 483-8749

[HHS Web Page](#)

[HHS Facebook Page](#)

[CNCH.org](http://CNCH.org)

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Find us on the web @ [www.hhsguild.org](http://www.hhsguild.org) . Current Newsletter & meeting details are available on the website.

Membership form ☐ Yes! I'd like to join Humboldt Handweavers & Spinners Guild

Name  Email\*\*

• Address  Phone

• City, State & Zip

\*\* By submitting your email address for inclusion on the Guild's membership list, you understand that this list may be freely used by all Guild members to communicate Guild messages and other fiber-related information, including the distribution of announcements by owners of fiber businesses who are Guild members.

Our newsletters are delivered by email in PDF format to all members with email addresses. Printed newsletters (without fliers or special announcements) are mailed to members without email or by request. Please mail printed version

Annual Dues are \$35. Collection process starts in September.

Make checks out to HHSG (not tax deductible).

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