

# SPRINGFIELD FIBER ARTISTS LOCATION: THE LIBRARY CENTER 4653 S. CAMPBELL AVE. SPRINGFIELD, MO July 17, 2024 - TIME: 6:30 P.M. IN THE AUDITORIUM

Hello Fiber Artists,

Yes, we just met this past Wednesday, but our next meeting is only 3 weeks away. It was good seeing everyone this past Wednesday. We had one new member join for our 2024-25 year. We want to welcome Deb Kell who brought a large bag of wonderful fibers to share with our members who love to spin. Thank you, Deb, I'm sure your generosity is greatly appreciated, and we welcome you to our guild.

We also want to thank Dianne Six who brough some wonderful books to give away. Any books that was not taken home will be donated to the Library book sale this fall. Thank you, Dianne.

#### HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT OUR JULY MEETING.

Bring your fiber article that will be displayed in the Library concourse display window during the month of August. Include a tag with your name, a description of the fiber piece, and the material in your fiber piece. You will be asked to fill out a SFA tag that will be attached to your fiber work. You will pick up your fiber piece at the September meeting.

If you have a large suitcase and won't need it for a couple of months, bring that to hold the numerous fiber pieces for the window. Marty and her committee with need 4-6 large suitcases to keep things dry and safe before hanging and for Pat's committee who will take down the pieces until September.

## "CHRISTMAS IN JULY" PROGRAM PRESENTED BY ANITA GRANT



Anita will be explaining and demonstrating the art Wet Felting a sphere and then Needle Felting the surface to create a holiday ornament. At the end of her program, we each will receive a felted ball that we will then needle felt our own holiday design on the surface. Fun Fun!

Please bring a sharp pair of scissors and a sharp tapestry needle.

#### DATES IN JULY FOR DIFFERENT FIBER OPPORTUNITIES

1. SHOW-ME GOURD SOCIETY (www.showmegourd society.org) June 29-30.

Location: Cowan Civic Center, 500 E. Elm, St. Lebanon, MO

#### 2. OZARK EMPIRE FAIR

We hope you enter your fiber arts in the fair this year. Our guild awards \$25 to someone in the "Weaving" category.....who knows, you could be this year's winner.

JUNE 25 is the deadline to register your fiber art.

July 13 is the date you drop off your fiber art.

The fair starts JULY 25 – AUGUST 3

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- 3. FIBER -U will be held in Lebanon this summer on JULY 20-21 (<u>www.Fiber</u>-U.com) Location: Cowan Civic Center,500 E. Elm, St. Lebanon, MO
- 4. RUG HOOKERS HOOK-IN is also JULY 20-21

Location: Branson Community Center

\$15 if pre-registered or \$20 at the door. The event has classes, displays, & vendors.

5. "FIBER CHRISTMAS IN JULY" will be in Kellyville, OK July 26-25

Email: fiberchristmas.com for details.

### NEW FIBER AND CRAFTS STORES IN THE AREA ARROW CREATIVE REUSE.ORG

A new store that opened recently at 1506 E. St. Louis, here in Springfield. They offer different fiber and craft classes, and have a wide variety of craft (some new and some recycled items for sale).

#### PHEONA'S FIBERS

A fiber store located at 167 NW Washington, in Billings, MO The hours are 10:00 a.m. -4:00 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays.

Many Thanks,

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