

Reed and Weave

Inland Empire Handweaver's Guild

April 1, 2011

IEHG MEETING CALENDAR

Mon, April 11.

Mini Workshops by Gail
Magic scarf's

Mon, May 9. . Lace Weaves

Presented by guild members.

**Mon, June 13. Outdoor
Fashion Show and Taco
Luncheon.**



Mini workshops

Magic Scarf with Gail

Date: April 11, 2010

Where: San Bernardino County Museum

2024 Orange Tree Lane, Redlands, CA

When: 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 ish.

Bring: Your Coffee cup, lunch and supplies for the workshop.

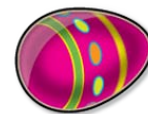
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SUPPLY LIST FOR The Magic Scarf

Novelty yarns- NO WOOL (if it shrinks when wet it will not be good for this project), ribbons, metallic yarns, small pieces of fabric,(silk, shear polyester), Petals from silk flowers, sewing thread, also metallic thread if you want, sewing shears, long pins (about 30-40), one bucket, your sewing machine with fresh needles, an extension cord, a light. (we are scheduled to be upstairs, but if not you may need extra light)

Material Fee – for water soluble material scarf length \$10.00 Please email or phone (909-985-8916) me to let me know if you are going to participate, So I can purchase enough of the water soluble base material .

Note: Much of the sewing must be completed before your piece can be transported home, plan on sitting at your sewing machine for an hour or so after you have designed the scarf. For sure we will all need to bring our lunches.



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Greetings from Gail

April 11th is just around the corner. Can't believe that our Guild challenge deadline is only three meetings away ! I feel like Alice in Wonderland running along saying "I'm late, I'm late for a very important date! I keep telling myself that right after the Studio 66 Retreat May 6-8, I'll be able to get back to my weaving. I have several very lonely looms waiting for my return. I admire those of you who are disciplined enough to dedicate a specific time to actually sitting at your loom and weaving. I must get better at that sort of thing.

Thank you to Brenda and Nanci for leading our workshops at the March meeting. We really have some fun programs and workshops coming up. Don't forget to make your reservation for the October workshop, with Diane Totten teaching Shibori pleated fabric on the loom. You won't want to miss out!

I'm pleased to have been invited to do my "Magic Scarf" with you all at the April meeting. Hope that you enjoy !

Happy weaving,

Gail



IEHG-WEST invites guild members to come join in the fun on Saturday April 2nd from 1-4:30. We will meet in Rancho Cucamonga (please contact Gail for directions). Brenda will present her Treasure Necklace, so if you missed out or want to do it again come join in as the group in the west gets to partake in the treat!

Of course, you are always welcome to bring your loom or spinning wheel and just have a good time. Nanci has offered to teach core spinning at a future meeting. So we have lots of great events on the horizon!

FOR MORE INFO:
Contact IEHG President
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www.iehg.org

Inland Empire Handweavers Guild

- ❖ **Meetings:** The second Monday of each month
- ❖ **When:** September through June at 9 a.m.
- ❖ **Place:** San Bernardino County Museum
2024 Orange Tree Lane, Redlands, CA
California St exit off the I-10
- ❖ **Dues:** \$20 per year

Come to a meeting as our guest, we welcome you.

April Refreshments will be deserts and snacks to accompany the personal lunches we will bring for the workshop.

April Volunteers are....

Camille Babcock
Sallie Scanzonie
Anita Holmes
Vicki Hughes

Thank you for volunteering!!



WEAVING & SPINNING CLASSES

Tri-Community Adult Ed. Weaving and Spinning classes in Covina, Mon & Tues 9 am - 3: 30 pm, Wed. 7-10pm. \$35 for a 12-week class. All equipment supplied, first project free yarn! 626-331-0682.

Riverside Spinners meet Tuesday mornings, 10 am-Noon at St. Michael's Episcopal Church in Riverside. Call Lynda Yoho, 951-351-4542, for information.

3rd Sunday Spinners, Weavers... Whatever! Meets 11am-2pm, at Massage Rx in Rancho Mirage. Bring any fiber related item you are working on. Contact Mariellen Boss, 760-328-2790, for information.

Weaving for the Not So Sure in the Palm Springs area. Learn to weave on a rigid heddle and/or small tapestry loom. Classes and projects customized for you. If you are interested, contact Mariellen Boss, aka The Rigid Heddler at tactilespirit@dc.rr.com.

April 4-8, 2011, Navajo Weaving. Learn Navajo weaving from master Navajo weavers Barbara Teller Ornelas and Linda Teller Pete in beautiful Ojai, CA. For beginning through advanced weavers, the cost is \$400. Click on the link below or visit our website. If there is enough interest, they will offer a class on warping a Navajo loom. <http://www.navajoruqweavers.com/images/Flyers/NavajoWeavingClassCA2011.pdf>

October 7, 8 & 9th 2011

Inland Empire Handweavers Guild presents Crimp & Create. A three day weaving work shop with Diane Totten This is a on-loom workshop exploring a new direction to take fiber using the woven Shibori technique for both warp and weft. Skill level: Beginner to Advanced. Loom required 4 shaft min 8 or more is better. Registration fee: \$150.00 (A deposit of \$75.00 will reserve your space, the balance is due at or before the September 2011 guild meeting)

IEHG-WEST meets the first Saturday of the month from 1:00pm to 4:30pm.
Contact Gail Marlow-Dickey for more info on location 909-985-8916

Studio 66 Retreat Weaving * Spinning * Dyeing * & More! May 6, 7 & 8, 2011 Space for the retreat is filling up fast!

Don't wait to reserve you space. The February 1st deadline for registration is almost here.

SEE OUR WEBSITE: www.studio66retreat.org

Weaving 101: The complete Introduction to Weaving. A 3-day Studio Class with hands-on individual instruction. Learn how to Weave on a Floor or Table Loom, Plan a Weaving Project, Select Yarn, use 2-Warping Techniques, Dress a Loom, and Weave 2-projects. Loom and Yarn supplied. By appointment at the “**Weavers Cupboard Studio**” in Rancho Cucamonga, CA call **Gail Marlow-Dickey (909) 985 – 8916, (909) 239 – 7908**, e-mail **Gailmmd@Gmail.com** or go to **www.weaverscupboard.com**

Triangle Loom: Weaving on a Triangular Loom. A hands-on Studio class with individual instruction. Learn how to Weave on a Triangular Loom, the loom that warps its self as you weave. Learn three weaving techniques, Plan Projects, Select Yarns, and finishing Techniques. By appointment at the “**Weavers Cupboard Studio**” in Rancho Cucamonga, CA call **Gail Marlow-Dickey (909) 985 – 8916, (909) 239 – 7908**; e-mail **Gailmmd@Gmail.com** or go to **www.weaverscupboard.com**

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October 8th & 9th 2011 10:00 to 4:00pm **FIBER ARTS FIESTA!!**

The Museum Weavers from the Antique Gas & steam Engine Museum are hosting the first ever Vista Fiber Arts Fiesta to celebrate American Craft week. The Fiesta will take place at the Antique Gas & Steam Engine Museum in Vista. More info...<http://www.agsem.com/fiber-arts-fiesta.php>

There are over two hundred books, videos and periodicals available to members in the **IEHG Library**. A complete list is available at meetings and on the website. Contact Linda Ward if you wish to check out some items.

Please support our monthly raffle, it helps you and helps our guild at the same time!

Inland Empire Handweavers Guild

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You have to get warped to weave!



Dear Southern California Weaving Guild Members:

In July, 2012, HGA's Convergence will be in Long Beach and they are looking for help. The good news is that they (HGA) have put Convergence on before and they know how to do it. They already have volunteers from previous years for some of the big coordinator positions. They are hoping to find some local help to assist those coordinators and there are a few coordinator positions still open that they feel would be best filled by local talent.

In a nutshell, there are the 6 main Teams needed to put on Convergence. Each team has a coordinator plus there is a position called Volunteer Coordinator. There are many things that need to be done well before July 2012 and there are many "one and done" types of volunteer jobs that people can sign up for, that they can do during Convergence. Here are the 6 teams with a modicum of information about them.

Fashion Show: HGA is looking to find a local coordinator because all of the garments will be delivered to them 2 months beforehand. A juror picks the entrants and a local fashion show professional will be in charge of hiring models and actually running the fashion show. There is a lot to do here besides being coordinator.

Tours: HGA would prefer that this be a local person as the coordinator because of local knowledge and connections plus that person's ability to more easily check out the sites, etc. The actual tours will be set up by local tour agencies.

Community Exhibits: Again, HGA would prefer that this coordinator be a local person because of local knowledge and connections and their ability to go and see sites etc.

Juried Exhibits: This coordinator position has been filled by someone who has done it in the past. However, there are many exhibits: juried: Small Expressions, Mixed Media, Yardage, and the Fashion Show display, and invitational: COE . Leaders and the Design Challenge. Each one of these exhibits needs a coordinator.

Education: HGA filled this coordinator position with someone who has coordinated the leaders and classes in the past. There is plenty of work for someone who would like to assist that person.

Vendors: HGA filled this coordinator position with someone who set up the vendor hall a few times before and wants to do it again. Anyone who sees this as an interesting place to volunteer would be welcome.

Volunteer Coordinator: This position could be filled locally or not, and could probably use some help.

Anyone who would like to volunteer can go to HGA's website, weavespindye.org and click on the *volunteers* tab on the left hand side.

My e-mail is sehorton@aol.com . I will do my best to respond to any questions anyone might have.

Thanks for listening

Susan Horton
HGA Rep, Southern California