

# Reed and Weave

Inland Empire Handweaver's Guild

[www.iehg.org](http://www.iehg.org)

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## IEHG MEETING

### CALENDAR

#### August

Hosted by Gail

#### September

Saori Weaving

#### October

Showing of jackets and surface designing with blocks and stamps

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## Date: August 12th, 2013

At Gail Marlow-Dicky's home

**9:30** am until ??

**Our August meeting will be held at Gail's home.**

**The meeting will be very informal. Everyone should bring something to work on while we enjoy each others company. Gail would like everyone to bring one question that you have about weaving or spinning and we will discuss them as a group to find the answers. Gail will provide a Chinese chicken salad for lunch. If you would like to bring a snack or a desert to share that would be wonderful. If you have any questions you may contact Gail. Directions to Gail's home will be sent to you by email.**

## *Greetings from Suzanne,*

It is with regret that we heard from President, Kathy Riggs, at the July meeting that she would be moving to Texas with her daughter's family. I applaud her and Larry's courage to make such a big move, but understand that to keep a close-knit family together they will start a new phase in their long marriage. I have agreed to complete her term as president with the help of a great board and committee chairs.

But, what a great time was had by guild members attending the *Spinning in the Pines* in beautiful Rim Forest. Camille and Sallie hosted members on the grounds of The Village Nursery & The Corral Gift Shop. We sat outside in the shade of giant Sequoias and did spinning, paper making, knitting, some other project, or just got acquainted with each other. Camille arranged for a great lunch spread provided by herself and other guild members. Thank you Sallie and Camille for, once again, hosting a meeting in the mountains, and those who provided food for the meeting.

In order to be a more productive weaver, I have entered upon a challenge with Sallie Scanzoni to complete a project every month. Sallie informed me that she would "weave like mad this summer" so that she could fulfill her commitment around the holidays. I have always found that I work better when I have a deadline so, Productivity, Here I Come!!

Now, it's your turn. I challenge you to participate in the "Use Your STASH" Challenge. Nearly everyone has yarn and/or fiber languishing in the closet that we bought on a whim (because it was a great texture, luscious to the touch, 'just our color', a great bargain) or that was bought with a special project in mind. Well, it's time to use some of it!

Perhaps you might want to 1) create something that incorporates different types of yarn or fiber, 2) try a new weave structure or spinning technique that has been in your "some day" file, or 3) repurpose the yarn bought for a project that no longer interests you.

Think on what you want to do for the challenge, and we will revisit it in The September newsletter. I will be passing out and/or sending out a questionnaire for you to fill in, because getting a plan down on paper is just the first step of the process. And then, we will enlist the help of another guild member to nudge us along and keep us on task.

Keep on Weaving,

*Suzanne*

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## ***Inland Empire Handweavers Guild***

- ❖ **Meetings:** The second Monday of the 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:** \$30 per year

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

8 threads at a time, by hand, on a warping board no less! Impressive.

Stumbled over this photo made by Lewis Hine of a weaver warping taken in Gatlinburg TN at the Pi Beta Phi School.

Beautiful photo!



### **WEAVING & SPINNING GROUPS**

Tri-Community Adult Ed. Weaving and Spinning classes in Covina, Mon & Tues 9 am - 3: 30 pm, Wed. 7- 10pm. \$75.00 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.3<sup>rd</sup>

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](mailto:tactilespirit@dc.rr.com).

**IEHG-WEST Meets on the first Saturday of the month.  
Contact Gail Marlow-Dickey for more info on location and time. 909-985-8916**

## CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS OFFERED BY GAIL

**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

**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.

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## **IEHG Weaving Classes with Suzanne Chappell, Instructor**

These Introduction to Weaving Classes on a harness (shaft) loom or rigid heddle loom are for beginning (no experience) and new weavers who still need some guidance. Three six-week sessions are offered, two in the daytime and one evening. One or more projects will be completed during the course of instruction, but will require doing some weaving at home. Classes are conducted in Redlands, and require a membership in the IEHG guild. Looms, if available, rent for \$10/month. Class is limited to a maximum of 4 students.

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There are over two hundred books, videos and periodicals available to members in the IEHG library. A complete list is in your directory or available on the website for members only. If you wish to check something out contact Linda ward or Debbie Bartell

Lunch will be provided.  
Bring a snack or a desert to share

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