

# Whatcom Weavers Guild Newsletter



*Celebrating 40 years!*

## October Newsletter—added news and reminders

Just a few last minute reminders and notices....

**The Whatcom Museum Guild's program** for Thursday October 13<sup>th</sup> is a display and discussion of Barber skirts – Bellingham's famous woven fashions. Mary Ellen Jones will be there to share her knowledge and experiences. The Museum Guild invites all Weavers' Guild members to attend this free program at 10.00a.m. in the Rotunda Room of the Old City Hall building, 121 Prospect Street. If you own something Barber, please bring it to be part of the show and tell – if you can wear it, please do! Coffee and refreshments are served and all are welcome. See you there!

**Pat Spark's workshop – Patterned Lace Felt scarf** – Friday November 4<sup>th</sup>. Deposits are now due and full payment to be made at the October 12<sup>th</sup> meeting. Don't miss out on this great opportunity to learn from one of our Guild's founding members! Details of the workshop are in the October newsletter just sent out. And look for the second Pat Spark workshop, Optical Color Blending for Feltmakers and Spinners – to be held Sunday November 6<sup>th</sup> at the studio in the new Whatcom Museum Lightcatcher building, Flora Street. Detail is under "Shows and Other Events" on the second last page of the October newsletter.

## **Fibers & Beyond Update**

- A great big "THANK YOU" to all who are participating in our 40th Anniversary Show & Sale! Here are a few last-minute details:
    - o Please bring your sale ENTRY FORM to the Wednesday, October 12 meeting, if you have not already turned it in. This is the form at: [http://whatcomweaversguild.org/entry\\_form.pdf](http://whatcomweaversguild.org/entry_form.pdf) on our website. Please click on the link, print it, fill in the blanks & bring it to our next meeting.
    - o Because this is a celebration of our 40th Anniversary, please wear something a little more festive/dressy than usual. (Not jeans). And please remember to pick up your name tag & wear it the day of the sale. Arrive a few minutes early for your shift.
    - o Check-in - Bring your inventory sheets, tags & merchandise all ready to go the morning of FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, between 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Please be sure tags are filled out properly. The check-in team is not responsible for redoing tags. If you need additional price tags or fiber care tags, the check-in team will have them available the morning of the sale.
- We still need a few more people to man the sale. Please volunteer for these few remaining spots. We will have specific requests at the 10/12 meeting.

