



Jacksonville Weavers' Guild

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President's Message

Wow! That is all I can say about this upcoming season with the Guild. So many exciting things popped up during the summer break. We have been asked to participate at the [90th Anniversary of the Town of Penney Farms](#) "Old-fashioned Farm Day" September 9, in the [Florida Tropical Weavers Guild](#) Conference in March, at the Jacksonville Library or Riverside Arts Market to increase public awareness, at exhibit in Main Library and the Ponte Vedra Cultural Center, and at a Holy Spirit Girl Scout Troop meeting to help the scouts in earning their weaving badges.

We were invited to [Tinkuy 2017](#) - the Textile Arts Festival in November, and the Jacksonville Public Library's first ever [Maker Con](#) October 14, where Makers, Authors, and Artists are invited to market and sell their products.

But my favorite Guild participation events are the monthly meetings where we share local resources and knowledge of all things weaving and spinning. From beginners to those that can weave in their sleep, the Guild is a great resource and inspiration for the arts.

Our meetings are held on the second Saturday of each month at 10 AM, except for September 9th when we will meet at 9AM. Though some of us will break away at 10 AM for the Penney Farms booth, many will remain to share ideas. Please bring items for show and tell.

Here is our tentative schedule for this season:

September9 AM Fall Social and Show and Tell, then break away for Exhibit at Penney Farms
October IKAT Dyeing, presented by Linda Schultz
November Plain Weave, presented by Judy Jull
December Trip to Pioneer Mills, arranged by Gail Karson
January Selling Woven Goods, presented by Pauletta Berger
February. [Tom Knisely](#) Workshop: Weaving with Linen (Limited Space)
March Weaving Transparencies
April Weaving a Mask, presented by Susan Wallace
May. Annual Picnic

We look forward to seeing everyone soon!
Lynn Newcomer, President

More information on the Jacksonville Public Library's Maker Con on October 14, 2017. (I'll attach the pdf flyer for this event to the main email for the Newsletter--Judi.)

The Jacksonville Public Library is hosting its first ever Maker Con. Makers, authors, and artists are invited to market and sell their products at this event.

Applications will be accepted through Sept. 1, 2017, or when capacity is reached.

Visit jplfoundation.org/makercon to complete the application.

The JPL Maker Con is a celebration of maker culture, comic books, sci-fi, fantasy, gaming and cosplay. It will be held on Oct. 14, 2017 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Main library.

JPL is also looking for presenters and speakers. Makers interested in sharing their expertise in a presentation should contact Raelyn Wiiree at rwiiire@coj.net.

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Also Of Interest

The Ponte Vedra Beach Cultural Center (CC) will be holding the 27th Annual Holiday Shoppes, November 9-11, 2017. Holiday Shoppes showcases nearly two dozen vendors featuring one-of-a-kind gift items. It will be held at the Ponte Vedra Concert Hall with food trucks and unique shopping opportunities.

This year the event will be Thursday, November 9th thru Saturday, November 11th from 10:00-4:00. Set up will be Wednesday, the 8th. It will be in the Ponte Vedra Concert Hall on A1A as they have outgrown the Cultural Center. At this time the interior booths are sold out, but outdoor booths are still available.

Typically there are around 20 vendors selling a wide variety of items for both gifts and personal purchases. The CC do "jury" their vendors for quality and for appropriateness to their vision. Last year they recorded 1,200 shoppers who buy a ticket for entry into the shops.

The cost for participating is for renting a booth plus 15% of sale proceeds. Inside booths are 10' X 10' for \$350 or 10' X 20' for \$500. The outside booths would be \$100. There are also tables to rent but you need to bring your own table covering and sign.

Link:

<http://www.ccpvb.org/events/upcoming-events/item/21-holiday-shoppes-2017>

On the next page is the form that the Guild decided on to use for Show and Tell at the meetings.



SHOW AND TELL

TITLE

CREATED BY

TECHNIQUE/PATTERN

MATERIALS USED

WARP

WEFT

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COMMENTS
