



LibertyTown Arts Workshop

916 Liberty Street
Fredericksburg, VA 22401
<http://fswguild.org/>

April 2015

2015 CALENDAR

April 3: First Friday at LibertyTown Arts Workshop. "Feast for the Eyes" a Regional Juried Exhibition.

April 11: FSWG Meeting at 10 AM at the guild studio. Program is "A day in the life of a local yarn shop" featuring the new shop in Fredericksburg, *Untangled Purls*.

May 1: First Friday at LibertyTown Arts Workshop. Annual Patron Show.

May 2 & 3: Maryland Sheep and Wool Festival. Carpooling is being organized. Contact Mary Snellings for further information.

June 5: First Friday at LibertyTown Arts Workshop. "*Home*" a National Juried Exhibition. LibertyTown will donate 10% of the jury fees and 10% of all show sales to the Greater Fredericksburg Habitat for Humanity.

June 13: FSWG Meeting at 10 AM at the guild studio.

Happy Spring!





Ashford spinning wheel with one treadle. A yarn winder is attached. \$350.
Contact Rita for more information.

Carol Leigh's Hillcreek Fiber Studio Triangular Loom in Walnut with matching collapsible stand. Includes video, and bag of tools. \$250. Contact Lynette for more information. yarnlyn@aol.com



Library Happenings from Denise!

I have processed at least 50 new books for our Guild library. We have (new to us) books in every Genre: Spinning, Knitting, Weaving, Dyeing, Miscellaneous, and our NEW GENRE, Fiction. Thanks to all those who have donated materials. FYI, we have a lot of oldies but goodies, also.

The library upgrade is about 50% complete. Come on down and check it out. No really, let's get those books moving - CHECK THEM OUT :) All you have to do is put your name on the card in the back of the book (and the date you checked it out), and place the card in the "Book Card Holder" on top of our brand new bookcases.

When you want to return the books, place them on the bottom shelf of the new bookcase and I will re-file them. I hope to have a book return box (labeled) there soon.

Happy Reading!



Maryland Sheep and Wool Festival

May 2 & 3

9-6 Saturday

9-5 Sunday

Howard County Fairgrounds

West Friendship, Maryland

Upcoming Spring Programs

April - A Day in the Life of a Local Yarn Shop by Nancy from Untangled Purls

May - Flash Your MDSWF Stash

Powhatan Festival of Fiber

The Powhatan Festival of Fiber will take place on Saturday, April 25, 2015. The event is from 10am until 5pm at 3920 Marion Harland Lane in Powhatan and admission will be \$5 with children 12 and under free. As the name suggests, Fibers are celebrated at this festival. There will be hands-on exhibitions of felting, drop-spindling, weaving, spinning, shearing and more. Exhibited animals will include alpaca, angora rabbits, and multiple breeds of sheep. Carpooling is being organized for this festival. Contact Mary Snellings for further information.

<http://www.powhatansfestivaloffiber.com/>



The March program brought
Angora Bunnies to
LibertyTown.
The bunnies were shared with
us by Maury and Lori.
Thanks to you both for
bringing them for us to learn
about and enjoy!

FSWG OFFICERS & CHAIRPERSONS 2015

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The Guild meets on the second Saturday of the month at 10 AM. Call for location.