

EXHIBITS, SHOWS, AND SALES

ARIZONA

October 24. Southwest Fiber Festival, Amado. Deborah Brunner, (520) 625-8788; www.southwestfiberfestival.com.

CALIFORNIA

Through July 26. Connections: Small Tapestry International, at San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles, 520 S. First St., San Jose, CA 95113. (408) 971-0323; info@sjquiltmuseum.org; www.sjqmusem.org; www.americantapestryalliance.org.

August 12–15. Monterey County Fair Wool Show, Monterey County Fair, Monterey. (831) 372-5863.

COLORADO

May 29–May 30, 2010. Navajo Weaving: Diamonds, Dreams, Landscapes. The University of Colorado Museum of Natural History, Changing Exhibits Gallery in the Henderson building, Boulder. (303) 492-6892; <http://cumuseum.colorado.edu>.

May 30–July 12. Fiber Celebration 2009, international juried show at Loveland Museum and Gallery, 503 N. Lincoln Ave., Loveland, CO 80537. Margie Holley, (970) 593-0929; theholleys@holleys.net; www.fortnet.org/NCWG.

June 11–14. Wool Market in Estes Park. (970) 586-6104; <http://estesnet.com/Events/woolmarket.htm>.

CONNECTICUT

July 16–18. Craft Expo 2009, on Guilford Green, Guilford. Guilford Art Center, 411 Church St., Guilford, CT 06437. (203) 453-5947; fax (203) 453-6237; expo@guilfordartcenter.org; www.guilfordartcenter.org.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Through January 3, 2010. Recent Acquisitions. The Textile Museum, 2320 S St., NW, Washington, DC 20008. (202) 667-0441; www.textilemuseum.org.

ILLINOIS

July 17–19. Midwest Fiber and Folk Art Fair, at McHenry County College, 8900 U.S. Hwy. 14, Crystal Lake. Carol @FiberAndFolk.com; www.FiberAndFolk.com.

ILLINOIS

October 18. Uncommon Threads, juried wearable arts. Fine Line Creative Arts center. (630) 584-9443; info@fineline.org; www.fineline.org.

IOWA

June 13–14. Iowa Sheep and Wool Festival, at Dallas County Fairgrounds, Adel. (712) 736-2109; www.iowasheep.com.

MAINE

September 25–27. Maine Organic Farmers and Gardeners Association's 33rd Annual Common Ground Country Fair, Unity. (207) 785-2784, www.mofga.org.

MONTANA

June 12–14. Big Sky Fiber Arts Festival, at Ravalli County Fairgrounds, Hamilton. PO Box 1223, Victor, MT 59875. (406) 777-2141; www.bigskyfiber.com.

NEW JERSEY

June 7. Fiber Fiesta and Alpaca Sale, Lumberton. www.alpacaheritage.com.



UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY

Navajo Weaving: Diamonds, Dreams, Landscapes is a showcase of the University of Colorado Museum of Natural History's collection of Navajo textiles, May 29–May 30, 2010. For more information, <http://cumuseum.colorado.edu>.

NEW MEXICO

May 15–August 16. Writing with Thread: Traditional Textiles of Southwest Chinese Minorities. Museum of International Folk Art, Museum Hill, Camino Lejo off Old Santa Fe Trail, Santa Fe. (505) 476-1200; www.internationalfolkart.org.

May 30–31. East Mountain Fiber Farm and Studio Tour, near Albuquerque. Bethe, (505) 281-5963; bweaveit@yahoo.com; or Robin, (505) 286-1783; robin@perfectbuttons.com.

September 26–28. Earth's Palette: Natural Colors for Fiber, Taos. www.taoswoolfestival.org.

NEW YORK

June 13–14 and 20–21. 33rd Annual American Crafts Festival, at the Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts, New York. Raya Zafrina, acacinfo@gmail.com; www.craftsatlincoln.org.

August 1–September 17. Tapestries Celebrating Henry Hudson, at the Greene County Council on the Arts, Catskill. (518) 943-3400; info@wedsgroup.com; www.greenearts.org.

September 19–20. 15th Annual Finger Lakes Fiber Arts Festival, at the Hemlock Fairgrounds, Hemlock. Robin, (607) 522-4374; www.gvvhg.org/fest.html.

NORTH DAKOTA

July 25–26. Fiber Arts Festival at Bonanzaville, West Fargo. (701) 293-7395; kbaird@bonanzaville.com; www.bonanzaville.org/fiberarts.

PENNSYLVANIA

May 30–August 29 (Saturdays). Home Textile Tool Museum in Orwell. HTTPM, PO Box 153, Rome, PA 18837. (570) 247-7175; info@htm.org; www.hometextiletoolmuseum.org.

SOUTH DAKOTA

September 18–20. North Country Fiber Fair, at the Codington County Expo Complex, Watertown. www.northcountryfiberfair.org.

VERMONT

June 7. Mountain Fiber Folk Farm Tour in northern Vermont. (802) 326-2092; www.mtfiberfolk.com.

VIRGINIA

Through May 31. Can You Do Kandinsky. Potomac Craftsmen Fiber Gallery, Torpedo Factory Art Center, Studio 18, 105 N. Union St., Alexandria, VA 22314. (703) 548-0935; www.Potomaccraftsmengallery.com.

WEST VIRGINIA

June 12–14. Eastern Angora Goat and Mohair Association Show and Sale, at West Virginia Fairgrounds, Lewisburg. www.angoragoats.com.

CYBERSPACE

Canadian Tapestry. www.canadiantapestry.ca. Digital Threads. www.digitalthreads.ca

CONFERENCES

COLORADO

July 30–August 2. Intermountain Weavers Conference, at Ft. Lewis College, Durango. www.intermountainweavers.org.

IOWA

June 25–27. In the HEARTland, Midwest Weavers Association Conference, at Grinnell College, Grinnell. Preconference workshops June 22–24. (309) 787-6644; rlyden@mchsi.com; www.midwestweavers.org.

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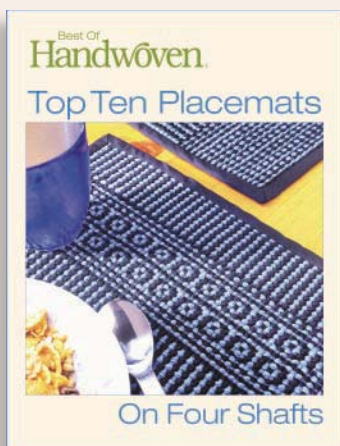


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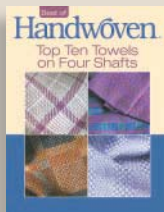
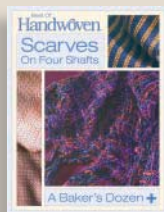
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MICHIGAN

August 5–9. MLH at 50: Golden Reflections, Michigan League of Handweavers conference, at Hope College, Holland. www.MLHGuild.org.

MISSOURI

May 28–31. Off the Grid, Surface Design Association Conference in Kansas City. www surfacedesign.org/conference.asp.

WASHINGTON

May 28–June 3. Weaving Waves of Color, Association of Northwest Weavers Guilds Conference in Spokane. addicks@centurytel.net; www.anwg2009.org.

CANADA, ALBERTA

June 26–July 3. Olds College Fibre Week, Olds, Alberta. IYNF-2009@fao.org.

GERMANY

June 17–18. International Natural Fibres Congress, in Frankfurt. IYNF-2009@fao.org.

POLAND

September 3–4. International Cotton Conference, in Gdynia. IYNF-2009@fao.org.

TO ENTER

COLORADO

Schacht Spindle Company invites you to enter their I Made It On My Schacht Contest. **Entry Deadline September 1.** (800) 228-2553; info@schachtspindle.com; www.schachtspindle.com.

FLORIDA

Florida Tropical Weaver's Guild welcomes applications from teachers and vendors for 2011 conference and beyond. www.ftwg.org.

MINNESOTA

Inside Out Gallery Show, June 4–July 10, 2010, Textile Center in Minneapolis. **Entry deadline November 9.** (612) 436-0464; info@textilecentermn.org; www.textilecentermn.org.

INSTRUCTION

ILLINOIS

Weaving for the Visually Impaired, August 4–7, Heather Winslow. **Altered Woven Jewelry**, October 23–24, with Mary Hettmansperger. The Fine Line Creative Arts Center in Hoffman Estates. (630) 584-9443; info@fineline.org; www.fineline.org.

PENNSYLVANIA

Mid-Atlantic Fiber Association Workshop Weekend, July 31–August 2, at Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, PA. mafa2009@mafafiber.org; www.mafafiber.org.

NATIONWIDE

Helping Hands Distance Learning Program, ongoing, mentoring for beginning tapestry weavers. American Tapestry Alliance, Helping Hands, Joyce Hayes, 5229 Ivanhoe Pl., NE, Seattle, WA 98105. joyce.hayes@comcast.net. **Distance Learning Program** for intermediate tapestry weavers: Tommye Scanlin, 177 S. Park St., Dahlonega, GA 30533; Education@americantapestryalliance.org; www.americantapestryalliance.org.

NORTH CAROLINA

Intro to Rug Weaving, June 7–13, with Jason Collingwood. **Gourmet Weaving—Beyond the Recipe**, June 28–July 4, with Ramona Abernathy-Paine. **Beginning to Intermediate Weaving**, July 12–18, with Elaine Bradley. **Weaving Legends**, July 19–25, with Geri Forkner. **Woven Rag Rugs**, July 26–31, with JoEl Levy Logiudice. **Accessorize!** July 31–Aug. 2, with Dianne Totten. **Tapestry**, August 9–15, with Tommye McClure Scanlin. Additional classes in weaving, rugs, spinning, dyeing, and basketry year-round. John C. Campbell Folk School, 1 Folk School Rd., Brasstown, NC 28902. (800) 365-5724; (828) 837-2775; www.folkschool.org.

SOUTH AFRICA

Weaving courses, September 6–11, in connection with Fibre Break-Away, sponsored by Johannesburg Weavers and Spinners Guild, PO Box 84736, Greenside 2034, South Africa. Gisela Knox, +27 11 787 4724; knox@gnet.co.za; or Erika Cheetham, +27 11 573 4517; tony@mweb.co.za.

SWEDEN

Shaftswitching, June 8–12, with Gisela von Weisz, at Hemse Folkhögskola on the island of Gotland. Housing and meals on site. Gisela von Weisz, Stallbacken 5, SE-18161 Lidingö, Sweden. Tel: +46 8 766 16 03; giselavonweisz@telia.com.

TRAVEL

Ecuador, October 13–20. Discover the Americas Trip. Horizons, PO Box 634, Leverett, MA 01054. (413) 367-9200; fax (413) 367-9522; horizons@horizons-art.com; www.horizons-art.com.

Mexico, July 3–10. Oaxaca craft tour. Horizons, PO Box 634, Leverett, MA 01054. (413) 367-9200; fax (413) 367-9522; horizons@horizons-art.com; www.horizons-art.com.

Japan, June–July (2 weeks). Saori Weaving Tour. SAORI Worcester, Mihoko Wakabayashi and Nathaniel Needle, 131 Highland St., Worcester, MA 01609. (508) 757-4646; mihoko@saoriworcester.com; www.saoriworcester.com.

Southern Africa, August 25–September 4. Horizons, PO Box 634, Leverett, MA 01054. (413) 367-9200; fax (413) 367-9522; horizons@horizons-art.com; www.horizons-art.com.

Southwestern United States, July 12–19.

Tour of trading posts and pueblos, including Indian craft markets, rug weavers, and basketmakers. Horizons, PO Box 634, Leverett, MA 01054. (413) 367-9200; fax (413) 367-9522; horizons@horizons-art.com; www.horizons-art.com.

Ukraine, August 6–21. Folk costumes, embroidery, weaving, pottery, woodcarving, beadwork. The Great Canadian Travel Company. Martha Baniyas, (204) 781-8398; martha@gctc-mst.com.

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