weave to re-create the past



Weave to create for the future

The Roving

April, 2017

President's Letter

April hath put a spirit of youth in everything.
-Shakespeare

April greetings, HWOTV,

Spring has arrived, and this year things are GREEN!
Some days are picture postcard perfect – Clear blue skies, the budding of colorful plants and flowers, and valley orchards with the backdrop of snow capped Sierras.
We are so fortunate to have had the rains!

HWOTV has enjoyed several stellar programs this year. We have been able to expand our horizons and receive inspiration in a variety of artistic forms:

Knotless netting, Novelty Yarn Spinning, and Quilting.

Lindsay's passion for her art was evident, and all admired the intricate, artistic quilts presented by Carmen Friesen.

Each one of us is dependent upon the "tools of our trade," and that will be the topic of the April program with Dee Dee King's "Gadgets and Gizmos." The many little tools that help in her fiber work will be presented and discussed: steam press, mini washer and spinner, etc. Sources and costs will also be given.

It is often amazing how a new tool can simplify a project and make us wonder "How did I manage without it?"

Looking forward to seeing all of you in April.

Leonora and Toni



April Meeting

When: April 8, 2017

Where: Exeter Memorial

Building

Time: 10:00 AM

<u>Members</u> with last names beginning with A-D, please bring munchies & goodies

March Meeting

Program: Gizmos and Gadgets, with Dee Dee King.

More on April's Program:

"Gadgets and Gizmos"

April's meeting will be about Gizmos and Gadgets, No Fooling'! Dee Dee King will bring many of the wonderful tools she uses to process her woven cloth. There will be spinners, washers, presses, and cutters (Oh my!) for you to see and consider for your own studio. She will also clue you into the source and cost of many of the gadgets. Hope to see you there.





Birthdays for April: - if we've missed you, please let us know.

Merryann Bishop

Klara East

Linda Hayden

This is your month; have a wonderful Birthday!

Squeekie Wheels: The latest news from our leader, Ann Belau:

Good news!! History is repeating itself and we can still have our spin-in in Exeter on the **third Friday of the month**. Dust off your spinning wheels and come join the fun. Park on the street behind the restaurant, or at the north end of the parking lot.....we don't want ruin our welcome by taking the parking spaces of their regular daily customers. See you April 21st!

<u>Kaweah Konnection</u>: Next meeting will be **April 12, 2017.** We meet on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at the Presbyterian Church Conference Room in Three Rivers. Contact Sharon Warren if you're interested. Instructional weaving/spinning DVD's are occasionally featured and "Show and Tell" is always interesting.

<u>Items for the newsletter (items for sale, new items, announcements, etc.)</u> need to be received by Sophie Britten <u>sophieab@sbcglobal.net</u> by the 25th of each month.



That's all, folks!