

Weave to  
re-create  
the past



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the future

# The Roving

August, 2017

## President's Letter

Reminder: August meeting location change – see below.

*Twenty years from now, you will be more disappointed by the things that you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover.*

Mark Twain

Warm Greetings, HWOTV,

It is hard to believe we are only two months away from Show & Sale! Hopefully summer has provided some fiber time for us all!

Mark Twain's words bring to mind the need for each of us to think about our personal contribution to HWOTV. We benefit from the fellowship, the shared knowledge, and the opportunities to expand our horizons. As the Nominating Committee deliberates about the positions of Treasurer and Vice President, may each member consider contributing to the Guild in some capacity.

Several positions, VP being one, could certainly be held



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## August Meeting

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**When:** August 12, 2017

**Where:** Visalia Methodist Church – see below

**Time:** 10:00 AM

**Board Meeting @ 9AM**  
**before Guild Meeting.**

**Members with last names beginning with A-D, please bring snacks or goodies to share.**

by two people.

Personally, we can attest to the ease that a position can be handled by two individuals. Duties are shared, there is always a sounding board for any issues that develop, creative ideas for projects abound, four hands manage the paperwork, etc.

**Reminder: August 12 Meeting location change:  
Visalia United Methodist Church 5200 W. Caldwell  
[the NE corner of Caldwell and Akers.]**

There will be a 9:00 Board Meeting.

Program: Wet Felted Poppy Pin. (See below.)

Looking forward to seeing you on the 12<sup>th</sup>.

Leonora and Toni



**[August meeting details:](#)**

We will be making a wet felted poppy pin. There is a \$5.00 material charge. Please bring a rolling pin, scissors, hand towel and a plastic or glass bottle with a lip 1/2 inch or more. Small water bottles are only have a 1/4 in. lip.

All Guild members are invited to watch the entire program. However, if you would like to sign up to participate, please give me a call and I will make up a kit for you.

Judy Askins (559) 625-2094 or (559) 967-3484

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**From Dee Dee King:**

This year for a Raffle prize at the 2017 Show and Sale I would like to create a big, beautiful Kitchen Basket. I am requesting donations of items for the prize. If you have woven items to give us please have them woven in Fall colors or neutrals. They could be anything for a kitchen such as dishtowels, potholders, mug rugs, place mats, runners, bread cloths, kitchen rugs, or what have you. Non-woven items could be kitchen gadgets, cookie cutters, or hand soaps. If you wish to donate, please let me know and get the item to me by the September meeting, or we can make arrangements for a pick up. Thank you for your help,  
Dee Dee King

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**NO Birthdays for August: – however, if we’ve missed you, please let us know.**

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**Kaweah Konnection:** Next meeting will be in September. Contact Sharon Warren for more information. Instructional weaving/spinning DVD’s are occasionally featured and “Show and Tell” is always interesting.

**Squeekie Wheels Update:** We are happy to tell you that the Squeekies finally have a home for our spin-ins at the Exeter library. A room to ourselves, plenty of parking and several nice lunch spots close by.... how nice is that?!

We will continue to meet the third Friday of every month, and the new hours will

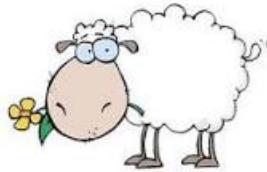
be from 9am until 1pm. The only thing we have to remember to bring is our "inside the library quiet voices". That might be the hardest thing for me to remember, because spinning with such nice people is so much fun.

While you are thinking about it right now, why don't you go jot down the date of our next spin-in on your calendar so you can come join us? Hope to see you there.

August 18, 2017  
Exeter Public Library  
230 E. Chestnut Street, Exeter  
9am ~ 1pm

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*That's all, Folks!*