Weave to re-create the past



Weave to create for the future

# The Roving November, 2019

Best Wishes for November, HWOTV,

This time of year our thoughts often reflect upon the past eleven months of 2019. Even during a bleak time in American history, on October 3, 1863, President Abraham Lincoln proclaimed the first national day of thanksgiving:

"The year that is drawing towards its close has been filled with the blessings of fruitful fields and healthful skies....diversions of wealth and of strength from the fields of peaceful industry.... ...have not arrested the plow, the shuttle, or the ship. I do therefore invite my fellow-citizens...to set apart and observe the last day of November next as a day of thanksgiving and praise."

We send our best wishes for the day to each HWOTV, their families, and friends.



November, 2019

Magazine Madness!

November 9, 2019

Where: Exeter Memorial Building

Time: 10:00-1:00

NOTE:

Board Meeting: 9:15-9:45

Appreciation for all who contributed to a successful Show & Sale! We look forward to those who could not be with us this year joining us next.

Leonora and Toni

**<u>NOTE</u>**: There will be a Board meeting at 9:15 before the November 9th Membership meeting.





News from Our Vice-President and Program Chairman, Monica!

## November 2019

#### November

Dust off the magazine you chose. Find one GRAND idea and execute that project. In November, bring the results of the challenge. Please write a brief statement as to why you chose the specific project and something you learned. The display or the presentation board is up to your creative mind. Exhausted from Show and Sale and can't muster the energy? Don't worry. Make it YOUR presentation to the Guild. It can be very elaborate, but it does not have to be! Relax and enjoy a little fun!

A sign-up sheet for Annie Mac Hale's workshop on March 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>. If you took the class last May, you will be ready for Annie's Part 2 INKLE weaving, pick-up and marvelous tips. Cost will be \$130 (with a small materials fee to be paid to Annie in March).

#### December

This is our month to gather as a guild and celebrate each other and the season of giving. We will have our party and an optional gift exchange. We will also give our gifts and talents to those who are not as fortunate. Think beanies for the homeless of Visalia, beanies for premature babies, and/or fingerless gloves for dialysis. Bring your offering! We will have a sign-up for the party. Think about a food item you might like to make and share during the party.

#### <u>January</u>

Your brain will be spinning as we begin the New Year with a Spinning Round Robin. This is the day to begin to spin, hone your wobbly skills, or polish a technique. Spinning is the subject of the program/activity. Come January 11, 2020, and have some fun!



### Report from the Guild Librarian:

Your Guild Library has added a new book:

#### Huck Lace Weaving Patterns with Color and Weave Effects by Tom Knisely.

This book contains 144 patterns and 4 color themes for each pattern - that's 576 combinations. Each pattern in this book includes the full draft and a woven sample for reference. Tom also includes details for five projects that are perfect for weaving Huck: dish towels, mug rugs, baby blankets, and two scarves.

The book is an essential resource the weaver will turn to for inspiration and guidance again and again. It will be available for check-out at the November meeting.



<u>Kaweah Konnection</u>: Kaweah Konnection will have the next meeting in November. Remember – that's <u>November 13</u> at 10 AM at the Three Rivers Community Church conference room. Bring your Show and Tell.

**Squeekie Wheels:** Squeekies meet the third Friday of every month, and the hours are from 9am until 11 or later. 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.

#### November 15th

Exeter Public Library, 230 E. Chestnut Street, Exeter; 9am ~ 11 or later.



**For Sale:** 24" Kromski Rigid Heddle Loom with stand and the following accessories:

- 2 12 dent reeds
- 1 Heddle Block (this allows the weaver to use the 2 12's at the same time
- 1 8 dent reed
- 1 5 dent reed

Pick up stick, threading hook, pegs for converting the loom into a warping board, warping peg etc. Green Canvas Carrying Bag

Price: \$450.00

If interested, contact Sophie Britten, www.sophieab@sbcglobal.net. I will send you pics. Sorry – just haven't time to take them.



...Till nest month!...