

# Jacksonville Weavers' Guild

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Summer 2020 Issue

Judi Leatherberry, Editor



## President's Message

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!!**

Thank you for allowing me to serve as president during this, our Guild's 45<sup>th</sup> year. It could be our most challenging. For this New Year our leaderships' goals are to maintain and build on the community we all enjoy and to share and promote our love of textile arts.

Our Board is brainstorming ways that this "Love will keep us together." We are happy to note that we already have two such projects in process: "Woven Hugs" and the lobby art for the Fort Caroline Community Center. In addition to our regular meeting schedule, we are exploring other opportunities that we can share even if we are socially distancing. Your ideas are welcomed; please contact me. And stand by for more information as we are working on the plan.

Our annual picnic, postponed due to Stay at Home orders in May, has been rescheduled for June 13<sup>th</sup> at Judy Jull's in Starke. More information is below. Please plan to come and bring your Show and Tell. Shibori Workshop participants are encouraged to bring your workshop projects to share, too, and for a photo op. Presently, there are five participants who plan to VAT dye after lunch.

As our meeting space remains closed, our Summer Saturday gatherings to work on our projects are suspended until the Community Center is reopened. Dave has promised a head-ups when we can expect that.

I hope to see all of you at the picnic. I have missed "us". I also look forward to September 12<sup>th</sup>, our first meeting and a bright beginning of a bold New Year!

**Weave Well & Stay Well!**

Ann Wingate

2020-21 President



## Membership 2020-2021

All Member dues are due by June 30, 2020. The yearly dues are \$20 per person. If you have joined the guild in December or January please let me know and send your payment along with you name, address, email and phone number, in case I missed your info.

Make your checks payable to Jacksonville Weavers Guild and send them to the Treasurer, Debra Grady @ 2782 Lake St., Lawtey, FL 32058.

Thank you all and I look forward to when we can meet together again.

Treasurer,  
Debra Grady  
904-263-0228



### Annual Weavers' Guild Picnic

Judy Jull cordially invites all of us to the Guild's annual picnic at her home on Saturday, June 13, 2020. Judy's address is 14272 SW 75<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Starke, FL 32091.

The Guild will meet at 10:00AM for a short meeting to include the installation of new officers, Show & Tell and gathering in the "Woven Hugs" projects for Gabriel House. The shop will be open to us from 11:00-12:00 for anyone interested in looking around. We will begin lunch around noon so that we have plenty of time to visit, exchange ideas and just enjoy an afternoon under the trees. Plus, we will be set up after lunch to VAT dye for those workshop participants who wish to finish their projects.

This year has been and continues to be very different. The picnic was delayed due to Home Sheltering. To facilitate "social distancing" it was determined not to include the Gainesville Guild; hopefully, next year we will be able to rekindle that tradition.

In another effort to keep us safe everyone is asked to bring their own lunch; there will not be a covered dish or buffet. Please bring your own lawn chair, too, so that you may sit where you wish...and bring your handwork so that we can stay after lunch and visit while we work under the trees.

Please contact Judy and let her know if you will be coming: [jsjull@yahoo.com](mailto:jsjull@yahoo.com), phone (443) 786-0021.

**Directions From the intersection of US 301 and Rt 100:** Go west toward Lake City/Lake Butler on Rt 100 for about 4 miles passing the Pine Level Baptist Church. Turn left onto SW75<sup>th</sup> Ave (There is a big sign THE SLAB) and follow 75<sup>th</sup> Ave for 2+ miles. The house and shop are on the right - Brick house, camper, chain link fence, ELZA M. STUDIOS sign and studio with a red door. Park anywhere. Please do not let the dog out of the gate though.

Thank you. We look forward to seeing you there.

## Officers for 2020 - 2021 Year

**President**--Ann Wingate  
**Secretary**--Heather Sprague

**Vice President**--Gail Karson  
**Treasurer**--Debra Grady



### Woven Hugs

I miss everyone and I am looking forward to getting together again for all things fiber. I can't wait to see the Woven Hugs! I will be dropping off all the shawls/blankets later that day or early Sunday morning, on my way up to North Carolina. So, ideally we will take pictures at the picnic, and everyone will have their donation form filled out when they turn over their shawl/blanket(s). I have asked Judi to attach the form to the newsletter, so you can print it out and fill it in. I will also bring copies of the form with me to the picnic.

The director of Gabriel House, Valerie Callahan, says: "How wonderful! We are so looking forward to seeing the shawls and giving them out to our guests."

If you can't make it to the picnic, we can make arrangements to pick up your shawl/blanket(s) before the picnic, so it can be included.

Thank you,  
Linda Schultz



### Internet Tidbits

Free Pattern for a Baker's Bread Bag in 8 shaft Doubleweave --from Handwoven Magazine

[https://handwovenmagazine.com/free-project-bakers-bread-bag/?utm\\_source=drip&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=How+to+Weave+Our+8-Shaft+Bread+Bag+on+4-Shafts&utm\\_content=HW+05.14.20+Newsletter](https://handwovenmagazine.com/free-project-bakers-bread-bag/?utm_source=drip&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=How+to+Weave+Our+8-Shaft+Bread+Bag+on+4-Shafts&utm_content=HW+05.14.20+Newsletter)

Free Paper Bag Weaving Pattern from Handwoven Magazine

[https://handwovenmagazine.com/fun-and-free-paper-bag-basketry/?utm\\_source=drip&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=How+to+Weave+Our+8-Shaft+Bread+Bag+on+4-Shafts&utm\\_content=HW+05.14.20+Newsletter](https://handwovenmagazine.com/fun-and-free-paper-bag-basketry/?utm_source=drip&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=How+to+Weave+Our+8-Shaft+Bread+Bag+on+4-Shafts&utm_content=HW+05.14.20+Newsletter)

Fabric and the Corona Virus

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/allisongasparini/2020/05/24/new-research-shows-electroceutical-fabric-eradicates-coronavirus-infectivity-on-contact/#48df34f11776>

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**2021 Jacksonville Weavers' Guild Workshop**  
**February 5 - 7, 2021**



**Denise Bolger Kovnat of Rochester, NY, will be conducting a workshop for us in Jacksonville entitled:**

**"One Warp, Many Structures: An Exploration of Extended Parallel Threading"**

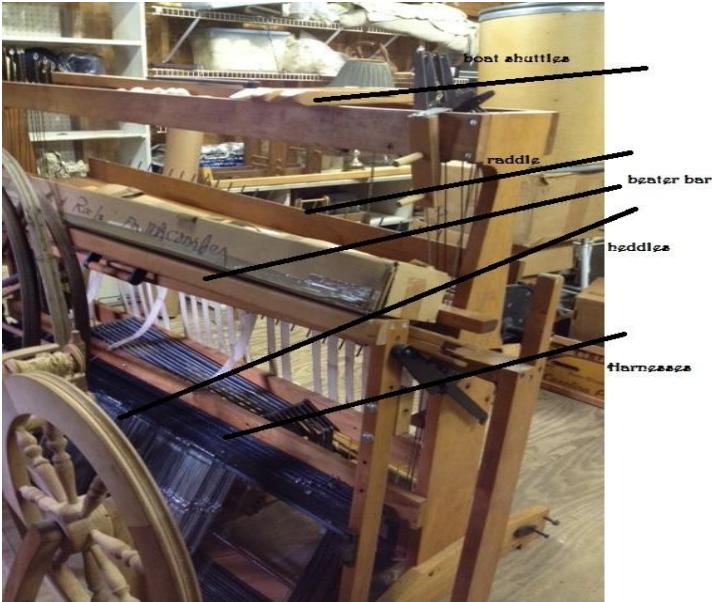
**Denise wrote this of her workshop:**

**Explore "the possibilities of extended parallel threading, beginning with Echo designs. As Marian Stubenitsky has shown in Weaving with Echo and Iris extended parallel threadings offer endless possibilities...Working with a variety of tie-ups and treadlings, you will weave a series of designs in Echo, Jin (Turned Taquete) and Shadow Weave. If you are game to cut off and re-sley your warp, Rep and Double Weave," too.**

**Watch your email for more information as we officially open registration to Guild Members.  
Please plan to join us in 2021.**

## Macomber Loom For Sale Snow Barn Clearance

1941 Macomber loom for sale. Width: 56 inches. 12 treadles; 10 harnesses. Heddles, lease sticks, reeds & swords included. Raddle, beater bar & boat shuttles also included. \$900 OBO. The loom is located in the Snow barn in Orange Park, FL. We can help with delivery if you are in the Jacksonville area.



I also have two spinning wheels for sale, along with various and sundry other equipment and lots of books. Please call Michelle Snow at **904-634-7899** or email me at [jmcsnow5649@centurylink.net](mailto:jmcsnow5649@centurylink.net)

Guild members are invited to make an appointment to browse the Snow barn. I am free this summer so would be able to meet at your convenience.



\$100 OBO

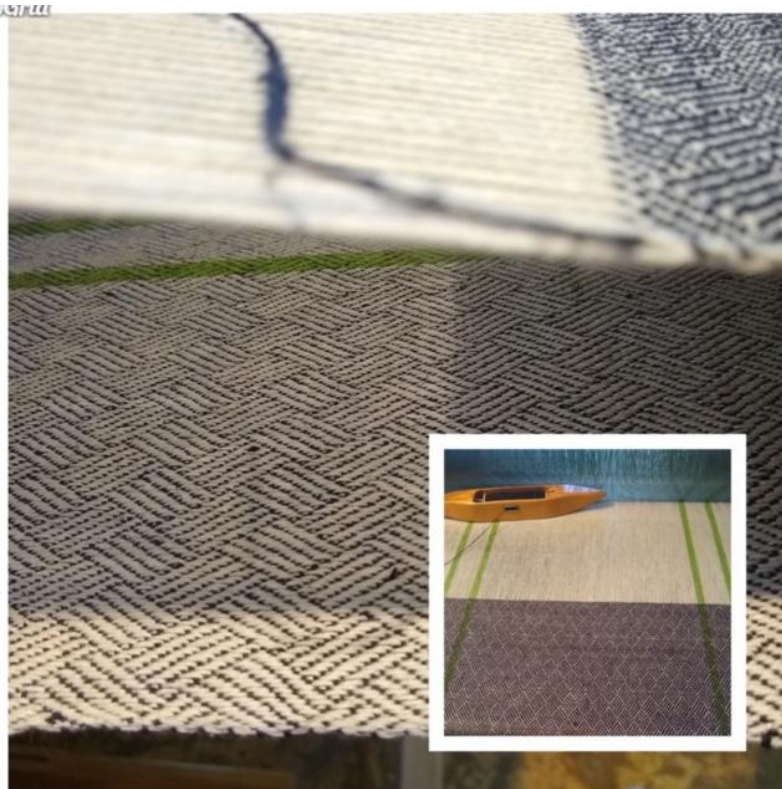


\$150 OBO

## Show and Share from our Members



Ann Wingate's Twill Sampler



Connie Geller's Plaited or Braided Twill  
(Insert shows the "right" side of the cloth.)



Susan Wallace's Cowl

(Woven on the remaining warp from the Woven Shibori Workshop in February 2020.)



Judi Leatherberry

Yarn for the next project! (4/3 Cotton Warp from Blazing Shuttles and 3/2 Valley Cotton Weft)



Pauletta Berger's Warp Inspired by her Grandson



Rudell Kopp's Projects