



GOLDEN GATE WEAVERS GUILD

OCTOBER, 2018

The October meeting will be held on Monday, October 15, 9:30 am, at the North Berkeley Senior Center. Please see the attached Agenda.

STUDY GROUP

Study Group meets Saturday, October 13, 10 AM, at Susie Hodges' house, 1272 Queens Rd, Berkeley. Bring any projects you have to share from the Spring study of Handwoven Clothing. The Group will continue a study of Double Weave based on the book and CD on the subject by Jennifer Moore. Bring any projects and suggestions you have to share on that subject, too. Coffee, tea and a snack will be provided. Contact info@goldengateweavers.org for more information.

OCTOBER PROGRAM

GREAT WAYS TO FINISH HANDWOVEN SCARVES with MARLENE GOLDEN.

Are you tired of twisting fringe? Learn several of the alternatives to fringes like scalloped, double woven and embroidered hems. Detailed instructions will be

provided for all who attend. Feel free to bring along any interesting solutions to this problem that you have in your scarf collection.

Marlene, a member of the S.F. Loom and Shuttle Guild, is a long-time weaver who has won many awards for her beautifully woven garments and scarves. Her work is shown both locally and nationally.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Guild members.

Sheila Fitzgerald and I attended a very interesting CNCH Liaison meeting on September 29. It was a business meeting and a great discussion of the upcoming CNCH conference in June, 2019. We will tell you all about it at the meeting.

I want to give a big thank you to Vicky McAdams, who has agreed to be our note taker for the meetings, and I suggest we elevate this position to Guild Secretary and have her as a member of the Board.

We have one more position to fill, that of Program Coordinator. I know this sounds like a daunting task, but maybe the person who graciously volunteers for it can ease into the job. Most of our programs for the coming year are secured, and I think the members have been doing a great job of thinking of and contacting speakers to spend time with us. In the short term, I see the Program Coordinator being responsible for maintaining a list of our upcoming Programs, sending the speaker a confirming email once the speaker has agreed, arranging for parking and the check for the honorarium, checking with the speaker about the need for a computer and projector and seeing to any other need the speaker has.

Although not in place now, CNCH is developing resources to help Guilds with their programs, and that can't come soon enough. We should be able to benefit from that assistance in the future.

A bit of housekeeping: as email communication has become the mainstream norm, we will no longer send the newsletters to members by snail mail. If you have not provided us with your email address, now would be the time to do so.

And, finally, a reminder that Guild dues are due. If you haven't yet paid your dues and cannot attend the October meeting, you can send your checks or

money orders, made payable to GGWG, to Sharon Lawless, 3538 Redding St., Oakland, CA 94619.

Looking forward to seeing you at the meeting.

All Guild members are welcome to submit agenda items. If you have any, please email them to info@goldengateweavers.org in advance of the meeting.

NEW AND NOTEWORTHY

- **Richmond Art Center**

Fall Exhibitions open on September 11 with Califas: Art of the US-Mexico Borderlands, Lia Cook: Inner Traces, and What Knot?

Be a Holiday Arts Festival Vendor

Richmond Art Center's Holiday Arts Festival

Sunday, December 2, 2018

11:00 am to 5:00 pm

IMPORTANT DATES

September 24: Application Deadline (via website form/online application)

October 1: Notification to Vendors

Week of October 1: Contracts Out

November 1: Contract & Fees Due to RAC

www.richmondartcenter.org

- **De Young Museum**

Contemporary Muslim Fashions

September 22, 2018 through January 6, 2019

www.deyoung.famsf.org

- **San Jose Museum of Quilts and Textiles**

The Art of Labor, SDA Members Juried Exhibition 2018

July 22, 2018 - October 14, 2018

Vantage Point: Maggy Rozycki Hiltner (embroidery)

July 22, 2018 - October 14, 2018

Cut It Out! Explorations in Contemporary Paper Cutting

July 22, 2018 - October 14, 2018

Excellence in Fibers, in Collaboration with Fiber Art Now Magazine

October 19, 2018 - January 13, 2019

Seeing the Threshold: Jayoung Yoon

October 19, 2018 - January 13, 2019

Suture and Stitch: Mark Newport

October 19, 2018 - January 13, 2019

www.sjqquiltmuseum.org

• **Contemporary Jewish Museum**

Veiled Meanings: Fashioning Jewish Dress, from the Collection of The Israel Museum, Jerusalem

Aug 30, 2018–Jan 6, 2019

Clothing is intended to cover our bodies, but it also uncovers. To what extent is our choice of dress freely made, and how do our surroundings affect our decisions? This exhibition will focus on how clothes balance the personal with the social, how dress traditions distinguish different Jewish communities, and how they portray Jewish and secular affiliations within a larger societal context. These exquisite objects from the nineteenth and twentieth centuries demonstrate how diverse global cultures have thrived, interacted and inspired each other for centuries.

www.thecjm.org

• **UC Davis Design Museum**

Tekunikku: The Art of Japanese Textile Making

October 1, 2018 -December 9, 2018

An exploration of Japan's iconic textile design methods featuring fabrics and garments from alumna Catherine Cerny's extensive collection. The exhibition opens the UC Davis' Design Museum's 2018-2019 season running through Dec. 9. A highlight of the exhibition is its installation which evokes the aesthetic of a traditional Japanese market where many of the objects were purchased.

www.arts.ucdavis.edu

• **Classes at Windrush Farm**

Windrush Farm in Chileno Valley (Sonoma County) offers many spinning and natural dyeing classes. Check their web site for details.

www.windrushfarm.wordpress.com

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Newsletter Deadline:

Please submit any items to be included in the November 2018 newsletter by October 25, 2018. E-mail items to info@goldengateweavers.org.

Golden Gate Weavers Guild meets the third Monday of the month 9:30 a.m. at the North Berkeley Senior Center, 1901 Hearst Avenue (At Martin Luther King Jr. Way), except for Jan, Feb, July, Aug and Dec.