

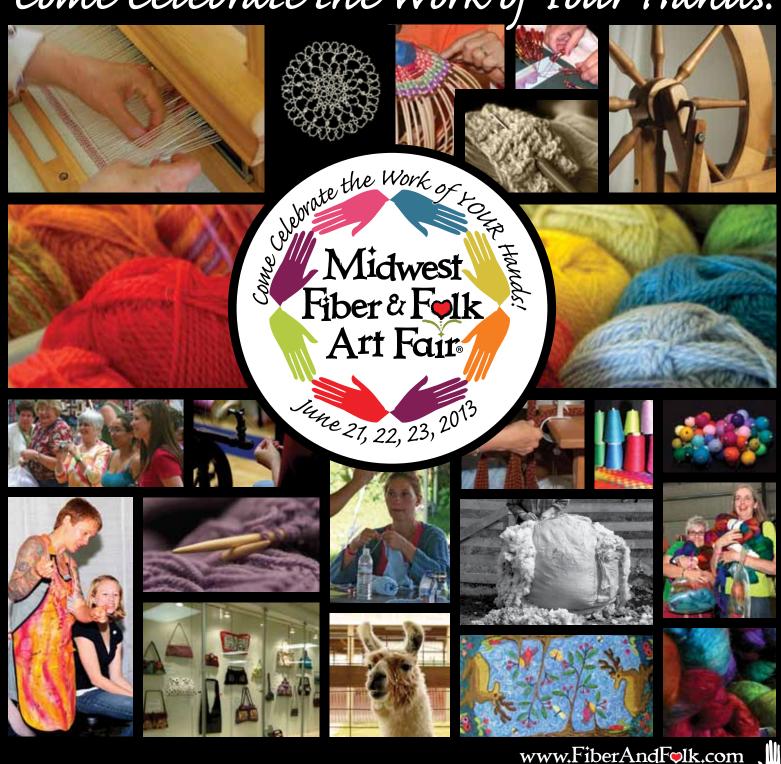


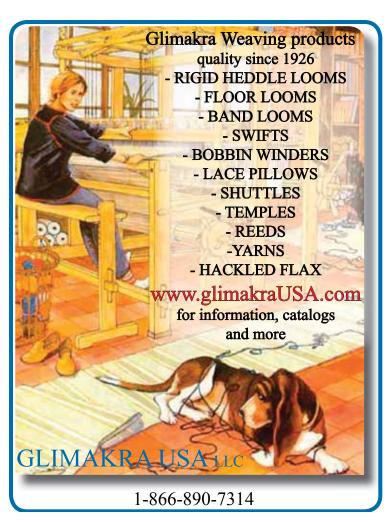






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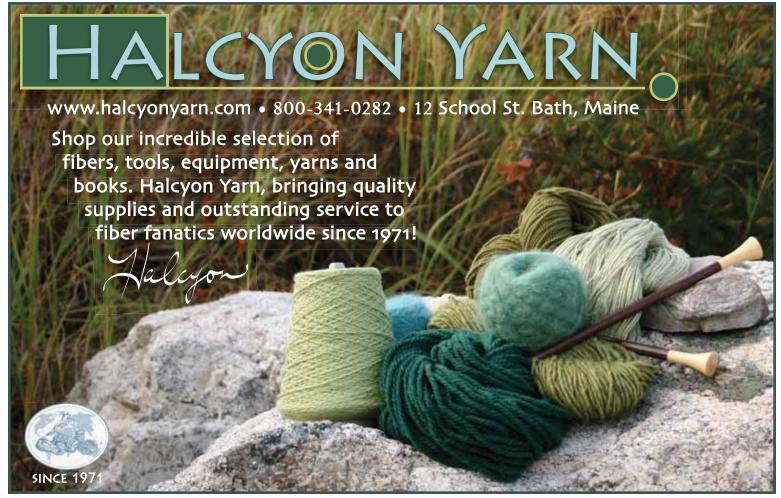
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ELCOME TO THE FAIR! "Come Celebrate the Work of Your Hands!"

The Fair is about folks gathering from around the country to celebrate the "gentle arts" of fibers, and not just one fiber art, but ALL fiber arts. We know that if you do one fiber art, you most likely do six (well, 5.83, as it turns out). So, we've collected fiber businesses from around the country and

brought them here so you can fuel ALL your passions! We also believe that a Fair should delight ALL your senses, and so we have set out to do just that—with a Marketplace to tempt you, workshops to teach you, a fine art exhibit to inspire you, fiber arts guilds to demonstrate for you, a garment extravaganza to challenge you, a fleece competition to educate you, a handbag exhibit to delight you, animals to amaze you, college fiber arts scholarships to give away, great music, good food—you'll want to stay for awhile at the Fair and let the world slip on by.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, June 21		12:00 РМ	On Main Stage (outdoors): SMALL POTATOES	
9:00 AM	Music on the Veranda: The Beaumonts	1:00 рм	Garment Extravaganza Runway Presentation in Handworkers' Hangout, wearable art sale to follow in	
9:30 AM	Lobby: Workshop Check-In for All-Day and Morning		FairWear booth	
	classes ONLY	1:00 рм	Lobby: Workshop Check-In for Afternoon Workshops	
10:00 ам	Morning and All-Day Workshops Begin (see pg 3)	2:00 PM	Afternoon Workshops Begin (pg 3)—Indoor Music:	
10:00 ам	The Fair OPENS—Indoor Marketplace Opens—Farmers' Market Opens—Demonstrations Begin—Fleece Competition Judging Begins—Indoor Music: J.W. Rice/		Bear Creek/Mary Lai—Announcement of Garment Extravaganza Awards and 2013 Fiber & Textile Awards in Handworkers' Hangout	
	Tim Merkel—Barn: Meet & Greet the Public/Animals	2:30 рм	Mini Classes Begin: sign up in FairWear! (pg 3)	
10:30 ам	Mini Classes Begin: sign up in FairWear! (see pg 3)	3:00 рм	Indoor Music: Mary Lai/Merv Collins	
11:00 ам	Indoor Music: J.W. Rice	4:00 PM	Indoor Music: Bear Creek/Courtney O'Sullivan	
11:00 AM	On Main Stage (outdoors): TRILLIUM	6:00 рм	The Fair CLOSES for the night. See you tomorrow!	
12:00 рм	On Main Stage (outdoors):THE BERRYMANS—Fleece		\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	
	Sale Begins (when judging concludes)	Sunday, June 23		
1:00 рм	Fleece Competition Winners announced in	\mathcal{O}		
	Handworkers' Hangout—Indoor Music: Tim Merkel/ Olivia Kaspryk	9:00 ам	Music on the Veranda: Big Fish	
1.00		9:30 AM	Lobby: Workshop Check-In for Morning classes	
1:00 рм	Barn: FREE Llamas 101 Workshop in bleacher area	10:00 ам	Morning Workshops Begin (see pg 3)	
1:00 рм	Lobby: Workshop Check-In for Afternoon Workshops	10:00 AM	The Fair OPENS— Indoor Marketplace Opens—Farmers	
2:00 РМ	Afternoon Workshops Begin (pg 3)—Indoor Music: Mark Hobbs/Mim Eichman		Market Opens—Demonstrations Begin—Fleece Sale Continues—Indoor Music: Guyz with Bad Eyez/Lillian Reasor—Barn: CLOSED	
2:30 рм	Mini Classes Begin: sign up in FairWear (pg 3)—Barn:	10.20		
	Non ILR Youth & Adult Open Performance Classes Begin, followed by Walking Fleece Competition	10:30 ам	Mini Classes Begin: sign up in FairWear! (see pg 3)	
	begin, followed by walking freece competition	11:00 ам	On Main Stage: OPEN MIC featuring Alex Fayer at noon	

11:00 AM

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Saturday, June 22

3:00 PM

4:00 PM

6:00 рм

9:00 ам	Music on the Veranda: Kent Rose
9:30 ам	Lobby: Workshop Check-In for All-Day and Morning classes ONLY
10:00 ам	Morning and All-Day Workshops Begin (see pg 3)
10:00 AM	The Fair OPENS— Indoor Marketplace Opens—Farmers' Market Opens—Demonstrations Begin—Fleece Sale Continues—Indoor Music: Tim Merkel—Barn: ILR Halter Classes Begin
10:30 ам	Mini Classes Begin: sign up in FairWear! (see pg 3)
11:00 ам	Indoor Music: Tim Merkel/Merv Collins
11:00 ам	On Main Stage (outdoors): COMPASS

Indoor Music: Mim Eichman/The Dreadnaughts

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Indoor Music: Mark Hobbs/The Dreadnaughts

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Indoor Music: Lillian Reasor

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Indoor Music: Cheryl Niemo with J.W. Rice

The Fair CLOSES. See you next year!

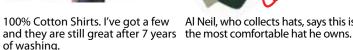
Fleece Sale ends—Indoor Music: Dean Milano/Chery

Book Signing in Handworker's Hangout—Come meet

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Sign up in FairWear





ORKSHOPS AT THE FAIR

Workshops allow you to **STRETCH** your horizons: Empower yourself by exploring fresh ideas, learning new techniques, and enhancing skills you already have.

Sign up for Mini Classes AT the Fair! These hour and a half lessons are just enough to learn a skill or project. We offer two Mini Classes each morning and two more in the afternoon. Workshops may also have places available. **Sign up for all classes and workshops at the FairWear Booth!**

MINI CLASSES

MORNING MINI CLASSES: 10:30 AM-12:00 PM

FRIDAY, JUNE 21

Mixed Media Exploration	Natasha Lehrer
Yoga for Fiber Folk	Nan Palmer

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

Kumihimo for Beginners	Mary Libby Neiman
Weave a Dish Cloth	Jane Grogan

AFTERNOON MINI CLASSES: 2:30 PM-4:00 PM

FRIDAY, JUNE 21

Felted Flower Fairy	Natasha Lehrer
Paired Increases and Decreases	Judy Chan

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

Buttonholes	Judy Chan
Multi Wrap Bracelet with Leather and	l Beads
Mary Lihby Neiman	

WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, JUNE 21

ALL DAY WORKSHOPS: 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

À	Band Texting	John Mullarkey
þ	Divided Wool Basket	Kay Kjeldgaard
١	Fibers of the Silk Route Past and Pre	sent
ľ		Stephenie Gaustad
	Latvian Fingerless Mitts	Beth Brown-Reinsel
T	he Orenburg Tradition: Basic Elements	Inna Voltchkova
à	The Plys Have it	Jacey Boggs

MORNING WORKSHOPS: 10:00 AM-1:00 PM

Crochet and Felt a Roving Rug	Ann Mayes
Handcarding and Woolen Spini	ning. <i>Carol Wagner</i>
Knitted Tessellations	Franklin Habit

AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS: 2:00 PM-5:00 PM.

E	xploring the Long Draw.	Stefania Isaacson
F	Felt Purse	Tammy L Deck
1	Mica Shift Pendants	Lynne Bergschultz
B	The Beautiful, Humble	Art of Plain Sewing: A
	Norkshop for Knitters	5 Franklin Habit

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

ALL DAY WORKSHOPS: 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

ľ	Arans From the Top Down Beth Brown-Reinsel
	Color Blending for Effect Stephenie Gaustad
h	Elizabeth Zimmerman's Tomten Jacket/Garter
i	Stitch Jacquard Franklin Habit
	Hard Corespinning Jacey Boggs

SATURDAY: ALL DAY WORKSHOPS: 10:00 AM-5:00 PM (cont.)

How to Knit a Gossamer Shawl the Orenburg Way
Inna Voltchkova
Introduction to Bead Embroidery Marianne Biagi
Navajo (Diné) Rug Weaving WorkshopMarilou Schultz
Ram's Horn and Its RelativesJohn Mullarkey
So You Want to Make a Color Way Stefania Isaacson

MORNING WORKSHOPS: 10:00 AM-1:00 PM

Caning w/Polymer Clay: Spoons, Hooks, Etc. Lynne Bergschultz Fantabulous Feltball Bracelet Tammy Duensing

AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS: 2:00 PM-5:00 PM

Free Hand Felt Lace Scarf	Tammy L Deck
Paper is Fiber Too!	Lynne Bergschultz
Quilting With Weaving	Jane Grogan

SUNDAY, JUNE 23

MORNING WORKSHOPS: 10:00 AM-1:00 PM

The "Lucille," a Beaded Knit Mini-PurseNancy VanDerPuy
Natural Indigo: The Magical DyepotStefania Isaacson
Flat Felt ~ Tapestry Scarf
Back to the Draft
Fine Fibers, Small Spindles Stephenie Gaustad
Hand Combing and Worsted SpinningCarol Wagner
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2013 Art Exhibition Calendar

June 6—July 28: 'Art al Fresco' An invitational exhibition featuring works of art for sale by local artists celebrating nature in a diversity of artistic media.

June 6—June 30: The northwest area arts council Annual Members' Show, featuring works of art by naac members and their families and it's second annual Kids & Nature Show, displaying works by young local artists ages 6-17.

July 5—July 28: The northwest area arts council presents the annual Fine Fiber Show, displaying works of art from the Midwest Fiber & Folk Art Fair.

August 8—September 29: Annual triple exhibition, featuring:

- Real People, an exhibition of figurative art, 'celebrating art through faces & figures'.
- Claymirth & Friends annual ceramic arts group exhibition
- Workshop for Contemporary Artists Annual Members' Show

October 3—October 27: Woodstock Weaver's Guild's Annual Members' Show, promoting hand weaving of artists from Southern Wisconsin and Northern Illinois.

October 3—November 3: Clayworkers Guild of Illinois Annual Members' Show, featuring fine ceramic artwork from across Illinois.

October 3—November 3: The E/ Art Group presents "Fly", an all-media invitational art exhibit.

November 7—January 5, 2014: The Old Court House presents its annual **Holiday Show** featuring artwork from Gallery Artists, **Vision of Sugar-plums**, a collection of fine art tree decorations, and **Artful Gifting**, a collection of ceramics perfect for Holiday giving.

The Old Court House Arts Center is located in the historic downtown square of Woodstock, IL. The gallery is open Thursdays—Saturdays 11am-5pm and Sundays 1-5pm. Visit the website to find out more information and to find the days and times of show receptions, which are open to the public: www.OldCourtHouseArtsCenter.com.

RT EXHIBITS AND SALES

Art Fair In planning the Fair, we set out to present fibers in a way that elevates and celebrates the work of our hands. Many of us take our skills and talents for granted. We don't think of them as "art", or even talent. Because fiber arts tenStilitarian item bought in a store. Our Exhibits are presented to inspire you,

delight you, and change those preconceptions both about what you create yourself and about what fibers can become.

FINE FIRER EXHIBIT

Fiber & Folk

Our Fine Fiber Exhibit is inspiration! This year we will proudly display the works of these fine artists:

Anna Olson (Goteborg, Sweden), Mary Kroetsch (Guelph, Ontario), Anna Chupa (Allentown, PA), Suzanne Ditsler

(Winnetka, IL), Cynthia Boudreau (Naperville, IL), Linda Bullen (Chicago, IL), Bettina Donaghy (Park Ridge, IL), Bronwyn Elkuss (Chicago, IL) Jane Brown (Wauconda, IL) Natasha Lehrer (Big Rock, IL), and Faith Agostinone (Waukegan, IL).





"Coral Reef Sculpture"

VINTAGE HANDBAG EXHIBIT

This exhibit is very special, indeed. Registrants take an antique pattern, courtesy of Coats & Clark, and create their own interpretation, in any manner of fiber art. It creates a whimsical and interesting display.

In 2013, we will be exhibiting the work of these artists:

Jean Apgar (Rockford, IL), Marianne Biagi (Morrison, IL), Cynthia Boudreau (Naperville, IL), Jane K Brown (Wauconda, IL), Erin Burke (Rockford, IL), Mary Jane Ceretto (Sioux Falls, SD), Judy Chan (Niles, IL), Noel Henke (Round Lake, IL), Anne Lecuyer (Crystal Lake, IL), Julie Lundberg (Port Washington, WI), Nancy Redden (Woodstock, IL), Judith Reilly (Woodstock, IL), Jenny Ross (Mundelein, IL), Sarah Rowe (Chicago, IL), Sue Rozycki (Casa Grande, AZ), Barbara Freeman (Algonquin, IL), and Diana Schoeneck (Algonquin, IL).

GARMENT EXTRAVAGANZA!

In 2012, we held our very first Garment Extravaganza, including a Runway Presentation on Saturday and Wearable Art Sale on Saturday. It was a GREAT success! We are proud to create an opportunity for artists who create wearable art to show and sell their work.

This year we will be featuring the garments of:

Cynthia Boudreau (Naperville, IL), Tammy Duensing (Prairie du Rocher, IL), Paula Grill (Wilmington, IL), Nancy Holme (Durand, IL), Peter McMasters (Stoughton, WI), Lenore Snyder (Hillsdale, MI), Crystal Woolsey (North Chicago, IL), and Liz Tekus (Cleveland, OH)

We would like to thank and recognize the members of our Garment Extravaganza Committee, who came through for us this year! They are:



Featured on this Above: Jan Macklin modelling "Lacy Russian Triangular Shawl" by Inna Voltchkova. Left: Kay Lange modelling "Purple Scarf" by Kim Hirschman. Right: Cindy Ziller modelling "Raglan Jacket" by Liz Tekus.

Jean Apaar "Silver and Gold"

2013 FTAA AWARDS

We congratulate all applicants this year. The work submitted was **OUTSTANDING** and made it difficult to choose. We were able to give three \$2,000 awards. Thanks to Toni Neil for her generous donation, and to Northwest Area Arts Council for their help in administering the awards.

The Northwest Area Arts Council is pleased to again present the Fine Fiber Exhibit. NAAC is an all-volunteer 501(c)3 non-profit agency dedicated to connecting artists of all ages with the community at large and to fostering creativity in all areas of life. This mission is accomplished by educating, informing, and inspiring the community through programs and events that encourage appreciation, participation, and support of the arts.

Visit www.naac4art.org to learn more and for a list of shows and exhibits.



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"Withered" Natalia Kalafut Nova Scotia College of Art & Design **BFA Program**



'Urban Peacock Red' **Susanne Hanbury** Wayne State University BFA Program



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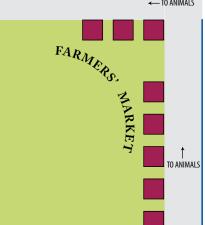
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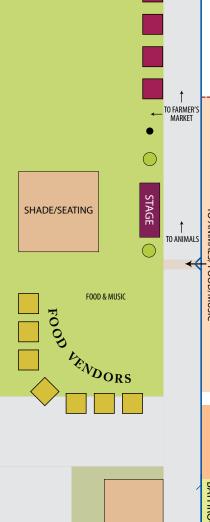
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Of course, we use all kinds of fibers in our work, but a large percentage of our work is done with animal fiber. We have wished for animals to be a part of the Fair since the very first year, but we were not located anywhere where animals were welcome until 2010, when we moved to the Lake County Fairgrounds.

We work to expand our animal presentation every year. Last year we had the largest llama shorn-fleece competition in the country! This year we are having our first ILR-sanctioned llama show. We welcome our furry friends!

THREE BAGS FULL SHORN FLEECE COMPETITION AND SALE







Begun in 2011, the Three Bags Full Fleece Competition & Sale has three goals:

- 1) To provide feedback and a market for our fleece producers
- 2) To provide top quality fleeces for our spinners
- 3) To inform the public about different animals and breeds, the fleeces they produce, and uses for different types of wool

There are three divisions: Sheep, Llama, and Alpaca, and three awards per class. We've got THE best cash awards for fleece in the country! Grand Champion receives \$125, and Reserve Champion receives \$100 (each division). Join us Friday morning at 10AM to watch the judging. Our judges will talk about the fleeces and educate the public about how to pick a fabulous fleece! Afterward, you can purchase your favorite fleece (or three). They may even be award-winning!

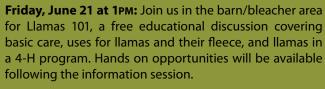
Our judges this year are: Division I Sheep: Neil Kentner; Division II Llama & Division III Alpaca: Mary Jo Miller. This year you will find the Fleece Competition at the very front of the Fair. Special thanks to The Fold and Animal Acres Llamas for organizing the whole thing!

Animals at the Fair!





Schedule:



Friday, June 21, 2:30PM: Non-ILR Open Peformance Classes

Friday, June 21, Afternoon: The Walking Fleece Competition will follow the Three Bags Full Shorn Fleece Competition - TBA

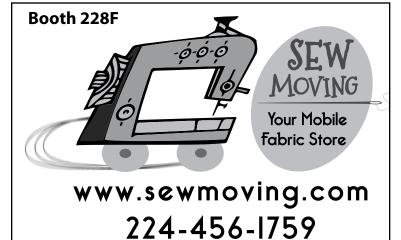
Saturday, June 22, 10AM: ILR Halter Classes begin and continue all day. Stop by and watch the fun!

Sunday, June 23: The Barn is CLOSED.











Off Square Music Presents Open Mic Nights in Woodstock

Off Square Music sponsors two Open Mic Nights each month at the Stage Left Café next to the Woodstock Opera House, usually on the second and fourth Friday of the month. We are proud to present a wonderful variety of folk and acoustic music performers in an intimate setting, with one of the finest sound systems around.

Musicians (or poets or actors or...) who would like to perform at the Open Mic should contact Keith at 815-338-5164, or email him at offsquare@gmail.com. Open Mic Nights start at 7PM and usually go on til midnight; performers get a 15 minute time slot. Join us, whether as a performer or audience member, or both! Visit our website at offsquaremusic.org for the schedule.

Off Square Music also co-sponsors the First Saturday Open Mic at the Unity Spiritual Center, 225 Calhoun St., Woodstock. Visit unitywoodstock.org/firstsaturday for details.

Upcoming concerts at the Unity Spiritual Center: Saturday, June 29 at 8 p.m. - Bryan Bowers Saturday, Aug. 10 at 8 p.m. - Michael Smith



Woodstock Harvest Fest Sunday, Sept. 15

Join us in the Woodstock Square on Sunday, Sept. 15, from noon to 5PM, for Harvest Fest and Fair In The Square with family fun for everyone! See craft demonstrations as well as musical events: banjo, guitar, fiddle and mandolin contests, acoustic jam, and featured artists.

Don't miss it!

For reservation information, contact Keith Johnson at (815) 338-5164 or email offsquare@gmail.com. Off Square Music is a Woodstock not for profit organization; visit our website at offsquaremusic.org to find out more



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EMONSTRATIONS & LESSONS

We have guilds and vendors who offer demonstrations and/or lessons at the Fair. Most vendors demonstrate in their booths. Guilds demonstrate in a special area at the front of the Fair, and you never know what you'll find going on in the Handworkers' Hangout!

Guild Demonstrations



Crocheters of the Lakes

Crocheters of the Lakes meets the second Monday of the month. Contact: *crochetersolakes@aol.com* with questions and to inquire about meeting locations.

Crocheters of the Lakes will have yarn and hooks to do mini how-to for anyone interested in trying crochet, and are collecting donated handmade hats for Haloes of Hope: www.halosofhope.org.

Foxy Lady Rug Hooking Guild

Foxy Lady Rug Hooking Guild meets on the second Saturday of each month (except Dec) 10:00 AM–3:00 PM at historic Beaubien Tavern, 921 School Street, Lisle Station, Lisle, IL.

Guild members will display rugs in a variety of styles, demonstrate rug hooking to the public, and provide one-hour "getting started" instructions to Fair visitors wanting to learn basic rug hook techniques.

Hollow Tree Spinners

Meets on the second Saturday of each month at 10:00 AM at The Fold, 3316 Millstream Rd., Marengo, IL.

During the Fair, Hollow Tree Spinners welcomes spinners, would-be spinners, and people who don't even understand centrifugal force to sit and spin with them. Members will also teach spinning on drop spindles and wheels.









USIC AT THE FAIR

We love our folk music at the Fair! We work with Off Square Music to find the best local talent to share with us at the Fair. You'll find musicians strolling around the indoor market and outdoors on the Main Stage. See daily performance schedule under Schedule of Events.



OFF SQUARE MUSIC

Thanks to the efforts, generous donation of time, and equipment, and dedication of Off Square Music, we have a wonderful selection of musical artists to entertain you at the Fair this year!

Off Square Music is a nonprofit volunteer-based organization dedicated to the promotion, preservation, and enjoyment of folk music. Find them at www.OffSauareMusic.ora

FEATURED PERFORMERS

FRIDAY

TRILLIUM—www.trilliumtheband.com

Trilliam's eclectic repertoire ranges in style from Celtic to folk to ragtime to swing to bluegrass, and appeals to all ages and most musical tastes!

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"...the musical chemistry only gets better with time. The Berrymans offer refreshing observations on the human condition in a style blending folk music with musical comedy... The humor draws on Lou's gifts as a melody writer, accordion player, and vocal comedienne, as well as Peter's guitar and vocal skills and extraordinary lyric writing... Few can resist laughing out loud by the middle of the second song; this stuff grows on you... These two delightfully twisted imaginations continue in full bloom..."-Art Wojtowicz. musicHound Folk: The Essential Album Guide.

SATURDAY

COMPASS—Compass is composed of five men in search of a direction. It is commonly known that men never ask for directions. Members of The Lake County Folk Club: Jerry Thiel, Dave Borton, Chuck VanderVennet, Tom Bradfish, and Diccon Lee formed this quintet from a mutual desire to unleash their passion for acoustic adventure music. "Compass presents a veritable folk festival..."-Dave Humphreys, Two Way Street Coffee House

SMALL POTATOES—www.smallpotatoesmusic.com "Jacquie Manning and Rich Prezioso combine cleverly witty with powerfully poignant songs...to present an unusually entertaining and involving repertoire engagingly delivered. Prezioso's song "1000 Candles, 1000 Cranes" is one of the most outstanding songs of the past 50 years."-Rich Warren, The Midnight Special - WFMT Radio, Chicago, IL

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to continue to improve the Fair. Sponsors are the gasoline that makes the engine go, and ours have again been intrepid, believing in, and supporting us as we start out our journey to the Fair. And Staff—you are more volunteer than staff, and the heart and soul of the Fair!

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