

## **Williamsburg Spinners & Weavers Guild**

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**September, 2013**

### **Monthly Meeting**

Monday, September 16, 2013  
10:00 am (9:30 am social time) to 1:00 pm  
at **JCC Recreation Center**

### **Program**

Using computer software to work on  
drafts for your loom using  
Fiber works PC  
(if you have a laptop, please download the demo version  
and bring your laptop to the meeting)

### **Snacks**

Beverly Levinson, sweet; Kathy Kuhn, savory

### **Bash**

No Bash in September

**WSWG**  
**Minutes August 19, 2013**  
**Williamsburg Unitarian Church**

The meeting was called to order by President Sandi Petty at 10:05 am at the Williamsburg Unitarian Church. Sandi welcomed Mary Cooper, guest of Natalie Canfield.

**Minutes:**

A motion was made and seconded to accept the minutes from the July meeting as written in the August newsletter.

**Committee Reports:**

Treasurer: \$3605.03

A motion was made and passed to send the Unitarian Church \$250 for our use of the facilities for our June Workshop. Ingrid will send a check.

Librarian: The new library list will be ready by the September meeting. Dave Banks will be given a thumb drive containing the list and will put it on our website for members to download a copy if they wish.

Membership: Two new members have joined the guild but they were not at the meeting. They were part of the spinning class.

Sunshine: Selma's husband is still receiving treatment and dealing with doctors so she is unable at this time to come to the meetings.

Workshops: Please think about workshops you would like. If you know of anyone who would do a workshop that will interest the group please let Sandi or Micki know.

There is no bash in September due to the holiday.

Snacks for September's meeting: Beverly Levinson, sweet; Kathy Kuhn, savory

The October meeting, on natural dying, will be at Rosalie Brown's Bentwaters Farm.

**Old Business:**

If anyone is interested in selling things they should think about taking a booth at 2nd Sunday Fair.

**New Business:**

On September 21 we are doing the Williamsburg Farmers Market. There will be a list for people to sign if they are interested in a beginning weaving class.

In the Summer 2013 issue of *Shuttle Spindle and Dyepot* Magazine there is an article by former Guild members Cathy Sterling and Bernadette Marquez on weaving on CDs. There are many pictures of finished woven CDs.

**Show and Tell:**

Virginia Banks - small quilt squares to be used for a quilt

Judy Mooers – 2 skeins lace white yarn and 3 scarves

Dee Smith – shawl, scarf, and yarn

Barbara Frey – wing span scarf

Helen Cadogan - tapestry called "Let there be Light!"

Sandi Petty – from MAFA Workshop a painted warp dress, baby blanks, red & white 2 piece set

Micki Decker: new pieces

Mary Beth Hawn – knit linen tee

Natalie Canfield – scarves, yarn

Mary Cooper (guest) – hand knitted vest

Kathy Kuhn – scarf

Ingrid Kross – baby blanket, zoom loom

Today's program will be spinning instead of having it in September. The program for September will be using software to work on

drafts for your loom. It was asked if those who have a laptop would please download Fiber Works PC demo package and bring their laptop to the meeting.

Submitted by  
Mary Lou Birns  
with corrections by Marsha Rehkamp

Attendees  
Linda Adamchak, Virginia Bank, Mary Lou Birns, Rosalie Brown, Helen Cadogan, Natalie Canfield, Micki Decker, Barbara Frey, Jane Gustafson, Mary Beth Hawn, Ingrid Kross, Kathy Kuhn, Beverly Levinson, Judy Mooers, Sandi Petty, Micki Pugh, Dee Smith,

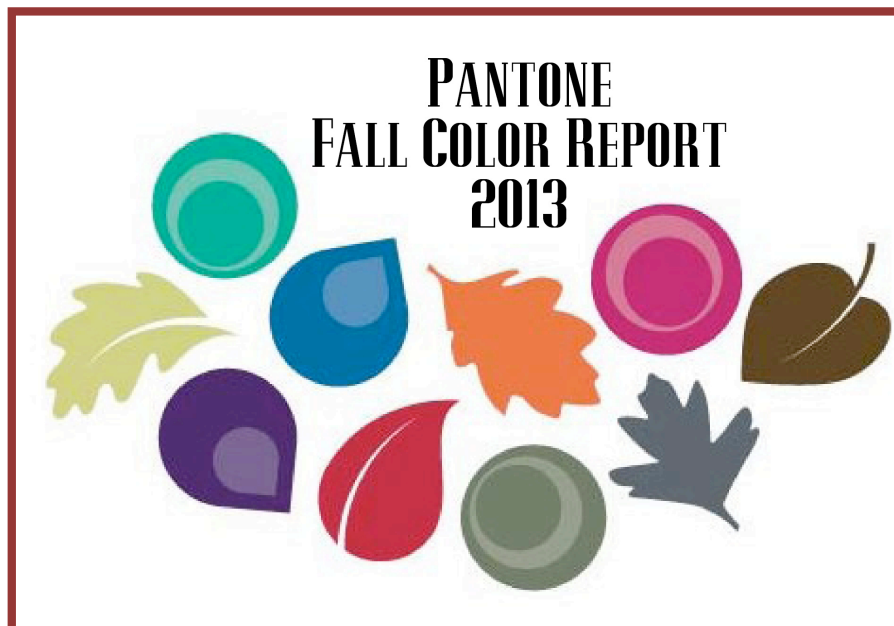
### **Barbara Frey's Triple Chocolate Cake**

1/4 cup oil  
1 box Devil's Food Cake Mix  
1 box instant chocolate pudding mix  
1 cup chocolate chips  
1 1/2 cups water  
2 eggs

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Pour the oil into a 9 x 13 pan and spread evenly. Add remaining ingredients. Mix with a fork or spoon until well blended. Scrape sides well. Bake for 35-45 minutes.

#### Variations:

- Add 1 tablespoon instant coffee granules.
- Drain a can of dark sweet cherries into a measuring cup and add enough water to equal 1 1/2 cups. Add instead of plain water. Scatter cherries on top of mixed cake. They will be mostly covered when the cake is finished.
- Add 1 cup of chopped nuts.



For more info on the Pantone Fall 2013 Color Report  
<http://www.pantone.com/pages/fcr.aspx?pg=21057&ca>

**FYI**

**September Birthday:  
Jane Gustafson  
9/25**

## **Upcoming Fiber Events**

Saturday, September 21, 7:30-11:30 am

**WSWG Demonstrations at Williamsburg Farmers Market**

Merchant's Square, Williamsburg

Saturday and Sunday, September 28 & 29

**Shenandoah Fiber Festival**

Berryville, VA

for more information go to <http://www.shenandoahvalleyfiberfestival.com>

Saturday & Sunday, October 5 & 6

**26<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Fiber Festival & Montpelier Sheep Dog Trials**

At James Madison's Montpelier at Montpelier Station, VA

For more information got to [www.fallfiberfestival.org](http://www.fallfiberfestival.org)

### **WSWG 2013 Officers**

President	Sandi Petty
Vice-President	Micki Pugh
Treasurer	Ingrid Kross
Secretary	Marsha Rehkamp