Minutes - Tavern Spinners & Weavers Guild

May 1, 2019

Meeting called to order at 12:04 pm

Members in attendance: Kathy, Judy, Tom, Melinda, Sandi, Susan and Betty

April's Minutes were approved as submitted

Treasurer's Report: Susan's report can be found in the Secretary's' Book.

Board Liaison Report: Jan's report of the April RHHT board was emailed to the guild on April 17th.

Old Business:

1. Next Steps April 17th – we had 11 in attendance and had great discussion & much learned

2. How-to Articles for Foundation & TSWG website – Lee is working on these

3. FFF – Skein, Garment and Fiber competition – be thinking about something to enter

4. Next Step Topics – for May 15th Fiber and yarn identification and yardage calculation was selected

a. Software

b. Finishing

c. Book and pattern interpretation

d. Weaving to wear

e. Different loom styles

f. Weaving structures (twill, overshot, etc.)

g. Weaving tartans

h. Tricks of the trade

New Business:

- 1. Northumberland Elementary 4th graders visit will be May 31st more volunteers are always needed, let us know if you are available. Judy and Lynn are available to do spinning and Tom, Sandi, and possibly Melinda for weaving
- 2. Grandparent's camp our spinning and weaving day will be Friday July 12th. We decided we will do wall hangings again and a 2nd learn and take home project will be cardboard looms
- 3. As a thank you to Mark and Bev for our new signs, we will give each of them a \$25 gift certificate to use in the Café or shop
- 4. If you have extra weaving equipment or are looking for additional equipment you can post a notice on the bulletin board or let Kathy post it on our web site. Of course come hang out in the studio and share with each other there will also work!
- 5. There is still a good workshop selection available for MAFA, registration continues to May 31.
- 6. Check out our web site and if ordering from the Woolery your link through our site will mean a little of your purchase money will come back to us. www.tavernspinweave.org
- 7. We discussed the possibility of a spinning workshop with Patsy Zawistoski as well as bringing an inspirational speaker to the Tavern. Tom will get the information on an exceptional gentleman he knows of.

Next meeting will be: June 5, 2019

Calendar dates:

• Every Friday – Thread Addicts 8:30 to noon – HAC

	TSWG	Activity	Farmers'
	meetings		Market
May	1		18
	15	Next Steps	
	31	Northumberland 4 th gr. Visit	
June	5		15
	19	Next Steps	
July	10		20
		TSWG Grandparents' camp day –	
		July 12	
	17	Next Steps	
August	7		17
	21	Next Steps	
September	4		21
	18	Next Steps	
October	2		19
	5 & 6	Fall Fiber Festival	
	16	Next Steps	
November	6		
	20	Next Steps	
December	4		
	7	Golden Christmas	
	18	Next Steps	