

# HOOKER HAPPENINGS

## Crooked River Rug Hookers

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Please take a moment today to remember why we are celebrating and to thank a veteran. Freedom isn't free. May God bless our soldiers, past and present.

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Welcome to my first newsletter. Sorry it has taken me (Lauren Fuqua) so long to get this sent. I am the master procrastinator. Please bear with me. This will be a learning curve for me and already I am having "issues". I welcome articles to include. Without input, this will be a pretty boring newsletter 😊

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Some suggestions for our newsletter have been as follows.

**Birthdays** - Please send your birthday to me at [lauren@centurytel.net](mailto:lauren@centurytel.net). (Please be sure to put CRRH in the subject line. We all get so much junk it would be easy to miss.)

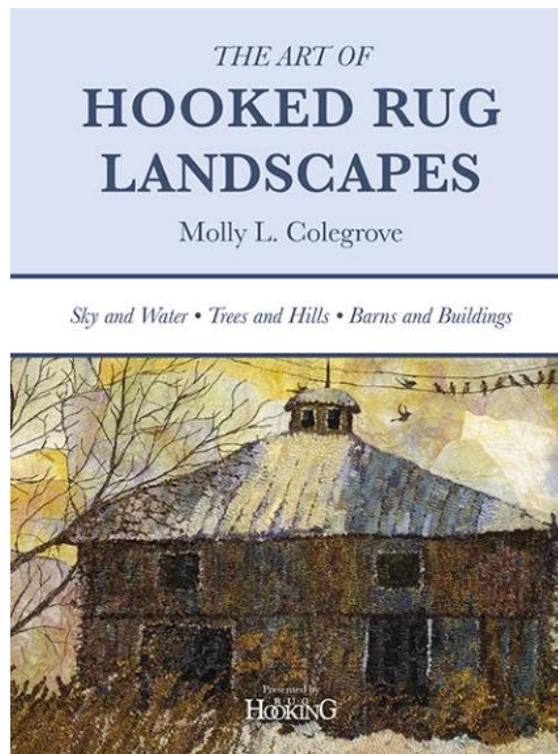
**Tips and tricks** are always welcome.

**Upcoming events** that you would think others would be interested in?

**For Sale and ISO** (in search of)

**Book Reviews** - Do you have a favorite hooking book? Anything fiber related? How about just a good read you would recommend?

Speaking of books, have you seen the latest offering from Rug hooking Magazine?



Two members of Crooked River have rugs included in the book. Kim Hirt has a rug on page 108 and Mary Hetrick has THREE rugs, pages 114, 115 and 116. Congrats, ladies.

# SAVE THE DATE

Our hook in is scheduled for September 17, 2022. Many thanks to Sharon Morton and Debbie Frances for taking on the responsibility of co-chairing this event. Without their agreeing to chair this event it could not happen!

Members are asked to hook a mat that will be used as door prizes. The mats are asked to be approximately 8" x 8" or the equivalent. Of course, larger mats are welcome, too. Think fall...pumpkins, leaves, turkeys, geometrics in fall colors, etc.

We will also be hooking sunflowers and attaching them to bedsprings. This will be a project we will be working on at guild meetings.

## Calendar of Events

April 2, 2022 - Connie Bradley's spring hook in (Flyer will be emailed separately. I'm challenged, remember?)

April 30, 2022 - Western Reserve hook in. This hook in is full and there is a wait list for members only

June 4, 2022 - Great Lakes hook in - Susanne Woodbury

October 15, 2022 - Ft. Laurens hook in

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A big thank you to our new officers. Without volunteers, we could not continue as an ATHA Guild.

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Looking ahead, 2022 is shaping up to be a good year. Our first meeting of the new year is **January 26** and we will continue to meet monthly (fingers crossed). Our hook in is scheduled and our Education Committee, Linda Waitrovich and Mary O'Donnell, are working on bringing teachers.

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I leave you with a little Thanksgiving humor 😊

