



HOOKER HAPPENINGS

Crooked River Rug Hookers

October 2022



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HELLO FALL! Fall did not ease its way in. We went from the Dog Days of Summer to downright chilly...or in my opinion...cold.

I would like to thank our hook in chairs, Sharon Morton and Debbie Francis along with Heidi Kramer, for all their hard work and efforts. Though attendance was down

a bit, it was a wonderful event and a good time was had by all. The guild made nearly \$2,000!!!

Plans are already being made for 2023 ~ and Heidi has graciously agreed to chair it.

A big THANK YOU to Laura Gill who has agreed to take the position of vice president. It is wonderful to get new people involved.

A little bit about Laura ...

Laura began hooking in late 2019 and was taught by Heidi Kramer. She prefers whimsical, colorful types of rugs and would like to learn more about incorporating mixed media into her rugs. She has taken classes at Sauder Village from instructors including Ali Strebels, Ann Bond & Nancy Stowers and enjoys the friendship and educational opportunities of the Crooked River Guild. Laura has worked at Eaton for the last 28 years where she is currently a Manager in Human Resources.

Keep on hooking everyone!  
Lauren

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President's Musings

It was great to see all the members that had recovered enough to come to the meeting. We have some great meetings coming up. I am just going to mention them, you can read more further in the Newsletter. In October we will be having the button lady. I have heard that she is wonderful. I do not know about you, but I am always looking for the right button and I have jars of them around the house. Kelly Kanyok will be doing a short demo on punch needle in November. Then there is more to come.

We have discovered in the By-Laws:

Section 3. All members in good standing will serve two hours of service to the Chapter per fiscal year. Members will annually report their hours to the Membership Chairperson via a "Service Report Form" (Article VI; Section 5.a.10).

There are plenty of chances to demonstrate and introduce people to Rug Hooking and as was pointed out at the meeting on [Wednesday](#), none of us are getting younger and we need to show interested people that the craft is still alive and well. It is also

a chance to get to know each other better. It is also where I get the most work done on projects and learn different methods.

Cheers,

Nancy

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## Calendar of Events

October 15 - Ft. Laurens hook in

November 12 - wide cut shading class with Kim Hirt. If interested contact Mary O'Donnell at [odonnelldesigns@yahoo.com](mailto:odonnelldesigns@yahoo.com) or Linda Waitrovich at [ljrwaitro@gmail.com](mailto:ljrwaitro@gmail.com) ASAP.

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Demonstrations

Two places you are welcome to come demonstrate.

October 2, Brunswick Farmers Market, 4613 Laurel Road, Brunswick, Ohio 44212. 10 to 5. Nancy Page is usually there by 8:00 to set up.

October 15 & 16, Autumn Fiber Festival, 2042 Claremont Avenue, Ashland, Ohio 44805, 10 to 5 both days.

Please come and show off the craft. Just let Nancy Page know you are coming just in case we have changes to schedule.

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**Our 2022 meeting dates at Westlake Porter Library - please note we will be meeting in December, January and February**

November 16 (Note this is the third Wednesday because of Thanksgiving)  
December 28

Snacks/treats are most welcome at our meetings. If you would like to bring something, please email Nancy Weitendorf at [n.weitendorf0709@gmail.com](mailto:n.weitendorf0709@gmail.com).

### **Items for meeting raffles**

If you have items you would like to donate, we welcome items for the raffles at our monthly meetings. It can be any item(s), wool, worms, hooks, patterns, etc.

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More from president Nancy ~

Newsletter Information

I like the newsletter. It is a great way to let members that cannot make it to the meetings catch up on what is going on. Lauren could really use news items. So let us know what is going on with you, I.E. How great was the workshop you attended, did you get an award, yard sale find, new grandchild, or pet. No news is too small.

Patty Cassidy is a member whose position is to send out cards to members that are going through a rough patch, surgery for them or a loved one. Death of a family member or just needs a bit of cheering up. Please let Patty Cassidy know (C3pzat@aol.com) so she can send a card or let the membership know so we can send cards. There was even a fun one with one of the groups I belong to where we at the request of the mother sent card to her son who turned 50.

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#### **Our current officers ~**

President Nancy Page - [nancy2page@gmail.com](mailto:nancy2page@gmail.com)

Vice-president Laura Gill - [lauragill@eaton.com](mailto:lauragill@eaton.com)

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Treasurer Kim Hirt - [becauseofEWE@gmail.com](mailto:becauseofEWE@gmail.com)

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I leave you with a yummy recipe ~ perfect for fall.

PUMPKIN DIP

Recipe calls for:

5 oz instant vanilla pudding

2T pumpkin spice

15 oz can of pumpkin

16 oz Cool Whip

What I used:

Sugar free pudding

12 oz low fat Cool Whip

About 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ T pumpkin spice

Mix together first three ingredients

Mix in cool whip

Serve with vanilla wafers or graham crackers

