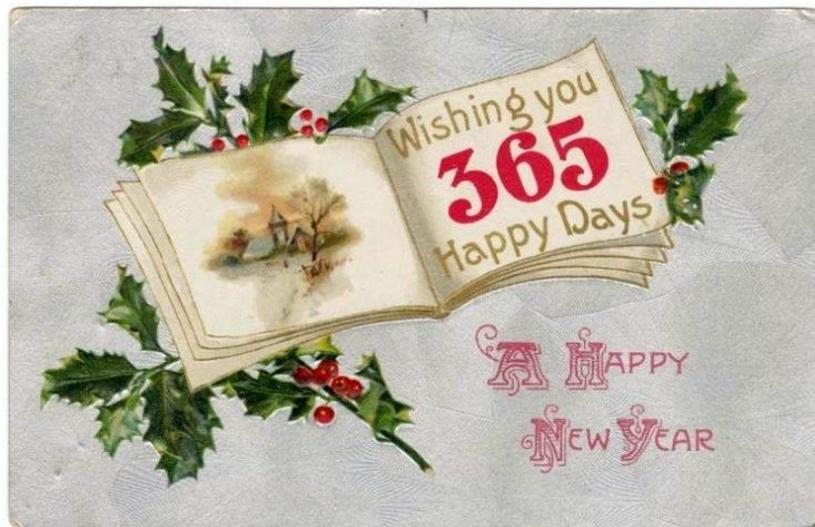


# HOOKER HAPPENINGS

Crooked River Rug Hookers

January 2022

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I hope everyone had the Merriest Christmas ever and this new year finds you happy and healthy. I know many have been sick, some with Covid and some with just the winter crud. If you have been sick, I wish you a speedy recovery.

I don't make New Year's resolutions because I fail miserably at them, but did make myself a "goal" of doing better with the newsletter. Well...you can see how well that is working 😊 I really will try to do better but I need your help. Please send me ([lauren@centurytel.net](mailto:lauren@centurytel.net)) articles, book reviews, birthdays, tips, etc., for me to include.

Our January meeting is scheduled for the 26<sup>th</sup> and fingers crossed the library will be open for us to meet.

Happy hooking,  
Lauren

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## Calendar of Events

February 12, 2022 - Wild & Wooly, Berea Fairgrounds, 11 am - 4 pm

April 2, 2022 - Connie Bradley's spring hook in

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

### **September 17, 2022 - Hooktoberfest**

**Members are asked to hook a mat that will be used as a door prize at Hooktoberfest. 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.**

October 15, 2022 - Ft. Laurens hook in

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Are you interested in attending a rug camp? Dragonfly on the Lakes at Cedar Lakes in Ripley, WV, will be held May 8-13. Our very own, most talented, Sibyl Osicka is one of the teachers, along with Jeanne Benjamin, Sue Clark, Gail Dufresne, Liz Marino, Kris McDermet and Joan Reckwerdt. Contact Christine Hornby at [hornbychrisgds@gmail.com](mailto:hornbychrisgds@gmail.com) for more information.

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I leave you with some humor ~ compliments of Linda Koch.

1. When one door closes and another door opens, you are probably in prison.
2. To me, "drink responsibly" means don't spill it.
3. Age 60 might be the new 40, but 9:00 pm is the new midnight.
4. It's the start of a brand new day, and I'm off like a herd of turtles.
5. The older I get, the earlier it gets late.
6. When I say, "The other day," I could be referring to any time between [yesterday](#) and 15 years ago.
7. I remember being able to get up without making sound effects.
8. I had my patience tested. I'm negative.
9. Remember, if you lose a sock in the dryer, it comes back as a Tupperware lid that doesn't fit any of your containers.
10. If you're sitting in public and a stranger takes the seat next to you, just stare straight ahead and say, "Did you bring the money?".
11. When you ask me what I am doing [today](#), and I say "nothing," it does not mean I am free. It means I am doing nothing.
12. I finally got eight hours of sleep. It took me three days, but whatever.
13. I run like the winded.
14. I hate when a couple argues in public, and I missed the beginning and don't know whose side I'm on.

15. When someone asks what I did over the weekend, I squint and ask, "Why, what did you hear?"
16. When you do squats, are your knees supposed to sound like a goat chewing on an aluminum can stuffed with celery?
17. I don't mean to interrupt people. I just randomly remember things and get really excited.
18. When I ask for directions, please don't use words like "east."
19. Don't bother walking a mile in my shoes. That would be boring. Spend 30 seconds in my head. That'll freak you right out.
20. Sometimes, someone unexpected comes into your life out of nowhere, makes your heart race, and changes you forever. We call those people cops.
21. My luck is like a bald guy who just won a comb.