

Clatsop Weavers and Spinners Guild- LeAnn Meyer

Fall 2018 Guild Report

The Clatsop Weavers and Spinners Guild meets the 3rd Tuesday of most months, in Astoria, at the Astoria Fiber Arts Studio. The Spinning group meets the 1st Tues. of each month at a member's home. There are currently 16 members from both sides of the Columbia River.

May: The Guild hosted an Exaltation of Blocks workshop with Rosalie Neilson. No two rep weave runners were the same in color or patterning, but all were beautiful. Below is a photo of some of the completed runners. There were 9 individuals who enjoyed the workshop. Thank you, WeGO, for helping to sponsor this great learning experience.



Great news from ANWG....we were awarded a \$600 grant to help fund a 3-day Dyeing Extravaganza with Janis Thompson. That workshop is scheduled for March 2019.

June/July: Members were encouraged to create something for the state fair.

Aug.: Four members of the Guild attended Marilyn Robert's Ikat Warp and Weft class at the Eugene Textile Center and returned with plans to share the technique with other interested guild members.



Five members of the guild entered items in the Oregon State Fair in weaving, spinning and knitting categories. Numerous ribbons were won and even a Judge's Choice ribbon was awarded to a woven item. Unfortunately not all of our guild members can submit items to the fair as they live on the opposite side of the Columbia River, in WA.

