

## WeGO Fall 2018 Guild Report

### Central Oregon Spinners and Weavers

The time since our last gathering has been very busy for the COSW (Central Oregon Spinners and Weavers). In addition to our two monthly guild meetings the third Wednesday and the floating Saturday meeting COSW members have taken part in two county and state fairs, two maker fairs, shearing festivals and spin ins and three workshops.

The shearing festivals were held at two of our alpaca ranches.



Crook County Fair

The county and state fairs are pretty much straight forward as most guilds participate in their local county fairs. This year Deschutes County fair added a maker's fair to show how fabric is made from the hoof to the finished cloth. The Deschutes County library did very much the same thing demonstrating how fabric is made from spinning the yarn to weaving the fabric. Through these two events we added new members to our spinning and weaving community the youngest being 8 years old. Our roster is 109 strong.



Deschutes County Maker Fair

COSW sent 22+ entries to the state fair.

With the fairs barley finished COSW welcomed Judith MacKenzie and Robyn Spady to central Oregon for three outstanding workshops.

