

Fiber Fusion Northwest 2019 Demonstration Schedule of Events

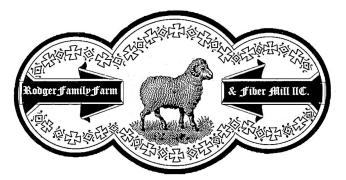


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## Don't miss the Shearing Demonstrations!

Sheep Shearing demonstrations will take place each day near the Live Fiber Animals. Angora Rabbit Shearing demonstrations will take place each day at Demo Station #2. (Sheep sheared: 1pm Sat & Sun. Rabbit shearing times: on Demo #2 schedule.)

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## **New This Year!**

Rodger Family Farm \* Fiber Mill will be bring some of their mill equipment!

Watch demonstrations on the mill equipment and learn about fiber processing!

| Demo Station #1: Fiber Arts ~ Commercial Bldg |                                            |                                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| SATURDAY                                      |                                            |                                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Day / Time                                    | Demonstrator                               | Topic                                            |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9:30 to 9:50                                  | Jennie Cook of Mad Hatter Fibers           | Blending Board                                   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10:00 to 10:50                                | Julie Bruck                                | Basketry                                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11:00 to 11:20                                | Mimi Dillman                               | Tatting                                          |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11:30 to 11:50                                | Anna Anderson of Calico Farm Fiber Art     | Needle Felting                                   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12:00 to 12:50                                | Kelley Dragon of Pacific NW Wool           | Nano Electric Spinner: Setup & Troubleshooting   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1:00 to 1:50                                  | Courtney Imhoff of DragonNight Art         | Needle Felting                                   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2:00 to 2:50                                  | Carol Osterman of Akyla Farms              | Pin Loom Weaving                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3:00 to 3:50                                  | Carol Watson                               | Temari Balls (Japanese woven balls using thread  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4:00 to 4:50                                  | Karen Chabinsky                            | Plying on a Wheel                                |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5:00 to 5:50                                  | Patty of Eugene Textile Center             | Warping & Weaving on a Rigid Heddle Loom         |  |  |  |  |  |
|                                               | SUNDAY                                     |                                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Day / Time                                    | Demonstrator                               | Topic                                            |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10:00 to 10:50                                | Danielle Wallace of Purly Shell Fiber Arts | Drop Spindle                                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11:00 to 11:50                                | Patty of Eugene Textile Center             | Inkle Loom Weaving                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12:00 to 12:50                                | Courtney Imhoff of DragonNight Art         | Needle Felting                                   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1:00 to 1:50                                  | Carol Watson                               | Temari Balls (Japanese woven balls using thread) |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2:00 to 2:50                                  | Allison Harding of Fleebers Farm           | Spinning Alternative Fibers                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3:00 to 3:20                                  | Jennie Cook of Mad Hatter Fibers           | Blending Board                                   |  |  |  |  |  |

**Drop Spindle** 

Allen R. Berry Woodcarver

3:30 to 3:50

# **New This Year:**

#### Fiber Fusion Northwest ~ Demo Station #2: Fleece ~ Display Hall

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| SATURDAY                                                          |                                               |                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  |  |  |  |
| Day / Time                                                        | Demonstrator                                  | Topic                                                                            | Topic Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |  |  |  |  |
| 10:00 to 10:50                                                    | Heather Campbell of Purly Shell Fiber Arts    | Angora Rabbits, Shearing, & Angora Fiber                                         | Why are angora rabbits a great urban homestead animal? Learn about the 5 different breeds and their fiber.                                                                                                                                                                     |  |  |  |  |
| 11:00 to 11:50                                                    | Niki Kuklenski<br>of JNK Llama Farm           | Llamas and their fleece (+ other Camelids)                                       | A camelid judge will teach about Llamas, camelids, and their fleeces.                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |  |  |  |
| 12:00 to 12:50                                                    | Heather Campbell of Purly Shell Fiber Arts    | Washing Fleece                                                                   | Washing fleeces doesn't have to be difficult or hard. Wash fleece in small batches with minimal equipment.                                                                                                                                                                     |  |  |  |  |
| 1:00 to 1:50                                                      | Dean Hyden<br>of Shepherd's Bounty            | Ask the Judge. A perspective on fleece evaluation & preparation for competition. | Bring your own fleece samples or use one provide for a hands on question and answer session. This demo will focus on what storage, handling, preparation strategies are recommended and the best methods of presentation for your fleece for exhibit at fairs and fiber shows. |  |  |  |  |
| 2:00 to 2:50                                                      | Shannon Shanks<br>of Thistlebrook Angoras     | Angora Rabbits, Shearing, & Angora Fiber                                         | Why are angora rabbits a great urban homestead animal? Learn about the 5 different breeds and their fiber.                                                                                                                                                                     |  |  |  |  |
| 3:00 to 3:50                                                      | Barbara Seeler<br>of BJS Fiber                | What do you Do with "Free" Fiber?                                                | Ensure you don't bring something unwanted home with that "free" fiber. Focus will be on moths, egg casings, mold, and the pitfalls of "free" fleeces and fiber.                                                                                                                |  |  |  |  |
| 4:00 to 4:50                                                      | Danielle Wallace<br>of Purly Shell Fiber Arts | Beginners Guide to Buying a Fleece                                               | Every fleece is good for something, but is not great for everything. Find the right fleece to fit your needs                                                                                                                                                                   |  |  |  |  |
| 5:00 to 5:50                                                      | Heather Campbell of Purly Shell Fiber Arts    | Skirting & Prepping Fleece                                                       | Skirting and prepping fleece is the key to successful fiber arts. Learn how to grade your fiber and decide what it is best used for.                                                                                                                                           |  |  |  |  |

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#### **SUNDAY**

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| 9:00 to 9:50   | Heather Campbell of Purly Shell Fiber Arts    | Beginners Guide to Buying a Fleece                                               | Every fleece is good for something, but is not great for everything. Find the right fleece to fit your needs                                                                              |  |  |  |
| 10:00 to 10:50 | Amy Wolf                                      | Ask the Judge. A perspective on fleece evaluation & preparation for competition. | Skirting for show quality fleeces, what to look for in a show fleece, and all things fleece. Bring your own fleece samples or use one provide for a hands on question and answer session. |  |  |  |
| 11:00 to 11:50 | Rebecca Suryan<br>of Alpacas from Mars        | Alpaca Fleece & Alpacas                                                          | Learn about Alpacas and their fleece from an experienced breeder.                                                                                                                         |  |  |  |
| 12:00 to 12:50 | Danielle Wallace<br>of Purly Shell Fiber Arts | <b>W</b> ashing Fleece                                                           | Washing fleeces doesn't have to be difficult or hard. Wash fleece in small batches with minimal equipment.                                                                                |  |  |  |
| 1:00 to 1:50   | Rhonda Wreggelsworth of Rimini's Stilly Ranch | Mohair Fleece & Angora Goats                                                     | Learn about Angora Goats and their mohair fiber from an experienced breeder.                                                                                                              |  |  |  |
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The all-new 'Ask an Expert' Station is designed for those who already have some experience, but need extra help to get to the next step. Bring your fiber projects and get those burning questions answered by experts from a variety of fiber arts fields!

| Saturday       |                                      |                      | Sunday         |                                        |                       |
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| TIME           | EXPERT                               | TOPIC                | TIME           | EXPERT                                 | TOPIC                 |
| 10:30 to 11:20 |                                      | ТВА                  | 10:30 to 11:20 | Brenda Treibel of<br>WorksinWool       | Needle Felting        |
| 11:30 to 12:20 | Tammy Dow                            | Needle Felting       | 11:30 to 12:20 | Sari Peterson of<br>Twists & Turnings  | Wheel Spinning        |
| 12:30 to 1:20  | Meg Job                              | Spinning Wheel Fixes | 12:30 to 1:20  | Annette Mentzer of The Handmade Scot   | Knitting              |
| 1:30 to 2:20   | Annette Mentzer of The Handmade Scot | Knitting             | 1:30 to 2:20   | Rebecca Suryan of<br>Alpacas from Mars | Wet Felting           |
| 2:30 to 3:20   | Tandy Imhoff of<br>Smart Cat Studios | Crochet              | 2:30 to 3:20   | Tandy Imhoff of<br>Smart Cat Studios   | Crochet &<br>Knitting |
| 3:30 to 4:20   | A Meg Jobe                           | Spinning Wheel Fixes | 3:30 to 4:20   | Sari Peterson of<br>Twists & Turnings  | Wheel Spinning        |
| 4:30 to 5:20   | Allison Harding of Fleebers Farm     | Wheel Spinning       |                |                                        |                       |