

Weave a Tencel or Bamboo Scarf

Huntsville Fiber Guild

September – December 2018

Start at the beginning to *Weave a Tencel Scarf*. Go through all the steps: plan the project, create the warp, space dye the yarn if desired, dress the loom and weave. This workshop is for novice weavers as well as advanced weavers.

Each person will weave one scarf, approximately 7" x 72", of 10/2 Tencel or 8/2 Bamboo. If time and skill permit, you may be able to weave samples on other looms. Intermediate weavers may be able to weave scarves on other looms.

You have the option of weaving on your own loom (floor, table or rigid heddle) or borrowing a loom.

We will plan the scarves and order yarn in September, create the warps and space dye some of the warps in October, warp the looms in November, weave the scarves in December and finish weaving (if necessary) in January. There is a limit of 12 participants due to the available space at the member's *Weaving Studio* in Toney. When you pre-register, you will receive driving directions to the *Weaving Studio*.

There are four fee options, depending on how much work you are willing to do.

Option A. \$15 to use guild purchased yarn on your own loom. You will create your warp, space dye the yarn if desired, warp your own loom and weave a scarf.

You may purchase extra yarn for more than one scarf. You must reserve your yarn and pay by September 25. The price for extra yarn will depend on the amount of yarn ordered.

The yarn fee includes the option to dye your yarn in the *Kathrin Weber Method of Space Dyeing Workshop* in October. For an additional fee, you may dye more warps that you provide.

Option B. \$25 to use guild purchased yarn on a borrowed loom. You will create your warp, space dye the yarn if desired, warp the borrowed loom and weave a scarf. The yarn fee includes the option to dye your yarn in the *Kathrin Weber Method of Space Dyeing Workshop* in October.

Option C. \$35 to use guild purchased yarn on a borrowed loom, the guild will create your warp. You will warp the borrowed loom and weave a scarf.

Option D. \$65 to use guild purchased yarn on a borrowed loom, and the guild will prepare the borrowed loom for you (create warp and warp borrowed loom). You will weave a scarf.

Schedule and Deadlines

Deadline

The Tuesday September 25 deadline to sign up for the \$15 (*Option A*) and \$25 (*Option B*) has passed. Contact the guild immediately to see if *Option A* or *Option B* is still available.

Create Warps

Tuesday October 9, 6:30 p.m., Cooper House.

Divide yarn for the warps. Wind some warps, especially those which will be dyed. Learn how to create a warp.

Kathrin Weber Method of Space Dyeing Workshop

Saturday October 20, 10:00 a.m. and Tuesday October 30, 6:30 p.m., member's *Weaving Studio* in Toney.

Dye the warp you have prepared earlier. Learn the *Kathrin Weber Method of Space Dyeing*. This workshop is optional for weaving the Tencel scarf. If you have another cellulose warp (not purchased from the guild) that you want to dye, there will be a small charge for the dyes that day. *These dates and times are subject to change. Contact the guild to pre-register, and we'll keep you up-to-date.*

Create Warps Continued

Tuesday October 23, 6:30 p.m., Cooper House.

Continue to divide yarn for the warps. Learn how to make a warp.

Last Chance Deadline

November 1 is the last chance deadline if the guild is creating your warp for \$35 (*Option C*) and \$65 (*Option D*). There will be limited selections of patterns and colors. Space may not be available in the workshop. All remaining fees are due on November 1.

Warp Looms

November dates TBD, member's *Weaving Studio* in Toney.

Start warping looms. Learn how to warp a loom. There will be multiple dates and times.

Weave a Tencel Scarf

December dates TBD, member's *Weaving Studio* in Toney.

Start weaving your scarf. Learn how to weave.

Weave a Tencel Scarf Continued

January 17, 2019, member's *Weaving Studio* in Toney.

Finish weaving scarves, if necessary.

Sign up by email to the guild, **HsvFiber@gmail.com** or in person at the September 25 meeting.

You may contact the guild by phone at 256-384-5515. Leave a message. If you do not leave a message, we will assume you are a telemarketer, and will not return the call.