



CLWYD WEB

OCTOBER 2018

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We meet at the Llysfasi Campus of Coleg Cambria, which is on the Ruthin/Wrexham road. Our meeting starts at 10am and we need to leave by 4pm. Visitors are welcome, at a charge of £3 for the day. Tea and coffee is provided, bring your own lunch.

Please remember to park in the car park to the left of the entrance, though we can use the area by the building to drop off and collect.

Tea, coffee and biscuits available, but we ask for a donation in aid of cancer charities.

2018 Programme (A Work in Progress!)

<p>9th Oct - 16th Nov</p>	<p>The Braid Society 25th Anniversary Exhibition. Gallery 3, the Gateway Education and Arts Centre, Chester St. Shrewsbury SY1 1NB. M-F 10am-4:30pm and Sat. 13Oct, 27Oct and 10Nov. On show there will be a wonderful array of textiles including inkle weaving, ply-split braiding, sprang, tablet weaving, kumihimo, passementerie, backstrap weaving, and more. Braid Society members will be there every Tuesday and Friday to demonstrate and there will be a Try Braiding Day on 10 November. The Try Braiding workshop is priced at £20.</p>
<p>12th Oct - 16th Dec.</p>	<p>2018 Wrexham Open Art Exhibition on display at Tŷ Pawb and Undegun. (One of our ex-members, Myra, has 2 items accepted and on display. She says that it's a really good show, in a great space and good food in the market too.</p>
<p>Oct 20th</p>	<p>All things flax and Linen. This year's challenge is flax/linen ... anything made with or associated with flax. Since this seems to have faded from memory, we thought that we would spend some time this meeting looking at flax. Betty distributed some seed at the end of last year and we hope that some people managed to get it to grow and can bring in the results, either as fresh or dried plants or retted stalks. We'll look at preparing flax for spinning, some of the prepared fibre that you can buy and the various ways of spinning it. Perhaps this will inspire everyone to contribute to the challenge display at the AGM in November. If you have anything flax related to bring along, please do.</p>
<p>10th Nov.</p>	<p>Montgomery Guild open/friendship day Forden Community Centre SY21 8NE. <i>Come and join us for a celebration of fibre, textiles, weaving, spinning and felting. Something for everyone.</i> <i>Stallholders include</i> Hilltop Cloud - Hand-dyed fibres, End of Show Season Sale! Wrigglefingers - Hand-dyed yarn, Cwmstwrddy Fibre Farm - Fine mohair & sheep fleeces, Maureen Preen - Specialist in Peg looming & Pet Hair Spinning, Llety Mawr Farm Enterprises - Jacob fleece & needlefelting, Newtown Textile Museum More information at www.montyguildwsd.weebly.com Free Entrance, Refreshments available, bring your own lunch. <i>Demonstrations & informal workshops</i> Spinning, Weaving, Needle-felting, Peg Looming (a small charge for some workshops may apply).</p>
<p>Nov 17th</p>	<p>AGM and Christmas Lunch (and challenge)</p>
<p>Dec 8th</p>	<p>Get Away from Christmas (Note 2nd Saturday)</p>

November brings the AGM – we will try and get through the following items as fast as possible in order to enjoy the rest of the day!



The A.G.M. of the Clwyd Guild of Weavers, Spinners & Dyers. Nov. 2018
AGENDA

- Presentation of the minutes of previous AGM
 - Matters arising
- Chairman's comments.
 - Treasurer's report
 - Programme for 2019
- Election of Committee



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