Salem Fiberarts Guild Report
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MEMBERSHIP
Growth: 135
Study - no one source that stood out, we did not learn anything new, but good opportunity to take inventory of our guild activities

- Weaving/Spinning lessons
- Social Media
- Online searches
- Public Demonstrations
- Friends of members

OUTREACH
Oregon State Fair continues to be a major guild event/activity
Currently expanding

- 2026 2 new venues
  Englewood Forest Festival - 1 day event in early August at a local old growth park
  Oregon's Bounty - 1 day event, fall festival held at the Oregon State Capital

MEMBER INTEREST GROUPS
4 member-interest groups:
Tuesday Handstitchers
Wear Your Weaving (they are planning a fashion show for the December Annual Meeting)
Loom Renters
Fiber Friday (new in March) all members can participate in a group project or bring their own portable project

FUNDRAISING/INCOME
Annual Sale (11 6 & 7)

- We are in full preparation mode!
- New this year: online listing of events with major local event calendars

SFG Shop : exceeding our expectations

EDUCATION

April Marilyn Romatka, Uzbek Ikat Cloth

May Cameron Taylor-Brown, My Life in Fiber
June
July/August - no member meetings
September Nadine Sanders, History of the Theo Moorman Inlay
October Elizabeth Kallenbach, The Legacy of Native Oregon Basketweaving