

## Wool Room Standards

The Wool Room at the Guild's Artisans' Sale has been established for members of the Guild who are also suppliers of fibre, yarns, equipment and/or instructional material.

The Wool Room provides raw materials for the crafts of weaving, spinning, dyeing, knitting, felting, basket making and other associated fibre crafts. Finished items which would normally be offered for sale in the Artisans' Sale may be used for display if clearly marked as display only, but **may not be sold** in the Wool Room.

- Requests for table space must be submitted to the Wool Room Coordinator and are subject to space availability. There is a limit of one table per vendor at a fee of \$75 for registered businesses, and \$45 for personal, unregistered and farm sales and the vendor must be a Guild member of more than one year's standing. Depending on availability, it's possible two tables will be allowed at a fee of \$125 and \$75 respectively.
- All participants in the Wool Room will sign a waiver acknowledging that the Guild carries liability insurance but that property insurance is the responsibility of the participant.
- Each participant will be responsible for their own cash.
- Items which conflict with articles offered by the Artisans' Sale participants will not be allowed.
- All items entered for sale in the Wool Room must meet the Wool Room Standards and will be reviewed by the Wool Room Coordinator or designate.

Acceptable items for sale in the Wool Room include:

- Supplies and instructional material for weaving, spinning and other associated fibre crafts.
- Fibre that has been commercially spun, carded or put into roving.
- Fibre locally raised or grown by members: unlimited amounts of cleaned or processed fibre are allowed. Up to 12 pounds of raw fibre per person is allowed to be on display at any one time.
- Hand dyed fibre, unprocessed or processed, either commercially or hand prepared, is acceptable and must meet Guild Dyeing Standards.

Processed Fibre and Yarns:

- Labeling must contain fibre content, weight and length. Hand dyed skeins must meet the Guild standards for dyeing.
- Commercially spun yarns may be labeled "local" only if at least 60% of the fibre is locally raised or grown by a Guild member.