

Jamaica Fiber Festival 2008 Handspun Skein Contest

* Skein entries will be on display in the entryway of the Town Hall*

RAFFLE:

Buy raffle tickets at the tent next to Muzzy's Hardware. Drawing is in front of the church. Need not be present to win. Be sure to get your tickets in time! There will be other great prizes you won't want to miss! Benefits the Town Hall Restoration Fund (notice the new chairs and stage improvements over the past years?!!)

*See website for Raffle details

Buy tickets (\$1 each or \$5 for 6) before Fiber Fest at Margie's Muse, Jamaica Transfer Station, and at Jamaica Country Market.

During the Fiber Fest day, tickets may be purchased at the Fiber Fest tent in front of Muzzy's Hardware up until 3:30.

Drawing at 3:45 in front of church.

Need not be present to win.

The Jamaica Community and Jamaica Community Council welcome you. Please browse our shops and galleries while you're here celebrating fiber.

Antiques Anonymous
(802) 874-4207

Asta's Swiss Inn
802-874-8000
www.astasswissinn.com

Elaine Beckwith Gallery
(802)874-7234
www.beckwithgallery.com

Hot Glass Works
802-874-4436
www.hotglassworks.net

Jamaica Coffee Shop
802-874-4643

Jamaica Community Council
www.JamaicaVT.com

Jennie Blue
(802) 874-4222
www.JennieBlue.com

Jamaica Country Market
(802) 874-4151

Skip Woodruff Rustic Furniture at The Old Corkers
802-874-4172
www.oldcorkersantiques.com

Stone Boat Farm B&B,
Geoff & Chris Cunnar,
(802) 297-9929
www.stoneboatfarm.com

Three Mountain Inn
(802) 874-4140
www.threemountaininn.com

J.A. Muzzy Co.
Alan Monroe
Hardware, paint, and other essentials
874-4045

Vincent Interiors
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29 Pikes Falls Road
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Jamaica, Vermont 05343
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www.vincentinteriors.com

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sunspotgraphics.com



The Fifth Annual

Jamaica Fiber Festival

www.JamaicaFiberFestival.org



Saturday

MAY 17, 2008 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Rain or Shine

Location: Jamaica Village

The Fifth Annual Fiber Festival is dedicated this year to the life and creations of **Maria Bovie**. Her son and granddaughter will be in the town hall selling Maria's creations

Andy Davis leading Maypole Dancing 10 AM

Bondville Boys and Laura Molinelli 12 noon

Special Guest Appearances :

**Linda VanAlstyne and her sister Barbara Scappaticci
at The Three Mountain Inn**

Community Weaving at Margie's Muse

Thanks to all who volunteered to help make this happen!

Contact Margaret Silvia for more information: margaret@margiesmuse.com or (802)874-7201

For details and contest results visit: www.JamaicaFiberFestival.org

MUSIC:

Andy Davis leading Maypole Dancing, accompanying on his accordion. 10 am - noon in front of the church www.dancingmasters.com

Bondville Boys and Laura Molinelli Returning to delight us with their bluegrass music beginning at 12:00 noon until 2:00 pm

FOOD:

Jamaica Community Church serving inside, 11am - 2 pm: Corn Chowder, cold cut sandwiches, coffee and beverages, cookies and brownies.

Jamaica Fire Department serving in front of Jamaica Country Market: Hot dogs and hamburgers

Asta's Chef Michele serving in their parking lot: Grilled Knockworst, Bratwurst, corndogs, corn on the cob, garden salad, and iced tea.

KIDS ACTIVITIES:

Beginning Spindling using a U-Hook with Jenna in the Town Hall. She'll be wearing a Maybelle Farm T-shirt. Knitting Nancy's with Abby

Knitting Nancys with Abby in the driveway of Thermal House (just beyond the Coffee Shop, across from Asta's) Making Yarn Dolls at the Jamaica Memorial Library

VENDORS:

Marian White Land & Lamb Co., Inc.

Turnbridge, VT
landlamb@hughes.net
www.landlamb.com
Navajo - Churro yarns & wool products

Ruth Ticknor Sunrise Hill Farm

Windsor, VT
rticknor@earthlink.net
Shetland rovings & yarn; Angora fiber & rabbits; Weavettes Looms and Crochet Shirret tools.

Jennifer Cary Contented Butterfly Farm

Windsor, VT
contentedbutterfly@verizon.net
Llama fleece & yarn.

Marilyn Magnus

Magnus Wools Barnet, VT
magnuswools@kingkon.com
Handwoven hand dyed wool area rugs, handspun, hand dyed wool, coated Border Leicester cross fleeces, Border Leicester / Llama roving, antique tilt tension Quebec production spinning wheel, antique yarn winder.

Margaret Atkinson Green Mountain Spinnery

Putney, VT
spinnery@sover.net
www.spinnery.com
Natural fiber yarns, knitting patterns

Robin Larkin Color My Loom

Ballston Lake, NY
robin@colormyloom.com
www.colormyloom.com
Handwoven clothes, accessories

Cheryl Flett Cheryl Avenue Fiber

Wilmington, VT
cherylavenue@hotmail.com
cherylavenue.etsy.com
Felted soaps, jewelry, dyed fiber, purses, vessels.

Cathy McKenny & Pat Delaney Ibiwisi Alpacas & Whispering Winds Alpacas

Putney, VT
connorcatherine@hotmail.com
www.ibiwisialpacas.com
Alpaca farm yarns in natural colors & dyed; colorful rovings, stitch markers

Kathleen Meeks Maybelle Farm

Wardsboro, VT
maybellefarm@hotmail.com
Shetland roving, yarn, dyed wool, knitted items, needle felted creatures

Kami Lessord Golembeski Snow Angel Alpacas and 4 Boys & a Blond Alpacas Yarn

Bondville, VT
VTSNOANGL@yahoo.com
www.4boysalpacaproducts.com
(website coming soon!)
Alpaca yarn, mill and handspun, alpaca bears and alpaca angels

Eric Bovie Creations of



Maria Bovie This years Fiber Fest is dedicated to

Celebrating her spirit

Jamaica, VT
Handknit and hand crocheted hats, ornaments and clothing

FIBER ART, CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS & EVENTS:

SPECIAL GUEST APPEARANCES!!

Linda VanAlstyne and her sister Barbara Scappaticci are traveling to Jamaica to add their insights and fiber inspiration to Fiber Festival celebrators.

Three Mountain Inn is hosting their free classes! Barbara is teaching Sweater Blocking, Finishing, and Buttonholes beginning at 10:30.

Linda is teaching needle felted embellishments for handknits beginning at 1:30.

VENDOR DEMONSTRATIONS

- Marian White - weaving
- Ruth Ticknor - spinning from a rabbit
- Cheryl Flett - wet felting, needle felting
- Kathleen Meeks - needle felting
- Kami Lessord Golembeski - hand spinning
- Patricia Blomgren - wheel spinning
- Six Loose Ladies - Sheep to Shawl Demo
- Leslie Wind - jewelry making
- Fletcher Farm - weaving

SPECIAL EVENTS!!

- Sheep Shearing demonstrations with Jim McRae and Elizabeth Willis beginning at 10:30 (and going all day) in the parking lot of Asta's Restaurant;
- Sheep and Llama on display in Asta's parking lot;
- Angora rabbits on display and for sale at vendors' exhibits;
- Maria Bovie represented by her son Eric Bovie and granddaughter Joeanna Saylor, making available some of Maria's creations;
- Jamaica Memorial Library - Book Sale and yarn doll making for kids;
- Wool fleece washing, carding, spinning demos with Bonnie at Asta's;
- Community Participation Weaving at Margie's Muse - come weave in a piece of yourself (with fabric provided, or bring your own material to weave into the piece).

Sandy Gregg Fiber Arts in Vermont / Six Loose Ladies

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802-226-7373
favinfo@tds.net
www.FiberArtsinVermont.org

Leslie Wind, Shawl and Sweater Pins

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wind@cove.com
www.lesliewind.com
Shawl pins, sweater pins, cable needle necklaces in sterling and bronze. Tack sheep in sterling.

Roseanne Dennan West River Montessori Pie Sale

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Laurie Marechaux Society of Vermont Arts & Craftsmen, Fletcher Farm School

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www.fletcherfarm.org
140 summer arts and crafts courses
VT's #1 source for fiber arts classes!

Jamaica Ladies' Benefit

Selling house plants and perennials, herbs and vegetable plants, shrubs and small trees. Also home baked cookies, crafts, attic treasures.

Adrienne Carroll, acting President.

Jay Stone, Event Coordinator.