



# **WOOL GATHERINGS...**

***Newsletter of the Golden Fleece Spinners' Society***

*The mission of the Society is to preserve and perpetuate the art of hand spinning; to promote interest in spinning by educating the public through demonstrations, lectures, displays, and news/social media; and to provide instruction and social life in spinning for its members.*

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**Next Meeting: Saturday April 25th, 2026, 10:00 AM**

**Grace Episcopal Church  
110 Oswego Street  
Baldwinsville, NY**

## **Spring Cleaning Your Spinning Wheel with Linda Miller**

*Hostess: Cindy Green, Treats: Deb Maloney, Therese Bishop*

**Note the change of day to the fourth Saturday of April due to the guild Fiber Frolic on the third Saturday.**

Linda Miller will show us how to care for our beloved spinning wheels to keep them in tip-top shape. Along with your wheel, bring a big towel or something to put under the wheel while cleaning, some paper towels, an old soft part of a t-shirt or towel to apply wood polish, and tools if you have them. If you're thinking about putting on a new drive band, bring it along. Linda may have her spool for the string drive bands.

Due to a conflict at the church, the **May meeting** will be held in the Community Room of the North Syracuse Library, 100 Trolley Barn Lane, North Syracuse, NY 13212.

### **MARCH MEETING**

There was no business meeting because of the auction. However, President Jill Robinson asked everyone to keep a close eye on their email to get the location of the May meeting. It will not be held at Grace Episcopal. Also, we need volunteers for the CNY Fiber Frolic.

## Announcements

### Events for your Calendar (\* indicates we provide spinning demonstrations)

May 2-3, 2026                    [Maryland Sheep and Wool Festival](#), West Friendship, MD  
May 9, 2026                      [Shepherds Wool Market](#), Rush, NY  
June 6-7, 2026                  [CNY Fiber Arts Festival](#), Herkimer County Fairgrounds, NY\*

### 2025-2026 Calendar and Program Plan (at the church unless otherwise noted)

September 20, 2025	Welcome to New Members, Luncheon, Market Day
October 25, 2025	Open Spin
November 15, 2025	Beginning Spinning Workshop with Terri Guerette
December 20, 2025	Holiday Party
January 17, 2026	Roc Day Celebration
February 21, 2026	Open Spin
March 21, 2026	Guild Auction
April 18, 2026	Fiber Frolic at Beaver Lake Nature Center
April 25, 2026	Spring Clean Your Spinning Wheel
May 16, 2026	Open Spin
June 20, 2026	Guild Picnic
July 18, 2026	Open Spin, Onondaga Lake Park
August 15, 2026	Open Spin, Onondaga Lake Park
August 29-30, 2026	Guild Weekend at the NYS Fair

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