

# OLYMPIA WEAVERS GUILD

## Hazel Pattison Memorial Grants Program

### EDUCATION GRANT

\$50 to \$300

**The purpose** of this scholarship program is to provide small grants to Guild members in good standing for specific training or work/study on fiber related subjects. Goals include:

- Furthering the enrichment of the OWG members and the community in weaving and other fiber-related fields.
- Encouraging members to undertake new, in-depth, short-term learning.
- Encouraging members to organize and share their new knowledge.

### **How does it work?**

- An individual or small group may submit an application to the Guild's Board members. A decision will be made and announced within 30 days.
- Proposals will be kept confidential (known to Board members only).
- Proposals may include, but are not limited to workshops such as Convergence, Coupeville, regional conferences or other textile-focused educational opportunities.
- Guild sponsored workshops can be considered.
- Dates of submittal are flexible.
- The applicant's financial needs are not a consideration.
- Group studies will be encouraged. Grants will allow the group to use money for materials, books, travel, etc.
- The grants will range from \$50-\$300. Amounts will vary with the project and will in part be determined by the amount available in the Grant Fund. Not more than \$600 will be granted in one fiscal year (July 1-June 30).
- A proposal to include a mentor for an individual study or beginning weaver is acceptable.
- Any member in good standing may submit a proposal.
- The recipient(s) will prepare a report, a mini-program or other presentation reflecting the substance of their study for the membership within a year of receiving the grant. The type of presentation to be determined in consultation with the recipient(s) and the board.

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## EDUCATION GRANT APPLICATION FORM

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Requested \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Proposal:** (Please limit to one page.)

- Describe in specific terms what you want to do.
- Give an itemized account of how you would spend the money.
- What is the time-frame in which you want to do this work.
- How do you anticipate presenting your project to the Guild?
- Any other information you believe is relevant.

**I am a member in good standing**

I have been a Guild member for at least one year

I attend Guild and/or study group meetings

I am active in Guild activities such as:

Serving on the board or on a committee

Contributing to Show and Share

Helping with Sheep-to-Shawl, or the Thurston County Fair, or Show & Sale

I do not owe any library fines

I understand the Scholarship Program does fund supplies, but not the purchase of weaving, spinning or other equipment.

I do not wish to have the application materials returned to me.

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