

Veronica Carey *Spinning Yarn on a Drop Spindle* Workshop



Learn to spin your own yarn on a top –whorl drop spindle! A lovely wooden spindle is included in the price of the class, along with an assortment of wool fibers to spin. By the end of this class, you will have spun and plied a soft, 2 ply yarn. You will learn about drafting the fibers and the benefits of predrafting, the ins-and-outs of the spindle, and what the mysterious “z” twist and “s” twist are all about. You will learn to make a center-pull ball from which to ply, and how to wind onto a niddy-noddy or around your elbow, twisting your skein into a lovely hank.

Saturday, April 28, 2018

Time: 10:00 - 2:00

Ages: 14 - adult

Minimum 2, Maximum 6 (lots of individual attention)

Prerequisites: None

Cost: PFAA Member \$50; Non-member \$60

This fee includes all materials, including the wooden spindle which is yours to keep, and some extra fiber to take home to continue practicing)

Pay for workshop in the Historic Courthouse Gift Shop *or* mail check to:

Paulding Fine Arts Association, P.O. Box 403, Dallas, GA 30132

Write PFAA or Paulding Fine Art Association on check with *Veronica Carey - Spinning Yarn Workshop* written in memo line

Location: Historic Courthouse Gallery, Home of Paulding Fine Arts
(2nd floor OLD Dallas courthouse) 11 Courthouse Sq., Dallas, GA 30132

About the Instructor: Veronica is a retired attorney who has been teaching fiber arts for more than 20 years. She is a spinner, knitter, weaver and felter. She has taught dozens of people to spin on drop spindles, and many others to spin on spinning wheels. She currently owns 11 spinning wheels, 3 of which were manufactured in recent years, and the rest are antiques from the 19th century. They are all functional and she loves doing “living history” demonstrations with her old wheels. Veronica has taught spinning and felting at the Georgia Fiber Fest for seven years, and conducts workshops in her home and at Georgian Oaks Farm in Powder Springs. She hosts a monthly spinning group in her West Cobb home, where beginners are always welcome!

Questions: Veronica Carey at vjoneslaw@gmail.com
or Workshop coordinator, Peggy Cline at peggycline@att.net

Supply list: Bring a sack lunch & drink (we have a refrigerator, microwave, and coke/snack machine), notebook, pen or pencil

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