



NSAA News

RENEW your membership today!



Is your farm listed on NSAA's Membership Directory website page?

If you've visited the NSAA website recently, you may have noticed that we have quite the number of member farms listed. However, we have only received 13 membership renewals so far for the year.

If you wish to take advantage of any of the discounts above or the Collective Hay purchase program, you **must** be an active and paid member. If you are unsure of your membership status, please contact Ed Gardipe @ edgard@wavecable.com to renew! We will be calling you in the next few days for your renewal...

Note: You will receive a membership card at the Summer Social.

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Ten Days of Alpaca Related Events

Friday, June 13th thru Sunday, June 22nd

Sponsored by Casa de Arboles Alpacas and Longneckers Alpacas

Don't miss our Guest Speaker Saturday, June 21, 2014, our very own northwest world renowned Alpaca Judge Jude Anderson of www.pucara-alpacas.com and co-author of "The Art and Science of Alpaca Judging." Jude will share alpaca conformation, breeding best practices, alpaca fiber in the 21st century, and where Jude sees the alpaca industry moving towards in the future.

- Alpaca Classes will be taught by many of our Industry experts on Birthing, Training for Show, Alpaca 101 for Beginners, Fodder, Herd Health and Parasite Management.

- Craft classes on Spinning, Wet-Felting, Needle Felting and Hand Dyeing techniques.

- PEN SALE on display at the farm and on AlpacaStreet with "Buy it Now" pricing, culminating with an on-line AlpacaStreet Dutch Auction for all remaining pen animals Saturday, June 21st. ALL ANIMALS WILL BE SOLD! You might find the bargain of the year here!

- Youth Group Raffle! FFA, 4-H and other agriculture youth group members are invited to participate in this FREE raffle! Every youth member qualified and accepted for this event will be guaranteed a match with a fertile alpaca foundation female at no cost! (Participants will be responsible for transportation of their new animal. We can help make arrangements.) Raffle animals will be on display at the farm and on AlpacaStreet! Please see website for a schedule of details:

www.CasaDeArboles.com or call 360-794-6369
651-2647

www.Longneckersalpacas.com or call 360-

FIBER FUSION UPDATE

Show Date: October 18-19, 2014 at the Evergreen State Fair

Next FF team meeting will be Sunday, May 18, 2014, 10 - 12 noon. Thanks to all who purchased FF sweatshirts, we made \$600.00

Vendor Booths are mostly filled, we still have 10 left! If you are interested or may know someone that may be, please share our information. They can contact LeeAnnaJorgenson at www.PronkinPastures.com or call 425-879-1165.

FF Class Registration will Open May 1st. We have some amazing classes this year! Check them out & register on the web site. We will have this year's Fiber Fusion Bookmarks at the social for you all to share with family and friends. You can also call ED or Lee Anna if you need more.

Remember: Regarding the FF Fleece Show, you can bring a fleece or two to the summer social to skirt for show or processing.

NSAA welcomes newsletter article submissions, educational workshop suggestions, and your comments or feedback.

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