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Onkema, MI 49675

### 13TH ANNUAL MANISTEE RUG SCHOOL AT ONEKEMA

June 17 to June 21, 2013



*Instruction and  
Exhibition of  
Traditional and  
Primitive Hand-  
Hooked Rugs*

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Cost of enrollment in the rug school classes is \$210.00 for the week. This does not include your supplies, extras that you may purchase for your rug or meals and lodging. Lunch is available for an extra fee with the "Taste of Onkema" catering, which will be different local restaurants catering throughout the week, Monday through Thursday.

To enroll, send a deposit of \$100.00 to reserve your spot with first and second choices of teachers. You will receive confirmation of your reservation. The lunch fee will be due at registration. Your deposit will be refunded if you cancel by March 31, 2013. Send the attached form with your check to:

Alaina Trout, before Nov 30th or after April 20th at PO Box 376, Onkema, MI 49675 (231)889-5763 or e-mail anytime at [ibfishwich@gmail.com](mailto:ibfishwich@gmail.com) Or you may contact Karen Rorick in Michigan at 231-352-0262 or e-mail [rosier313@msu.com](mailto:rosier313@msu.com) 802 Forest Ave. Frankfort, MI 49635

#### TEACHERS

Kris Miller is a self-taught rug hooker who specializes in primitive designs with an emphasis on textured wool and wide cuts. Roving, sheep curls, paddies, and novelty yarns are also some of Kris' favorite hooking materials. She is the owner of Spruce Ridge Studios, featuring original primitive rug hooking patterns, hand-dyed and sock wool, and a wide variety of rug hooking supplies. Kris has won many awards and ribbons for her rugs including her county fair, the Michigan State Fair, Sauble Village, and three honorable mentions in a Celebration Of Hand-Hooked Rugs XVI, XVI, and XXII. Her original designs have also been featured as pattern inserts in Rug Hooking Magazine and the book *Projects For Primitive Rug Hookers and Pottery Design for Rug Hookers*. She served as a judge for the 2008 edition of A Celebration of Hand-Hooked Rugs XVII. She has taught at many workshops and rug camps across the United States. Kris is currently the Secretary for the ATHA Executive Board. She lives in Howell, Michigan with her husband, two cats, and an assortment of Angora goats, sheep, alpacas, cats, and dogs. [www.rughookingstudio.com](http://www.rughookingstudio.com)

Capri Boyle Jones, Fiber Artist [caprijones@gmail.com](mailto:caprijones@gmail.com) Capri has been developing her art in fiber professionally thru hooking, designing, dyeing, creating, and re-using rags for twenty years. Owner of Capri Boyle Rug Studio, McGowan accredited teacher, member of ATHA and National Guild of Pearl K. McGowan Hookcrafters. Capri is experienced in and teaches a wide variety of styles while her personal paletary style is impressionism, focusing on the use of light and color. You may find her artwork in Rug Hooking Celebrations, at Quay-side Gallery in Pousacola [www.quaysidegallery.com](http://www.quaysidegallery.com), various exhibits, art shows throughout the US and private collections. In this open class, any hooking style and size cut can be applied to your project. Capri will assist you in achieving your preferred outcome. From problem solving an existing project to developing new skills with your hooking, the possibilities are unlimited. Custom design is available upon request.

Wanda Kerr, Wlarten, ON, Canada; Going to the Garden is a T a E s t W a r m u p - Wanda knows you have lots of leftover scraps, aka warts and lots of tiny bits. Isn't it time you did something with them? She wants to introduce and explore inventive ways to use them up. Let's move them past the hit and miss and go straight to the hit parade. Are you willing to make treasure from trash? This is the class for you. Any patterns are welcome. (\*Gardening title is only metaphorical, no hoes will take place nor do vegetable or flowers need be involved). Check out [TheWelcomeMat.ring.com](http://TheWelcomeMat.ring.com) to find out more about Wanda.



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Annette Shaffer, Howell, MI, of Annie's Wool Works is a many year Manistee rug camper and is excited to be returning in 2013 as a teacher. Her specialty is dimensional hooking which she defines as taking rug hooking and constructing it into a shaped, cut out, three dimensional or free standing piece. She also likes to incorporate yarn, ribbon, alternative fabric such as silk, organza or glitter fabrics and whatever else strikes her fancy into her works. Your week at camp with Annette can focus on a unique project of your own design or your interpretation of one (or several) of her designs. Visit [www.annieswoolworks.com](http://www.annieswoolworks.com) to see the kinds of dimensional hooking projects you can do with Annette. If you'd like to do something a bit different with rug hooking this is the class for you. Contact her via her website or [annette@annieswoolworks.com](mailto:annette@annieswoolworks.com) or 517-548-2335.

Cindi Gay, Pemberville, Ohio. Her award-winning pictorial "Village of Pemberville" won a National Best of Show as well as Readers' Choice for Celebrations XIII. Cindi is the author of the how-to books "Pictorial Basics: Pine Trees, Grass and Sky," "Dyeing without Dye" and "Dyeing by the Numbers." Visit [cindigay.com](http://cindigay.com) for more information. This class is packed with tips and techniques for all styles of hooking. The topics discussed in class will be determined by the students so be prepared to be curious. Cindi brings a wide variety of hand dyed wool, textures and overdyes to support all styles of rug hooking. You can hook anything with the right wool and Cindi will show you how.

Faith G. Williston, Ocean Springs, MS Faith graduated from Auburn in 1983. After graduation she spent the next twenty years traveling the country with her husband and children. She and her family have settled in Ocean Springs, Mississippi. Faith uses her talent by painting landscapes and by making textile works. She travels to New York, Florida, Iowa, North Carolina and Canada teaching textiles to her students. Everyone seems to know about landscape painting, yet few know about traditional rug hooking. Rug hooking considered to be America's one indigenous art form, first appeared in the eighteenth century in Atlantic Canada and New England. At that time the textiles were made to cover old bare floors and most designs were very primitive. Using the same method of rug hooking, Faith hand dyes her wool, designs the rug and is in control of the color and final piece, much like painting with wool. Faith's work has been published in Rug Hooking Magazine, Celebrations, Creative Rug Hooking, Hooked Rugs of the South and her work has been recognized as Best in Show at National Convention in 2007. [wool-emc@att.net](mailto:wool-emc@att.net)

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Almost a step back in time, a simpler place you won't forget... we love our resort area and hope you will too!

<http://www.onekama.info/>

#### **RUG HOOKING STORE**

Each teacher will have a store stocked with everything you need for hooking, open to all students. The guild will also have a store on site. Forms for items to sell can be found on the blog. Any sales tax liability is the responsibility of the seller.

#### **EXHIBITION**

Bring your rugs, finished and in progress, to exhibit.

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**Onekama High School 5016 Main Street Onekama, Michigan**

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#### **REGISTRATION**

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YES, Please enroll me in the 2013 Manistee Rug School. To reserve my spot, I am enclosing my check for \_\_\_\_\_, payable to West Shore Ruggers Guild.

Join us for lunch and get acquainted with everyone and enjoy the drawings for prizes during lunch. \_\_\_\_\_ Yes, sign me up for lunches

Select your teacher and a second choice in case the class is full. \_\_\_\_\_ Kris Miller  
\_\_\_\_\_ Capri Boyle Jones \_\_\_\_\_ Wanda Kerr \_\_\_\_\_ Annette Shafer \_\_\_\_\_ Cindi Gay  
\_\_\_\_\_ Faith Williston

I would prefer to be contacted via: E-mail (\_\_\_) or regular mail (\_\_\_)

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