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Calendar of Coming Events:

MAY

- 13, 20, 27 Wednesday Lace at Pauline's 10am to noon
- 9 2nd Saturday at the Mill in Salem 10am to noon
- 18 Lace Day at the Elsie Stuhr Center 10am to 2pm
5550 SW Hal Blvd, Beaverton, OR 97005
- 16 3rd Saturday - Oregon Trail Lacemakers 1pm to 4pm
Eugene, OR
- 29 - 31 Class with Elizabeth Peterson at Lise Drigger's
15105 NE 15th St, Vancouver WA, 98684 - 360-718-1580
- 30 Last Saturday Oregon Country Lacemakers 10am to noon
McMinnville, OR

June

- 3, 10, 17, 24 Wednesday Lace at Pauline's 10am to noon
- 4 Thursday PLS Meeting 10am to noon
- 13 2nd Saturday at the Mill in Salem 10am to noon
- 20 3rd Saturday - Oregon Trail Lacemakers 1pm to 4pm
Eugene, OR
- 27 NEW PLS Fourth Saturday meeting 9:30am to 11:30am

PLS Meetings note day and time changes

June 4 – Thursday 10am to noon	June 27 - Saturday 9:30am to 11:30am	July 25 - Saturday 9:30am to 11:30am
Aug 22 - Saturday 9:30am to 11:30am	Sept 26 - Saturday 9:30am to 11:30am	Oct 31 - Saturday 9:30am to 11:30am

Details for Calendar Items:

Wednesdays - Pauline Zietz's for Lace Instruction and/or just making lace 10 am to noon.
24012 NE 132nd Ave., Battle Ground WA 98604

2nd Sat of the month - Willamette Heritage Center Mill building 2nd Floor Open Space 10 am to noon.

3rd Sat of the Month - **Oregon Trail Lacemakers of Eugene** meeting is 1:00 to 4:00 pm
Willamette Oaks Retirement Living, 455 Alexander Loop, Eugene, OR 97401

See New Meeting Schedule - Location Winona Grange
located at 8340 Seneca Street, Tualatin OR 97062

**Minutes for Portland Lace Society Meeting
May 7, 2026**

President Melissa Hallnor called the Meeting to Order with 14 members present and LeAnn joining via Zoom. Audrey S, visiting from Lacemakers of Puget Sound was welcomed.

Last month's Minutes were approved.

Treasurer reported that the Checking Account Balance was \$5,814.02 and the Money Market Balance was \$37,399.

This is without income and expenses for Elizabeth Peterson's workshop.

Education – There are 6 registrations for Elizabeth's class May 29-31. It will run from 9:30 – 4:30. Delegates will bring their own lunch. Valerie Sims is now coordinating and has pattern packs for late delegates.

We are still waiting to hear from Lacemakers of Puget Sound regarding Allie Marguccio in Spring 2027.

Library – Bev brought more boxes for temporary storage. Linda reported that our website now has a Library tab with a full list of Library books.

LACE DAY

Saturday May 16, 2026. Elsie Stuhr Center, 5550 SW Hall Blvd, Beaverton OR 97005. 10.00 am – 2.00 pm. Marilyn reported that there may be up to \$400 refund as the Center will be open and we don't have to pay for staffing.

Marilyn asked for and got Raffle Volunteers. Pauline offered to teach bobbin lace. Demo pillows were identified.

LeAnne has Needle Lace kits for the Community Lacemaking Project ready and Kate offered to help at the demonstration table.

Hand carts were organized and it was noted that Kirsten has signage.

Display items were discussed and offered.

Desserts and sides were requested to be added to the sandwich trays ordered.

Community Lacemaking Project (CLP) with Columbia Needle Lace leaves deadline Fall 2026. See website for more information. Linda, LeAnn, Melissa, and Kirsten are participating. Time will count for demo hours.

<http://www.maggiehenselbrown.com/>

Demonstrations – Gathering of the Guilds had 4 demonstrators and there was considerable interest. Lots of info was passed out. Sheep to Shawl attended by Venessa and Bev.

We need a volunteer as Demonstration Coordinator to schedule our society for events as Henry Rose is no longer able to do so. Melissa will submit to IOLI any hours historically reported to Henry Rose for the 2025-2026 period. For the 2026-2027 period, individual members are welcome to log onto IOLI and report demo and volunteer hours for themselves, log their hours in a record folder during monthly meetings, or submit their total hours to the society in May.

Upcoming Events & Demonstrations

Pomeroy Farm, Amboy, WA, June 6-7 Saturday - Linda and Valerie. Sunday – Lise and Pauline.

Gresham Historical Society has invited us to demo on June 14 from 11-4. Stipend offered. Melissa will send in registration. Contact Lise. Demonstrators needed.

Black Sheep Gathering, 3700 Knox Butte, June 26-28 Demonstrators needed.

IOLI Convention 2026, Durham NC, July 19-July 24

Living History Day at Old Aurora Colony Museum, 15018 2nd Street NE, Aurora, OR, August 9 10:00-5:00 Member recommended to contact for possible registration.

Clark County Fair, Aug 7-16 - Wed Aug 12 – Linda, Pauline, Lise & Valerie

OIDFA Virtual Congress, 2026 Aug 17-28

Oregon State Fair 2330 17th St NE, Salem, OR 97301 Aug 28 – Sept 7 Demonstrators needed.

Molalla Apple Festival at the [Dibble House Museum complex](#) 620 S Molalla Ave, Molalla, OR 97038, Sept 20 10:00-4:00 Demonstrators needed.

Westside Quilters Guild Show, 801 NE 34th Ave, Hillsboro Oct 30-31 Demonstrators needed.

Oregon Flock & Fiber, Linn Co Expo Center, October 31 -Nov 1 Demonstrators needed.

2027 Woodworkers Festival at Linn County Fairgrounds, Albany – Free booth space is available for crafters. March 2027

Newsletter – Volunteer needed! Kirsten is stepping down. Jean will compile the next newsletter. We will go back to every 2 months.

Website – Linda is stepping down. Lise volunteered

Next meeting – Thurs, June 4

Meeting adjourned for Show & Tell

Submitted by Valerie Sims and Melissa Hallnor

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We have a couple of places available for our Beds / Bruges Workshop with Elizabeth.

The cost for 3 days is \$50 plus Guild Membership \$20.

The workshop is being held in Vancouver WA.

Contact Valerie Sims for more de-

tails: valeriesims@earthlink.net, cell: 714 454 7387

See signup on page 4

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Display at Gathering of the Guilds





Gathering of the Guilds - With Smiles

The Columbia Gorge Museum: Lacing Communities Together project with lace artist, Maggie Hensel-Brown, is an initiative to engage curiosity and educate about the heritage artform of lacemaking. As ubiquitous as lacemaking is, and perhaps you have a lace story in your family that hovers around the edge of your family lore, the very heart of its existence is invisible... the makers.

Videos are live on Website below. Watch one or all five videos. Make as many triangles as you wish. Make your own Pacific Northwest themed triangles using the guidelines in the videos. Send your finished lace pieces by August 24, 2026.

Check the calendar for COMMUNITY LACE JOINING events, workshops, lectures, and demonstrations from Hensel-Brown and other lace artists. Opening event revealing the final installation will be Saturday, September 12, 2026. <https://www.columbiagorgemuseum.org/lace-project>

SEND FINISHED LACE PIECES TO: Louise A. Palermo
Columbia Gorge Museum 990 SW Rock Creek Dr Stevenson,
WA 98648 Questions email:

l.palermo@columbiagorge.org

Opportunity to learn about this project and start a piece to contribute will be available at Lace Day.

Come join the fun.



As usual, Tommie had some knitting..

How cute are those!

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Workshop with Ulrike Voelcker
Snowflake Grounds
July 26-29, 2026
Registration Now Open

We are pleased to announce that registration is now open for our 2026 workshop with Ulrike Voelcker. The class will be held at the Holiday Inn Express and Suites, 19621 International Boulevard, SeaTac, Washington, 98188. The tuition for this four-day class is \$325.

This class will focus on Snowflake Grounds. The photo shows a sample of a snowflake ground similar to the ones we'll be making in class. A custom-designed mat for framing your samples is available for separate purchase. More information on the mat will be sent to registered students.

If you would like to register for this class, please reserve your place in the class by sending email to <education@lacemakers.org>. Please furnish your name, email address, postal address, and cell phone number; and state that you wish to register for this class. This email will secure your place in line, pending prompt payment. Membership in Lacemakers of Puget Sound is required to register for our classes. Annual dues are \$30. You may include your dues payment with your tuition payment. We prefer to receive payments via check. You may mail your check, payable to LPS, to me at the address shown below. If paying by check is not possible, you may pay via PayPal to <treasurer@lacemakers.org>. If you have any question, please feel free to send email to <education@lacemakers.org>.

Barbara Joyce
Education Chairman, Lacemakers of Puget Sound
7304 Hoff Ave SE
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Class by Elizabeth Peterson

Beds or Brugges

May 29—31, 2026

9:30 am to 4:30 pm
Bring your own lunch

Location:

Lise Driggers
15105 NE 15th St.
Vancouver WA 98684
360-718-1580

Class Sign-up Form		
Name _____	Phone: _____	
E-mail _____	Beds _____	Bruges _____
Advanced _____	Intermediate _____	Beginner _____
Cost is \$50 for members of PLS. \$70 for non-member		
Check in the mail _____	Payment at meeting _____	Payment at class _____



To sign up for the class, send email to Valerie Sims
ValerieSims@earthlink.net

You can print the form or just make sure you include the required information from the form in the email.

Indicate your method of payment.

- Send check in the mail
- Payment (check/cash) at meeting
- Payment at first day of class

Payment address is:
Joyce Clow
15209 NE 99th Cir
Vancouver, WA 98682

Once we have the list of attendees, further communication will be by group email to class only.

The picture is represents two options.

Valorie has info for other items. Email her for more information.

PORTLAND LACE SOCIETY

MEMBERSHIP FORM - Dues run from January 1st to December 31st
Dues = \$20 Annual

PLEASE return this form with your payment: _____ New _____ Renewal

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ E-MAIL: _____

Send Payment to:
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Dues paid after October will extend for the following year. You may join anytime!



Virtual Congress 2026

17 - 28 August 2026

**REGISTRATION
IS OPEN**

8 lectures - covering history to techniques;
interactive - machine vs handmade
8 courses - spanning the globe with bobbin and
needlelace



Virtual Congress Member Exhibition - Theme: Rose

Rose: A colour, a scent, a flower, an emotion, a
person
Plan your entry now!



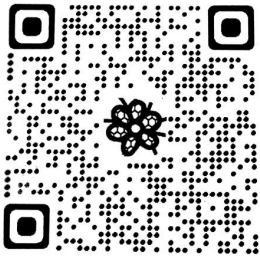
2026 I.O.L.I. Convention Co-hosted with the

North Carolina Regional Lacemakers

Sunday, July 19 to Friday, July 24
Durham, North Carolina

For more information, see the
[2026 Convention Website.](#)

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May 2026

TO: