

2019 Fall Reeder
Exhibit Room Article

I am really looking forward to seeing the baskets and assorted weavings that will be entered in the Exhibit Room for Jurying and Sharing at Convention in October, only a few months away. Hopefully you've had a chance to finish your entry.

As many of you may already know, Fred Ely, beloved friend and AMB member passed away several months ago. He will be missed by all who knew him. He was a kind and gentle man who was very passionate about his weaving and the masterpieces he created. At his memorial, his daughter-in-law organized a display of pictures and baskets that she has offered to let us set up in the Exhibit Room. We would like to add any items that you may have to share with the other attendees, such as a special basket made by Fred, a photo of him at convention or any other item that brings back a wonderful memory. Please bring it with you and we will display it for everyone to enjoy. I am also planning to bring the two pieces he donated to the Great Lakes Heritage Project, housed at the MSU Museum, to add to the Memorial table.

If you have any questions, suggestions or need more information, please don't hesitate to contact either Sue Smith, Exhibit Room Chair, or me.

See you at Shanty Creek in October!!

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