

February 2013

Land of Lincoln
Basketweavers



Weaving Times

Starved Rock—June 10, 2013

The Basket

This year's Starved Rock basket is **Lozenge** and it has been created by Linda Hinkleman of Oregon, IL.

This basket is 6" tall x 12" across the top and is woven over a bowl in 2/2 twill and plain weave in flat oval natural and dyed reed with a wooden base.



Lozenge Basket

There will be an assortment of dyed reed to choose from on that day.

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The **complete kit** includes a 6" single slot wooden base, a bowl that will be used as a mold, waxed linen to tie the base onto the mold, 3 mm cane, 3/16 flat oval spokes, #3 round reed and seagrass for filler. The cost for a **complete kit is \$35.00**.

Partial kits will also be available for **\$15.00**. The partial kit includes the 6" wooden base, bowl, waxed linen, dyed reed, seagrass, and 3 mm cane.

Measurements for the additional reed needed:

<i>Stakes:</i>	<i>7mm FF N</i>	<i>60 @ 9"</i>
<i>Rim Row:</i>		<i>1 @ 42"</i>
<i>Twining:</i>	<i>#3 round N</i>	<i>8 @ 40"</i>
<i>Weavers</i>	<i>3/16" FO N</i>	<i>40 feet</i>
<i>Rims:</i>	<i>1/2" FO N</i>	<i>1 @ 41" + 1 @ 39"</i>

Starved Rock Weave

If you have any questions, contact Linda Hinkleman at 815-985-4810 or email her at basket_beginnings@yahoo.com.

The Day

The day will begin at 8:00 a.m. with check-in and a continental breakfast. Weaving will begin about 9:00 a.m. Lunch will be served around noon in the Great Hall just outside our weaving room. There will be a short membership meeting during lunch.

Registration

The registration is \$30 and is due by April 26, 2012. A registration form is included in this newsletter. The registration fee covers the cost of renting the facility at Starved Rock State Park Lodge, a continental breakfast, and your lunch.

Please be sure to make your lunch selection on the registration form.

Starved Rock Weave 2013

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Show and Share Table

As always, there will be a show and share table so weavers can bring their latest creations to the weave for all to admire.

Shopping

Linda Hinklemann will have a vending area at this event. She will have kits and some supplies, including handles and bases.

About Our Vendor

Linda Hinklemann wove her first basket in 1989 from a kit that she bought because “I can do that!” She hid it in the basement so no one would see it. After many hours of practice, some classes with more experienced weavers, and joining LLBWA, she opened her own shop, *Basket Beginnings*, in Oregon, IL in 2006. She displayed her first basket so that new students could see that there is always room for improvement.

In her shop, she wove and taught from beginners to more advanced weavers. Her classes ranged from home school students and scouts to Red Hat Ladies. Chair caning has become her mainstay due to the passing of a local chair caner.

Due to the shortage of reed and the birth of her first granddaughter, Linda closed the shop in Oregon and moved her supplies and baskets back home where she will cane chairs, stools, and continue to weave baskets.

She is scheduled to teach at a private school in Dixon for the spring quarter.

“A time for every season....a basket for every reason.”

Directions

I-39 southbound: South to I-80 east (exit #59). Go 2 miles to exit #81 (Rt. 178, Utica). Go south (right) 3 miles on Rt. 178 and follow the signs into the Park.

I-39 northbound: North to Exit #48 (Tonica exit). Go east (right) for approximately 5 miles to the T-intersection, which is Rt. 178. Go north (left) for approximately 5 miles and follow the signs into the Park.

I-80 Eastbound and Westbound: Get off at exit #81 (Rt.178, Utica). Go south 3 miles on Rt. 178 and follow the signs into the Park.



Lozenge Baskets

Mileage to Starved Rock:	
Aurora/Naperville	54
Bloomington	63
Champaign	118
Chicago	94
Joliet	58
Peoria	65
Quad Cities	95
Rockford	83
Springfield	127
St. Louis	224

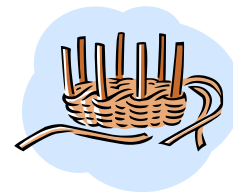
Membership

You don't have to be a member of LLBWA to come to this fun event, but this might be the perfect time to join so you can receive our newsletters and learn about LLBWA and other weaving events throughout the year. One year membership is only \$15.00 and registration forms will be available at Starved Rock.

Questions?

If you have questions about the Starved Rock weave, please contact Debbie Smith at 708-771-4082 or email her at dasmithrdh@aol.com

Registration for Starved Rock Day of Weaving 2013 June 10, 2013



Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Starved Rock 2013 “Lozenge” Basket

Full Kit (includes all supplies, pattern, base and bowl) **\$35** _____

Partial kit (pattern, base, bowl, dyed reed, waxed linen, seagrass, cane) **\$15** _____

There will be an assortment of dyed reed to choose from.

Registration fee **\$30**

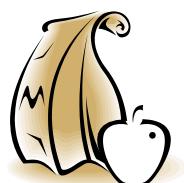
(includes room rental, continental breakfast and your lunch)

Total amount included (*make check payable to LLBWA*) _____

There is no maximum number of registrants so all who register will be accepted.

No confirmations will be sent out.

For lunch, please choose which entrée you prefer:



_____ Grilled chicken breast with honey mustard glaze

_____ Sicilian Pesto (Grilled zucchini, yellow squash and spinach in sun-dried tomato pesto sauce with bow-tie pasta)

Beverage is water or iced tea; anything else is extra

Send this form with a check payable to LLBWA to: **Debbie Smith; 235 Marengo Ave. Unit 7-D; Forest Park, IL 60130** by April 26th. Questions? Please contact Debbie at 708-771-4082 or e-mail her at dasmithrdh@aol.com

- ◆ Registration deadline is April 26, 2013.
- ◆ Cancellation with refund prior to May 20, 2013.