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Clarkdale's Art in Public Places Showcases Verde Valley Weavers and Spinners Guild

Verde Valley Weavers and Spinners Guild is displaying a variety of their members' work at Clark Memorial Library throughout the months of January and February, kicking off the new year of ongoing Art in Public Places exhibits. A variety of handmade fiber arts including woven clothing and household items, jewelry, basketry, tapestry, handspun yarns, decorative window panels and wall art is on display.

The Verde Valley Weavers and Spinners Guild formed in 1973 and has continued active membership since that time. In addition to monthly meetings held at St. Andrews Episcopal Church on Arroyo Pinion Road in Sedona, the Guild has ongoing study groups on weaving techniques, spinning and tapestry and conducts workshops studying special techniques in weaving, basketry, and dying fiber and yarn.

The Art in Public Places exhibit may be viewed at Clark Memorial Library, 39 N. Ninth St., Clarkdale, during regular library hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30a-5:30p, and Saturday 12:30p-4:30p.

Upcoming Art in Public Places exhibits include the annual Clarkdale-Jerome Elementary School Student Show in March, Mingus Union High School Student Photography Show in April, Verde Valley Woodcarvers in May, "Location, Location, Location", open to all Verde Valley Artists, June - August, "Art of Nature-Using Nature for Art" in September and the annual Mingus Union High School Fine Art Student and Faculty show in October. For more information or to participate in Art in Public Places at Clark Memorial Library, stop by the Library or visit the Library's page on the Town of Clarkdale website at www.clarkdale.az.gov.

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