

# OHS Central Region Seminar

Saturday October 5<sup>th</sup> 2013



# Paddle Your Own Canoe

*Voyager upon life's sea, to yourself be true,  
And where'er your lot may be,  
Paddle your own canoe.* Sarah Bolton, 1853

Keynote Speaker: **Andrea Graham, Feltmaker - Innovative Artist**

Hosted by: Peterborough Handweavers and Spinners Guild

Location: Canadian Canoe Museum, 910 Monaghan Rd., Peterborough, ON [www.canoemuseum.ca](http://www.canoemuseum.ca)

**Paddling Your Own Canoe** Andrea will take you on a visual paddle through her own artistic journey as she discusses how she has managed to chart her own course. Andrea will then present some thoughts and practical steps for giving yourself permission and motivation to paddle your own canoe.

## Pillow Challenge

How do YOU paddle your own canoe?

Bring your decorative pillow/cushion, created using handwoven, handspun or felting techniques, in any size or shape, with or without embellishment. We will fill our canoe with YOUR creations inspired by YOUR own individuality.

People's Choice Awards - 1st, 2nd, 3rd prizes

Registration fee \$30. Includes self-guided tour of the Canadian Canoe Museum and demonstrations by artisans and Andrea Graham. Morning refreshments provided. Lug a mug for tea and coffee. Bring your own lunch or visit restaurants nearby. Extra registration forms available at [www.ohs.on.ca](http://www.ohs.on.ca)

Andrea Graham is a feltmaker and educator residing in the Kingston area. Her organic sculpture and thought provoking installations that speak to the state of our environment have been exhibited and published internationally. When not preparing for exhibitions, Andrea travels to teach or reaches her students via webcam.

## Program

- 8:00 am Registration and Vendors Open
- 9:00 am Opening Remarks and Early Bird Draws
- 9:30 am Keynote Speaker Andrea Graham (vendors closed; includes stretch break)
- 11:30 am Door Prize Draws
- 12:00-1:00 pm Lunch
- 12:00-3:30 pm Vendors Open
- 1:00-2:30 pm Tour of Museum and Demonstration Stations (including Andrea Graham demonstration)
- 2:30-3:00 pm Pillow Challenge Prizes, Closing Remarks
- 3:30 pm Vendors Closed

Registration limited to 90. Registration closes August 31, 2013. Registrants should find their own replacement if unable to attend.

**Early Bird Draw:** Registrations postmarked on or before June 30, 2013 qualify.

## OHS Central Region Seminar 2013 Registration Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

City/Province \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Guild\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*Guild membership is not required to attend

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