The Mount Airy Arts and Crafts Guild met at the home of Mrs. George Neuwenhuis September 15, 1970.

After refreshments the President welcomed the members for the new year and especially the New Member Miss Louise Bailey.

The minutes were read and approved.

The new programs handed out by Annie were discussed.

For business we discussed the upcoming Autumn Leaf Festival this year being held Oct. 16-17-18 in the Armory.

Mrs. Lester Haynes and Mrs. Frank Hennis will be in charge again and promised to meet with Mary Kallenback to get information.

After the social hour the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. Neuenhuis Pres.
Lucile Johnson Sec.

The Mt. Airy Arts and Craft Guild met with Lucile Johnson Oct. 13 1970.

After refreshments were served the meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. Geo. Nieuwenhuis.

The minutes were read and approved.

The topic of discussion was the Autumn Leaves Festival which was to be held this year at the Armory.

The articles to be exhibited and the hour to bring them.

Mrs. Haynes and Mrs. Hennis were to be incharge of things.

Members moved be appointed to be on duty certain days and hours.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. Geo. Nieuwenhuis
Mrs Fred Johnson Sec.

The Mt. Airy Arts and Crafts Guild met in the home of Mrs. Jesse Banner Oct. 27, 1970.

After refreshments were served the meeting was called to order by Mrs. George Snow, Vice President.

Roll was called and minutes read and approved.

Appreciation was expressed to those in charge of our exhibit at The Autumn Leaves Festival.

The secretary was asked to send a note of appreciation to Mr. Jess Banner for his help with our exhibit.

A note of resignation was read from Mrs. Garland Warren. After discussion it was voted that the resignation would be accepted.

Alma Banner gave a most interesting program on Pressed Flowers and how to capture forrest and field on paper.

A change was made in our hand-book for our next meeting to be with Mrs. Annie Nieuenhuis instead of Mrs. Francisco as listed.

The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Nieuenhuis Nov. 10, 1970

Respt. Submitted
Mrs. George Nieuenhuis Pres.
Louise Doy Sec. Pro Tem

The Mt. Airy Arts and Crafts Guild met Nov. 10, 1970 with Mrs. John Nieuwenhuis

After refreshments were enjoyed the meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. George Nieuwenhuis.

Roll was called and minutes read.

A leave of absense was granted to Mrs. Ross Francisco and a change was made in the Year Book for our Nov. 24 meeting to be held at Louise Foye and the Dec. 8th meeting to be at Louise Bailey's.

The Christmas Party to be held at Mrs. Sam Dennis' home was discussed. Names were drawn and the committee for this years party met to discuss plans. White Elephants will be brought and gifts will be exchanged.

There being no further business the remainder of the time was spent in conversation and hand work

Respt. submitted
Mrs. George Nieuwenhuis, Vice Pres.
Louise Foy Sec. Pro tem

The Mt. Airy Arts + Crafts Guild
Met with Mrs. Read Jackson Sept. 29, 1970

After refreshments were served the ~~Meting called to order~~ the minutes were ~~read~~. was called to order by the President, Mrs. Gerry Meriwether. The minutes were read and approved.
The discussion of the Mt. Airy Festival - the things to be exhibited and the time to be brought.
Mrs. Lested Haynes and Mrs. Frank Hennis are to see to the place, things exhibited and to appoint ones for the days and hours to be in charge.
Mrs. Jackson (annie) gave us the program on bead artistry. It is quite old and is most interesting. After the talk she each was given five beads + wire to make a flower. She directed it beautifully - they formed out nicely. It was a most enjoyable meting. Everyone was happy to know she could make a beaded flower.
~~a~~ assigned time to stay at armory

(pd. $3.60 for Flowers

for Frances James.

$.50 pd. for not calling

Mrs. Southgate)

Godey's Lady's magazine

July Crochet

Nov. 24, '70

(Dentelle Crochè - means Lace)

Carried on in Convents

Speaks Nun of the Lace - Irish Points Famine - Love the Nuns the job of making the crochet & selling - Imitations - the Irish Lace - Showed the many people the making of it - Queen Victoria Ladies to Crochet -

Brought the Crochet patterns with them

(Sarah Josepha Hale)

Wrote stories - didn't mention war etc - but enjoyed Crochet:

1st proclamation of Thanksgiving was in her articles - Speak of Lace in the Crochet.

(Everyone seemed to enjoy the old laces, Crochets, and the old Magazine -

Moved and passed have all the meeting as scheduled - next meeting with Louise Bailey Dec 8, 70

The Mt. Airy Arts & Crafts Guild held the annual Christmas Party Dec. 15th 1920 at the home of Mrs. Jane Harris at 6:30.

A delicious dinner was served by the first half of the Membership. Then for the fun of exchanging Christmas gifts and drawing for White elephants. was enjoyed by all.

Everyone having had a good time realized it was time to go home.

Respect fully submitted
Mrs. Geo. Nieuwenhuis Pres
Lucile H. Johnson Sec. Treas.

January 5, 1971

The Mt Airy Arts and Crafts Guild met in home of Mrs. John Nieuwenhuis Tuesday January 5, 1971 for the first meeting of the New year.

Mrs. George Nieuwenhuis, president called the meeting to order after a period of conversation and refreshments.

The minutes of the Christmas meeting were read and approved. The roll was checked with 14 members and two visitors present.

Miss Alma Sparger reported that she had completed the Guild Scrapbook and asked that someone else take the book and continue with it.

The January 19th meeting will be with Miss Sparger in the apartment of Caroline Kochtitsky.

Mrs. John Nieuwenhuis presented Mrs. Caroline Sydnor who spoke to us on "What is New in Education

in North Carolina" She gave four of new trends in education.

1st. Non-graded Kindergarten ages 5-8. This was started two years ago with eight test projects - Now there are 18 test projects working. Teachers who work in these projects must have 10 weeks of intensive training. The aims in these projects are to cooperate with the colleges in teacher training and to involve parents in the projects. Children tested in the beginning of the projects and then months later show they have made progress. In these projects, grouping and the number of children are very important.

No 2. The second trend in education is team teaching. In this two or more teachers with teacher aides work together. The planning is done in advance by the teachers. The idea is that the whole group working together do better than the individual.

This method is being used in the Mt. Airy School System - at the Banner Town and Mt Airy High School. The idea is to give the pupils experience as leaders and in building projects which can be used in the classroom after being worked up by groups of pupils. The number of pupils in team - teaching should be 120 - 140 using two to four classrooms. In this the focus is always on the individual.

3. The third trend is Creativity - Let the individual work on his own and achieve something at the level he is capable of working.

Miss Sydnor said, "North Carolina is all for new methods but not willing to pay."

4th - The fourth trend is College participation. The only State College doing anything to prepare teachers to work in the new methods is Appalachian at Boone, N.C. They are taking the

the students while in training into the classrooms to let them see the conditions and the needs. They encourage the public schools to take their problems to the college.

Mrs Sydnor closed her talk by reading the poem, "Dare to Reach".

A discussion followed - Mrs. Sydnor answering many questions.

We were fortunate to have Mrs Sydnor bring us such a timely topic and to present it so interestingly.

Respectfully submitted

Mrs. George Nieuwenhuis, Pres.
Mrs. George Snow, Sec. pro tem.

Bills from Christmas Party.

Dot $9.05 Pd.
Alma .70 Pd.
Ray 2.00
Louise B .86 Pd.
Hazel 2.70 Pd.
Bill 3.14 Pd.

[Annie - Note Paper for Book Pd. $1.80)
Mrs. R.R. Jackson

Jan. 23, 1971

The Mt. Airy Arts and Crafts Guild met with Miss Alma Spargen Jan. 20, 1971 with fourteen (14) members present. After refreshments were served the President called the meeting to order. The minutes were read and approved.

The bills for the Christmas party were presented and paid to the individuals.

Miss Alma had the Guild Scrap Book for us to see, which was beautiful and will be appreciated through the years. She asked Mrs. R. Jackson to take care of it for awhile.

Respectfully Submitted
Mrs. Geo. Nienaber Pres
Lucile Johnson Sec. Treas.

February 2, 1971

The Mount Airy Arts and Crafts Guild met Feb. 2, 1971 with Miss Louise Bailey with fifteen members present.

After refreshments, Mrs George Nieuwenhuis, president called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the Jan. 19th were read and approved.

Mrs. George Nieuwenhuis read a letter from Mrs. W.A. Jackson asking the Guild to accept her resignation. This was granted and she was made an honary member by the vote of Guild members.

The secretary was asked to write Mrs. Jackson informing her of the decision of the Guild.

The Guild Scrapbook was discussed and Mrs. R.R. Jackson, the custodian of the book, asked Mrs

Jesse Banner, a charter member of the Guild, to write an account of the organization of the Guild.-

Miss Louise Bailey gave the program on Rug Making. She displayed her rugs and illustrated the methods she used in making them and the materials and where they can be obtained.

The members were very interested and wants to try rug making.

The meeting of February 16th will be with Mrs. John Frank.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. George Nieuwenhuis, Pres.
Mrs. George Snow, Sec. pro tem.

Feb. 16, 1971

The Mount Airy Arts and Crafts Guild met February 16th, 1971 with Mrs. John Frank with six members present.

After a period of conversation and refreshments, Mrs. George Snow, Vice-president called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the meeting of February 2nd were read and approved. The role was checked.

Mrs. Fred Johnson, secretary reported that she had sent a note of sympathy to Miss Alma Sparger and a letter to Mrs. W.A. Jackson. as requested.

The treasurer was asked to send flowers to Mrs. Jesse Banner who is sick.

Due to illness the program planned for today will be given at a later date.

The meeting of March 2nd will be with Mrs. Frank Hennis.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. Geo. L. Snow, Vice Pres.

Mrs. Frank Hennis - Leo Preston

March 2, '71

The Mt. Airy Arts and Crafts Guild Met March 2, 1971 with Mrs. Frank Dennis with thirteen (13) members present.

After meeting and greeting everyone we enjoyed the nice refreshments. The Meeting was called to order by Mrs. George Snow, the Vice Pres. in the absence of the Pres.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The roll was called. Chk $7.50

Mrs. Alma Banner thanked the members of the Guild for the beautiful red roses

Letters from Miss Alma Sparger and Mrs. C.A. Spangler were read.

The new member subject was brought up. I think of ladies that would be interested in the organization. One name was given - Mrs. Carolyn W. Sydnor. Think of others.

Respect fully submitted
Mrs. Geo. Snow Vice Pres
Lucile H. Jackson Sec. Treas.

Speaker $5.00
Sent Check $5.00 to Alma Sparger

March 16, 1971

The Mount Airy Arts & Crafts Guild met March 16, 1971 with Mrs. Frances James.

After a period of conversation refreshments were enjoyed.

Mrs George Meuwen Sills, President called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the meeting of March 2nd were read and approved. The roll was checked with 13 members present and one visitor, Mrs. Messer, mother of Mrs. Southgate.

The secretary was asked to

send a card to Mrs. W. A. Jackson who is in the hospital.

The program for the afternoon was on Pewter. This was given by Mrs. Southgate. She traced the history of pewter saying that it originated in China and later was made and used in Europe and other places. It was used as flat wear, plates, pitchers, bowls, and seals for the rulers.

In America pewter took the place of wooden articles. The oldest known piece in America was dated 1675 - a spoon.

The marks and stamps on a piece of pewter told the ~~value~~ quality of it. The best pieces of pewter were marked on the bottom of a piece. The markings varied as desired by the ones who produced it as eagles, designs and numbers.

Several pieces and pictures of pewter were shown.

The program was interesting and informative.

Thank you Mrs. Southgate.

Respectfully submitted
Mrs. George Meuwenhuis, Pres.
Mrs. George Snow, Sec. Pro-tem.

March 30, 1971

The Arts and Crafts Guild met in the home of Mrs. Lester Hayes.

The hostess served refreshments after which a business meeting was held. The secretary read the minutes and called the roll.

There was no program and the afternoon was spent doing handwork.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. George Wiewrenhius, pres.

Mrs. Ted Jackson, sec.

pro. tem

April 13, 1941

The Arts and Crafts Guild, met April 13th. in the home of Mrs. G. K. Dale.

After refreshments were served the business meeting was dispensed with since the secretary had failed to send the book.

Mrs. Dale gave a very fine program on the very popular art of Macrame. She illustrated with books, magazines and articles she had made for the occasion. The members showed much interest and each tied sample knots.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. George Newcomer, pres.

Mrs. Ted Jackson, sec. pro tem

April 27, 1971 —

The Arts and Crafts Guild met Tuesday, April 27th, in the home of Mrs. George Neuenschwander. After refreshments were served, the president, Mrs. Neuenschwander, called the meeting to order. The roll was called but there were no minutes.

Mrs. Reid Jackson volunteered to serve as secretary until Mrs. Johnson is able to reassume her duties.

Since there was no program, the members spent the afternoon making Macramé belts and knitting.

There was a discussion of new members and the year-end programs. Mrs. John Neuenschwander announced that Mrs. Ben Laroche would give the program

at the next meeting.
The name of Mrs. C. W. Whitlock was nominated for membership.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Grace Pierceskins, Pres.
Mrs. Reed Jackson, Sec. pro tem

May 11, 1971

The Arts and Crafts Guild met Tuesday, May 11th in the home of Mrs. Thomas Smithgate. Delicious refreshments were served and it was decided to defer the business meeting until after the program was presented.

Mrs Ben Lawrence presented a talk and slides on Exterior Decorating. The talk and the slides were very interesting and informative. There were about six or seven young matrons present, as visitors, and nine members present. Every one present received Mrs Lawrence's talk with much appreciation. Mrs. Lawrence was presented with a gift as a small token of thanks.

The visitors left and the Guild took up the regular

business. There were nine members present so it was decided not to vote on new member admissions, formerly nominated, since all Guild members must vote on new members.

So many members would be able to attend the field trip, May 25th that it was decided to make this meeting the final one for 1970-71. and to call off the field trip.

The next four members on the roll, Mrs. Southgate, Miss Alma Sparger, Miss Laura Bailey and Mrs. Jess Bonner were told to meet and to decide among themselves who would serve in each particular office. They were told to plan the programs and the meetings for the

next year.

There was no further business and the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. George Nieuwenhuis, Pres.
Miss Lorine Bailey, Sec. pro tem

Prospective Members

? Pat Griffin

Mrs Don Porter

Mrs Henry Rowe declined

Mary Wrenn

	Sept. 15	Oct.	Oct. 13	Oct. 27	Nov. 10	Dec.	Jan. 5	Jan. 15			March 16	
1. Mrs. Jesse Banner	.	.	a	✓	✓	-	✓	.	✓	a	✓	✓	$3.00
2. Miss Louise Foy	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	.	✓	a	.	✓	3.00
3. Mrs. Ross Francisco	.	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	
4. Mrs. John Frank	.	.	.	✓	a	✓	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	3.00
5. Mrs. Kellock Hale	.	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	.	✓	✓	a	✓	3.00
6. Mrs. Lester Haynes	.	.	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	3.00
7. Mrs. Frank Hennis	.	.	a	✓	✓	✓	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	✓	3.00
8. Mrs. Sam Hennis	.	.	.	a	✓	a	✓	.	✓	a	✓	a	3.00
9. Mrs. R. R. Jackson	.	.	.	✓	a	✓	✓	.	✓	a	✓	a	3.00
10. Mrs. W. A. Jackson		.	a	a	a	,	a	a	a	a	a	a	3.00
11. Mrs. Walter James		.	.	✓	✓	,	✓	,	✓	a	✓	✓	3.00
12. Mrs. Fred Johnson		.	.	a	a	.	a	.	✓	a	✓	a	3.00
13. Mrs. Geo. Meuwinkens	.	.	.	a	✓	.	✓	.	✓	a	a	✓	3.00
14. Mrs. John Meuwenheus	.	.	.	✓	✓	;	✓	.	✓	a	✓	✓	3.00
15. Mrs. Geag. K. Snow		.	.	✓	a	a	✓	a	✓	✓	✓	✓	3.00
16. Mrs. Tom Southgate		a	.	a	a	X	a	a	✓	a	✓	✓	
17. Miss Alma Sparger	.	.	.	✓	✓	.	✓	.	✓	a	a	a	3.00
18. Miss Louise Bailey		.	a	.	✓	✓	.	✓	.	✓	✓	✓	3.00 2.00

50 cents collected for not calling Mrs. Smith-date

Jan 5 - 1971

Mrs Southgate did not call

1971

	Nov 23	Nov 13	Dec 27	May 14	May 25
Mrs Jesse Banner	.	.	✓	a	
Miss Janice Fry	a	.	✓	a	a
Mrs. Russ Francisco	a	a	a	a	a
Mrs. John Frank	.	.	✓	.	✓
Mrs. Kelsick Hale	.	.	✓	.	✓
Mrs. Lester Haynes	.	.	✓	a	✓
Mrs. Frank Helms	.	.	✓	✓	✓
Mrs. Tom Hennis	a	.	✓	✓	a
Mrs. R. R. Jackson	.	.	✓	✓	a
~~Mrs. W. L. Jackson~~	~~a~~	~~a~~			
Mrs Walter James	a	.	a	a	
Mrs. Fred Johnson	.	.	a	a	
Mrs. Dorse Nienhuis	a	✓	✓	✓	
Mrs. John Nienhuis	.	a	✓		
Mrs Gene E. Snow	a	a	a	✓	
Mrs. Tom Southgate	.	.	a	a	
(Miss Alma Sparks)	a	a	a	a	
Miss Janice Bailey	.	.	✓	✓	

every one welcome