

PRELIMINARY ITINERARY  
**2011 Southern Adirondack Fiber Tour**

Time	Activity	Notes
	<b>Weds. Sept. 21</b>	
11 a.m. (optional)	Meet motor coach at central location in Manhattan. Lunch enroute to Washington County, NY (on your own). Stop at Albany Amtrak Station (2 pm) and Albany Airport (2:30 p.m.) to pick up people who want to fly in or take the train.	Additional fee applies
4 p.m.	Check into hotel (if you want to drive to the region, you may leave your car here and travel with group in motor coach for remainder of tour)	Location to be announced. Free parking
6 p.m.	Welcome reception featuring local wines and foods	
	<b>Thurs. Sept. 22</b>	
8:30 am	Breakfast (included in registration)	
10 a.m.	Ensign Brook Farm (sheep farm) visit, Easton, NY	Shopping at farm store – 10% off
11:30	Alpacas of Easton farm visit, Easton, NY	Shopping at farm store – 10% off
12:30	Box lunch at Alpacas of Easton (included in registration)	
2:00	Tour of Battenkill Fibers Carding and Spinning Mill, Greenwich, NY – NYS's only semi-worsted commercial fiber processing facility	Shopping at factory store – 10% off
2:30	Hand spinning class, including how to select the right fiber for your project, at Battenkill Fibers. Instructor Carole Foster.	Spinning wheel rental, fiber, and fee included in registration
5:00	Parkland Alpacas farm visit and demonstraton of wet felting, Granville, NY	
6:30 p.m.	Reception featuring Slyboro Cider and local cheeses (included in registration) served at Slate Valley Museum, Granville	
	<b>Fri. Sept. 23</b>	
8:30 am	Breakfast (included in registration)	
10:00 a.m.	Breezy Hill Ranch (alpaca farm) visit, West Hebron, NY	Shopping at farm store – 10% off
10:30 a.m.	Needle felting class at Breezy Hill Ranch. Instructor Lisa Proulx	Supplies, materials, and fee included in registration.
12:30	Lunch at Gardenworks Farm, Salem, NY	Shopping at farm store – 10% off
2:00	Simple Pleasures Farm and Fiber Studio (sheep and angora goats, yarn and knitting supplies) visit , Salem, NY	Shopping– 10% off
2:30	Dyeing class at Simple Pleasures	Supplies, materials, and fee included in registration.
4:30	Return to lodging with stop enroute at Battenkill Valley Creamery for ice cream	
6:00 p.m.	Dinner on your own or attend Southern Adirondack Fiber Festival vendor reception at Battenkill Fibers (optional) - additional fee	

	<b>Sat. Sept. 24</b>	
8:30 am	Breakfast (included in registration)	
10 a.m.	Southern Adirondack Fiber Festival, Washington County Fairgrounds, Greenwich, NY. Lunch (on your own) at Festival	Admission included in registration. Cost of classes (optional) – additional fee
6:30 p.m.	Banquet featuring local foods, at Flying Pigs Farm Barn, Shushan, NY (included in registration)	
	<b>Sun. Sept. 25</b>	
8:30 am	Breakfast (included in registration)	
10:30 (optional)	Drop off at Albany Airport; and 11 am at Albany Amtrak Station. 2:30 p.m. return to Manhattan	Additional fees apply

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