

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW!**

**2012 PLAA ANNUAL MEETING**

**Saturday, March 24, 2012**

Ramada Inn  
1450 Atherton St., State College, PA 16801  
814-238-3001

**Chris Stull** is a member of the Board of Directors of the Southeast Llama Rescue. She will be sharing who **SELR** is and what they do. Included in her presentation will be their role in the Montana evacuation (redistribution of a large rescue foundation's animals) along with the happy endings which followed. I love happy endings.

**Lydia Piper**, owner and operator of **Gurdy Run Mill**, Halifax, PA has agreed to walk us through the steps of getting our fleeces ready for further processing. What happens at the mill is her end of the story as well. Gurdy Run Mill now does both rovings and yarns and was a new vendor at the 2010 GALA conference. If you have a problem fleece, you might bring it along.

With the idea of introducing some **younger folks** to the joy of camelids, we will be inviting members of the **University 4-H** group to join us for lunch and speakers. Another speaker, to be determined, and some time for discussion of "What new idea about your animals did you learn this year?" will round out the program.

As usual there will be a membership meeting. Our President, Marsha Timmerman, has been researching the **North West Fiber Co-operative** and will share her findings, in addition to the usual agenda. Larry McCool, spokesperson for the Co-op, attended the 2011 GALA conference to inform and recruit new members from the east coast.

The annual **Silent Auction** will take place to raise money for camelid research. Bring along your great stuff to donate and \$\$ for bidding. If you'd rather, send your items to Anita Collins, 42 Lake Rd., Fleetwood, PA 19522, before March 20.

The block of rooms at the Ramada Inn State College will be available until February 23<sup>rd</sup> at \$89 for a double twin or King. Be sure to request the PLAA block. For those of you arriving Friday evening, join the Board for a casual dinner (on your own dime) at Ruby Tuesday, just next door at 1550 Atherton at 6:00 pm.

Please RSVP to Anita Collins at 610-944-1643 or [frozenbeedoc@verizon.net](mailto:frozenbeedoc@verizon.net).

**EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE MARCH 5, LATE DEADLINE MARCH 14, 2012**

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Member: early \$35, after 3/5/12 \$40 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Non-member add \$5 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Need to renew or join PLAA?**

Individual Membership \$25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Farm membership (2 votes) \$35 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Junior Membership (youth) \$15 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Send Registration and Payment to:**

PLAA Annual Meeting c/o Chuck Leach, PO Box 10, New Bethlehem, PA 16242-0010