

# Dead Cow Society Columbine Leather Guild Newsletter

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## Show & Tell

Please bring items that you have been working on or completed, to share with the group.

## Guild Leadership

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## Mission

Columbine Leather Guild, Inc. was founded in 1992 for the purpose of giving leather artisans an opportunity to meet to show their skills in leather craft or art and to demonstrate new techniques, rediscover lost or old techniques, and to socialize with others having similar interests. All leather crafters or leather artisans are welcome, regardless of the type of leatherwork they prefer.

When: **Sunday December 12th, 2021**

General Meeting Time: **1-4 pm**

Where: Hatzis Hall  
952 Moss St, Golden CO 80401

## DECEMBER MEETING

- 1- Only Covid-19 fully vaccinated individuals are invited to attend the December meeting...**
- 2- December Guild Project –We will be tooling a simple project that will be completed during the meeting and can be used as a gift, sold or used by the maker.
- 3- Agenda will include Show & Tell, leather tooling projects along with lively discussion about leathercraft techniques, tips and tricks.
- 4- Please bring a swivel knife and modeling spoon. There will be stamping tools available.
- 5- Patterns and step-by-step guides will be sent by email, to those who are unable to attend, upon request.

During the November meeting, we shared patterns and ideas for making Holiday themed projects. Some of the items we created are be offered for sale at the Lakewood Arts Holiday Gift Show and Sale from November 21, through December 31, 2021 to raise money for the Guild.

## December Meeting

We will have stamping tools and leather available. Projects can be tooled with any pattern you wish, including Holiday themes.

## Other News

Please bring show and tell items to the meeting whether they are finished or work-in-progress.

Events in the Denver area – IF YOU KNOW OF AN UPCOMING EVENT OF INTEREST, PLEASE SEND ROBERT THE DETAILS TO INCLUDE IN THE NEWSLETTER!!!

Reminder – There is still time to see the Artist's Choice exhibit in-person at The Lakewood Cultural Center – Mezzanine Level Gallery until January 1st, 2022. The address is - 470 S. Allison Parkway, Lakewood CO 80226 - a block or so southwest of the intersection at Alameda and Wadsworth. Behind the Michaels store facing Wadsworth and the King Soopers facing Alameda.

Regular viewing hours: Mon-Fri: 10am to 5pm Sat: 10am to 2pm

Below are photos of the Leather Craft items currently for sale at Lakewood Arts Gallery on Colfax next to Casa Bonita. Olivia and Robert setup the display on 11/20 and the show runs from Nov 21 – Dec 31.

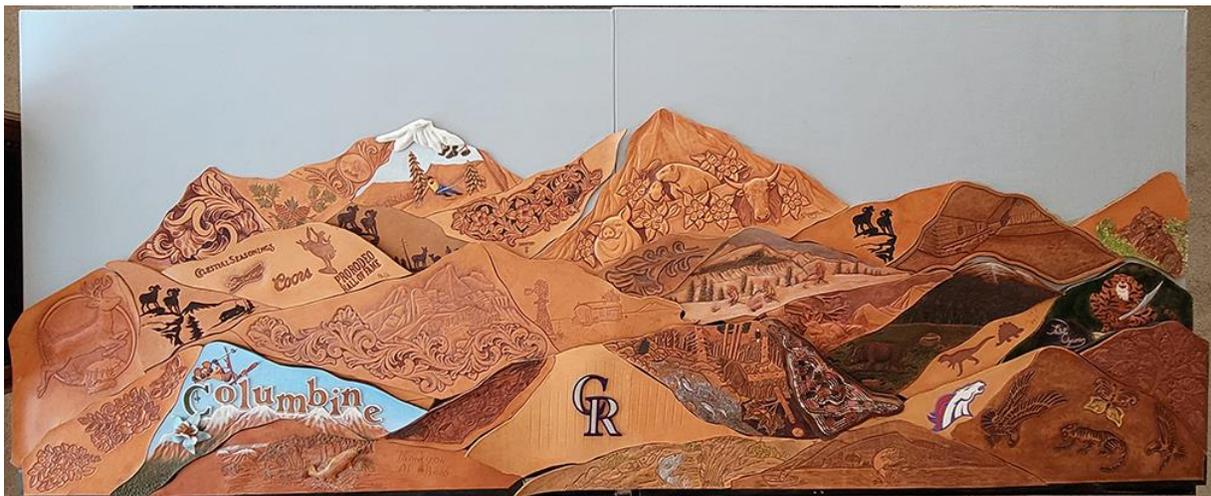


A huge thanks to all the members who have contributed and made this a wonderful fund-raising opportunity for the Columbine Leather Guild!

Reminder - January 2022 –The Lakewood Arts Gallery plans to sync up with the Stock Show and will be displaying art pieces for a competition titled “Laughing Stock.” All Colorado artists are welcome to enter their works of art that are in any way related to the stock show. Check their website for more details – Visit <https://lakewoodarts.org/calls-for-art> to learn more.

Olivia has rented the Lakewood Arts Gallery Community Wall for the month of January 2022 and is inviting all Columbine Leather Guild members to supply completed leather projects for sale. 80% of the proceeds will go to the maker of the leather item. Olivia and Robert welcome all guild members who wish to come to the gallery on Sunday January 2, 2022 and participate in setting up the exhibit.

The centerpiece of the exhibit will be the 4’ x 8’ guild display created by members for use at guild shows such as IFoLG.



The Leather Crafters and Saddlers Journal is hosting the Southwest Leather Workers Trade Show in Prescott Arizona from February 25-27, 2022. There will be Workshops starting on Tuesday 2/22 through 2/27. There is also a leather carving contest open to all leather workers along with the Emerging Saddlemaker Preview. In addition, there will be lots of vendors selling machines, tools, leather, accessories and more.



<https://leathercraftersjournal.com/southwest-leather-trade-show/>