

## Attention, Local Market Shoppers

Are you a knitter, whose name is consistently called by yarn? Or are you a spinner who hankers after fluffy fleece and scrumptious skeins of roving? Maybe you are a weaver who will kick down doors for bargain bags of stash and the perfect cone of cotton. Perhaps you are a felter who requires roving for needle or wet felting. Or are you looking for fabulous handmade gifts (the season is nearly upon us...) – gloves, socks, toques, sweaters, shawls, tea towels, clothing, soap, wooden items, cards, purses, stuffed toys, decorations, rugs, buttons, knitting kits and patterns, books, art pieces - the works.

Creators and shoppers have a hall-sized selection to plough through at the Cowichan Fleece and Fibre Festival. The festival has been running annually for over twenty years when it was part of Producer's Day, an Inter Island Sheep Breeders Association event that included a fibre component. Today the festival runs on its own - alas, no live sheep, but plenty of their product - and is host to 28 vendors, raffle, lunch café, and throngs of friendly people.

Come on down to the Cobble Hill Community Hall and continue the tradition of supporting local farmers and artisans. And if your friends have ever called you a "fibre freak," this is the place for you.

Saturday, October 26, 2019

10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Cobble Hill Community Hall

3550 Watson Ave. Cobble Hill, BC

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