Shepherd's Crook

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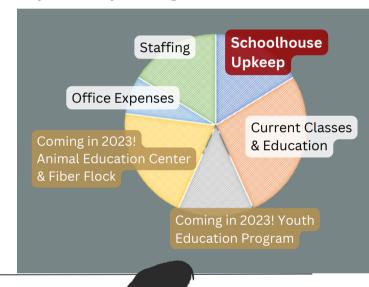
Preserving History, Building Tomorrow

You may not have realized that tucked into the folds of the Nome Schoolhouses for-profit business lies another passion and separate entity known as the Nome Eweniversity.

Currently, our main program are the classes and retreats held here at the schoolhouse that teach the mastery of arts, creating, patience, productivity, industry, and agriculture.

But there is so much growth coming in 2023 and we need the help of our community. We want to encourage the youth away from screens and into creating with their hands and learning the benefits of agriculture and industry. We are doing this through two new programs 1) a Youth Education Program here at the Fiber Mill, and 2) a Animal Education Center & Fiber Flock.

And all of this - while supporting the upkeep of the Nome Schoolhouse.



There are few things more North Dakotan than being proud of our small farms and small businesses. And when you are two shepherds who see emails and letters scolding us for harming, torturing, and even killing sheep for their wool - well, you know that some education has to be done.

When you are the owner and operator of a Cottage Fiber Mill, and you know that small sheep farmers are waiting two or more years to see their wool processed into products that they need to sell to keep their farms alive - well, you know that industry growth has to happen.

When you are an expert in fiber arts and you see arts, skills, and useful trades being lost to history - well, you know that a community of knowledge and encouragement has to be built.

Welcome to the Eweniversity.



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The Report Card

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NOME SCHOOLHOUSE

INN & EVENT CENTER

Welcome!

Welcome to our second ever Nome update! In this newsletter - we wanted to share with you some amazing pictures of what has been happening at the Nome schoolhouse!







Thank You to All Who Made This Big Dream Possible.

> -Chris & Teresa

Teresa Accepting a Governor's award in April of 2023 on behalf of the Nome Schoolhouse - the "Trailblazer" award.







Feb 2023 - A Continuing Ed retreat for twenty-one North Dakota FACS teachers. The spent 15 hours learning about fleece, fiber, and textiles. They booked again for next year!





