



October 7–14, 2007  
Shanty Creek Resort  
Bellaire, Michigan

CALENDAR OF EVENTS ALERT

**Shop for All Things Fiber at the SOAR Market  
October 11–13, 2007, at Shanty Creek Resort**

*Free beginning spinning and felting lessons all weekend*

**WHAT:** A three-day shopping extravaganza of everything you need to spin, weave, knit, crochet, felt, and dye magnificent creations will be held at the Market at the 25th Annual *Spin-Off* magazine Autumn Retreat (SOAR)—one of the oldest fiber festivals in the country. From luscious fibers for under \$10 to high-quality spinning wheels and looms priced over \$1,000, there's something for everyone who loves fiber at this annual event.

Special events at the SOAR Market include free “make-and-takes” to learn to needle felt and spin, hosted by Royal Hare and *Spin-Off* magazine, respectively. Spinners can also get their spinning problems answered by industry expert Carol Huebscher Rhoades, aka The Spin Doctor.

**ADMISSION:** Free and open to the general public

**WHEN:**

- Thursday, October 11, 10 a.m.–4 p.m.
- Friday, October 12, 4:30 p.m.–6:30 p.m.
- Saturday, October 13, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

**WHERE:** Shanty Creek Resort & Club ([www.shantycreek.com](http://www.shantycreek.com)) is located about 50 miles from Traverse City, Michigan. The SOAR Market is in Summit Village, 1 Shanty Creek Road, Bellaire, Michigan, 49615

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