



Three Bags Full

knitting studio

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Dear Fellow Knitters and Crocheters,

With the chill in the air, we're busy knitting and crocheting all sorts of warm projects. Our recent Facebook post features a number of our "one skein wonders" to help you find a project that is still do-able for the holidays.

Jillian, our resident photographer and Facebook poster also pulled together a great display of all sorts of gifts for the avid knitter/crocheter in your life. Swifts, ball winders, blocking boards, needle cases, projects bags, interchangeable needle and hook sets are just a few of these items. I do hope you're following us on Facebook. We really do try to keep you up on the latest at the shop. Kathy Boyer, mother of Allison (a fabulous former employee who has gone on to nursing and now training to become a nurse practitioner), gives us an outside observer's view of happenings in the shop through the threebagsfullcorner.blogspot.com. She always seems to zero in on customers who have some fun projects to share.

Popular projects this fall were our Little Cotton Rabbits for the favorite little one in your life, afghans made with different patterns of stitchwork in each square, Shibui's Multi Grain hombre scarf in seed stitch out of 3 different Shibui fibers, Alchemy's Bottle Rock Wrap and Sparky Cowl and the Briar Mittens (free Knitty.com pattern) out of Rowan Fine Tweed, to name a few.

The [Wearwithall](#) Stole using 9 different colors of Isager Alpaca 2 continues to be a hit. For

those who like a challenge, the Lidiya Scarf, a Fair Isle pattern by Kaffe Fassett out of Rowan Felted Tweed, has been a hot project.

The Winter class session has been inspired by a number of Shibui patterns that use their fabulous lace weight yarn Pebble...both Frame and Lapse are geometric designs that use two color knitting techniques. Mini skeins of Madelinetosh, Koigu and Wonderland Yarns also present new opportunities of exploring the use of color in a project. Then there is always the traditional Norwegian Hat and Barbara Walker's [Learn to Knit Afghan](#) that continue to have great appeal. Suzy's trying to bring knitters over to the "other side" with "Crochet for Knitters". Push your abilities a little further with Shelly's cabled cowl "Ondelette", Adrienne's "Not Your Same Old Socks" and my "Knitting Gloves with Sock Yarn".

Mark your calendar for our "Knit Nights"... always a good time at the shop. See the dates inside.

Happy Holidays,
Lynette

SHOP HOURS

Mondays	12 noon – 5
Tues, Weds, Fri, Sat.	10-5
Thursdays	10-7
Closed Sundays	

WINTER 2015 Class Offerings

GET STARTED KNITTING

This is a class for the true beginner to get you off and knitting!

Monday Mornings 10 a.m. – 12 p.m., or Evenings 7-9 p.m., January 19, 26, February 2, 9
\$80/session

BEGINNING/INTERMEDIATE CLASSES

Monday Mornings 9:30 – 11:30 a.m., 10-12 noon ,

Monday Evenings 7-9 p.m.

Session 1: January 5, 12, 19, 26, February 2, 9 \$108/session 1

Session 2: February 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16, 23 \$108/session 2

Tuesday Mornings 10-12 p.m.,

Tuesday Afternoons 1-3 p.m. and

Tuesday Evenings 7-9 p.m.

Session 1: January 6, 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10 \$108/session 1

Session 2: February 17, 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24 \$108/session 2

Wednesday Mornings 10 -12 p.m.

Wednesday Afternoons 1- 3 p.m. and 3-5 p.m.

Wednesday Evenings 7-9 p.m.

Session 1: January 7, 14, 21, 28, February 4, 11 \$108/session 1

Session 2: February 18, 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25 \$108/session 2

Thursday Mornings 10 – 12 p.m.,

Thursday Afternoons 1-3 p.m. and 4- 6 p.m.

Thursday Evenings 7-9 p.m.

Session 1: January 8, 15, 22, 29, February 5, 12 \$108/session 1

Session 2: February 19, 26, March 5, 12, 19, 26 \$108/session 2

Friday Mornings 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Session 1: January 9, 16, 23, 30, February 6, 13 \$108/session 1

Session 2: February 20, 27, March 6, 13, 20, 27 \$108/session 2

FRIDAY KNITTING CLINIC every Friday 11:45 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Get that extra assistance you need to help you through a difficult project. \$20/class

PRIVATE CLASSES available. Please call the shop at 847-291-9933.

Payment for classes at time of registration reserves your space in a class. If there are not enough students registered to hold a class, a full refund will be given. A refund less a \$10 administrative fee will be given to students withdrawing from a class up to 3 days prior to the class. No refunds will be given after that point. Due to scheduling difficulties, there are no make-up classes.

SKILL-BUILDING CLASSES

Monday Afternoons 1- 3 p.m.

Session 1: January 5, 12, 19, 26, February 2, 9

\$108/session 1

Session 2: February 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16, 23

\$108/session 2

Tuesday Mornings 10 a.m. -12 p.m. and

Tuesday Afternoons 1-3 p.m.

Session 1: January 6, 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10

\$108/session 1

Session 2: February 17, 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24

\$108/session 2

Thursday Mornings 9:30-11:30 a.m., Thursday Afternoons 12:30 – 2:30 p.m. and

Thursday Evenings 7-9 p.m.

Session 1: January 8, 15, 22, 24, February 5, 12

\$108/session 1

Session 2: February 19, 26, March 5, 12, 19, 26

\$108/session 2

ADVANCED KNITTING CLASS

This class is intended for adventurous intermediate students and beyond, who are interested in adding refined details to your knitting and explore knitting beyond your current comfort zone. Be prepared to open your mind to full explanations, discussions on techniques and modifications to published patterns for improvements in style and fit. Most participants work on individually selected projects.

Thursday Evenings 7-9 p.m.

Session 1: January 8, 15, 22, 29, February 5, 12,

\$120/session 1

Session 2: February 19, 26, March 5, 12, 19, 26

\$120/session 2

KID'S KNITTING

Saturday Mornings 9:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

Session 1: January 10, 17, 24, 31

\$72/session 1

Session 2: February 7, 14, 21, 28

\$72/session 2

Session 3: March 7, 14, 21, 28

\$72/session 3

PARENT/ CHILD KNITTING

Saturday Afternoons 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. Same dates and sessions as Kid's Knitting

\$100/session

CROCHET CLASSES

BEGINNING CROCHET

Tuesday Mornings 10-12 p.m., January 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10 \$90/session
Wednesday Evenings 7-9 p.m., February 18, 25, March 4, 11, 18 \$90/session

CONTINUING CROCHET

Wednesdays Afternoons 1-3 p.m. or Wednesday Evenings 7-9 p.m.
Session 1: January 7, 14, 21, 28, February 4 \$90/session 1
Session 2: February 18, 25, March 4, 11, 18, 25 \$108/session 2

ADVANCED CROCHET

A class for crocheters who have mastered reading patterns and want to tackle more high-level projects

Saturday Mornings 10 a.m. -12 p.m.
Session 1: January 17, 31, February 14 \$60/session 1
Session 2: February 28, March 14, 28 \$60/session 2

KNITTING PROJECT CLASSES

FRAME

This Shibui hat and fingerless gloves pattern uses intarsia to create a sophisticated geometric design.

Saturday Afternoons 12 - 2 p.m., January 17, 24 and 31 \$60

CREATING WITH MINI SKEINS

Learn how to combine colors to create a variety of projects using the new mini skeins from Madelinetosh, Koigu or your own stash.

Saturday Afternoon 1 - 2 p.m., February 14 Free

LANDSCAPE COWL

A mini skein project that allows you to achieve fantastic color gradations.

Saturday Afternoon, 12- 2 p.m., February 7 \$25

NORWEGIAN HAT

This project will teach both two-color knitting and knitting in the round.

Monday Afternoons 4 - 5:30 p.m., January 19 and February 2 \$40

LEARN TO KNIT AFGHAN

This project is sure to create an accomplished knitter out of you! Barbara Walker's book, Learn to Knit Afghan, features 63 different stitch patterns. The first month will have two classes and from then on the schedule will be determined by the class participants.

Tuesday Afternoons 4 – 6 p.m., February 10, 24 & 4 more meeting times \$120 for a total
of 6 classes

LAPSE

This is another great Shibui pattern with a geometric design. It involves both knitting in the round and two-color knitting.

Monday Afternoons 4-5:30 p.m., February 9, 16 and March 16 \$55

ONDELETTE COWL

This is a great cowl with a reversible cable. Learn how to do this twelve stitch cable as well as provisional cast on and kitchener stitch.

Saturday Mornings 10 a.m. - 12 p.m., January 31, February 7, 21 \$60

CLARE DE LUNE

This beautiful lace pattern by Carol Sunday features chart reading. This is an overview class to get you off on the right foot. Previous experience with chart reading recommended.

Monday Evening 7 – 9 p.m., February 2 \$25

WINNOWING SHAWL

This shop favorite features a unique stitch pattern which produces a shawl with wonderful drape.

This too is an overview class to get you off on the right foot.

Monday Evening 7 – 9 p.m., March 2 \$25

BRIAR MITTENS

Check out the great samples in the shop or on Knitty.com.

Thursday Afternoons 3:30 - 5:30 p.m., January 29, February 5, 12 \$60

KNITTING GLOVES WITH SOCK YARN

Learn how to custom fit a pair of gloves that feel great to wear!

Tuesday Evenings, January 20, 27, February 3 \$60

Remember to sign up early for our project and skills classes. Classes with low enrollment are cancelled three days prior to the class. In the past we have received a number of last minute calls to sign up for classes that would've been held had the sign-ups occurred earlier. Thanks.

CROCHET PROJECT CLASS

CAIRBRE CARDIGAN

Intermediate crochet skills are required for this class. This is an adorable child's cardigan. Kathy's already crocheted a shop sample.

Friday Mornings 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. January 23, 30, February 6 \$60

CROCHET ARAN AFGHANS

Intermediate crochet skills required. A variety of crochet stitches will be taught while making this afghan which is comprised of beautiful Aran patterns.

Wednesday Afternoons 3 – 5 p.m., January 14, 21, 28, February 4, 18 \$100

SPRING CARDI CROCHET-A-LONG

Saturday Afternoons 1 – 3 p.m., February 14, 28, March 14, 28 \$80

KNITTING SKILLS CLASSES

FINISHING

Tuesday Early Evenings 5:30-7:30 p.m., February 17 & 24 \$40

STEEKS

Learn this age old technique for working in the round while creating a garment or project that opens up like a cardigan or a pillow.

Saturday Afternoon, February 7, 14, 2:30 – 4 p.m. \$40

CORRECTING MISTAKES

Monday Evening 7-8:30 p.m., February 9 \$20

NOT YOUR SAME OLD SOCKS

Learn how to adapt a stitch pattern for your next pair of socks. Previous sock knitting experience required.

Saturday Morning 9:30 – 11:30 a.m., January 24 \$25

MOBIUS CAST ON

This is a great cast on technique for making a warm cozy cowl!

Thursday Evening 6- 8 p.m., January 22 \$25

CROCHET SKILLS CLASS

CROCHET FOR KNITTERS

Want to learn how you can use crochet in your knitting project? Learn some crochet basics and how to use crochet in edging and finishing a project.

Wednesday Afternoons 3-5 p.m., February 25, March 4, 11, 18

\$80

CHANGE IN SHOP POLICY....PLEASE READ!

We are always happy to wind your yarn for you, but we have changed our policy regarding accepting wound yarn for returns. As of February 1, we will no longer accept yarn that has already been wound for return. Please only have us wind the yarn you are sure you will be using and won't want to return. Thank you for your cooperation.

FRIDAY KNIT NIGHTS

Come join us for a casual evening of hanging out at the shop, knitting, crocheting and enjoying the company of other knitters and crocheters!

January 23, February 20, March 20

7-10 p.m.

Please sign up ahead. Space is limited!

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