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The March/April 2022 newsletter of

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### What is Fisherman's Rib?

Pst...it's not Brioche!

(in person) with Nick Clewell Saturdays, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

#### Two-Color Cotton Cowl

Learn the basics of working Fisherman's Rib in the round. Pattern is free. Homework. *March 26, Fee: \$55* 





#### A Break in Tide Shawl Learn how to work Fisherman's Rib back and forth. Pattern is \$7. April 9, 16, & 23, Fee: \$75

A Break in Tide Shawl is a bottom-up construction, triangle shaped shawl featuring relaxing garter stitch complimented by sections of Fisherman's rib and slip stitch variations. This design begins with just a handful of sts and increases along the ends until completion. Bind off occurs at the top edge.

## Koigu Virtual Tour & Trunk Show with Taui

Saturday, March 5, 10 a.m.—11 a.m.



Koigu represents three generations of women who have kept their dying business open for 30 years! Come hear their story and be inspired!

\$10 fee. Refundable with Koigu purchase.

## Sock Club Tuesdays, 10-11 a.m.

Join us as we knit/crochet socks together (in person) and share our progress! Please register so we know what to expect. \$5/session.



Cooma Cowl CAL/KAL Saturdays, March 5, 12 & 26 1:30-2:30 p.m. (free hybrid-in person/Zoom)

This one is for both crocheters

and knitters!
Purchase an Emma's Yarn
kit and you are ready to
go! All you have to decide
is if you are going to knit it
or crochet it. Coupon
code for each of the
patterns included in kit.



### **Edie Eckman Virtual Workshops**

No-Gauge-Any-Yarn Crocheted Beanies



Wednesday, April 13, 2-4 p.m. Fee: \$40

Love crocheting hats? Hate doing swatches? Let Edie show you how to crochet top-down beanie style hats without doing a gauge swatch. Make any size hat with any size yarn, and get a perfect fit every time. These hats are perfect for stashbusting and charity projects, and the techniques are easy enough for advanced beginning crochet-

ers to master. More advanced students will have the opportunity to experiment with texture and colorwork patterns. Mastery of basic crochet stitches is required; some experience working in rounds from the center out is helpful. No homework.



## **In Person Classes**

## **Beginning Knitting**

During the first 2 classes, you will learn to cast on, knit, purl, increase, decrease & cast off. On the 3rd class session, you will pick out an easy project, learn to read knitting instructions & work on your chosen project for the remainder of the course.

Fee: \$86/4 week class.

Thursdays, March 3 to 24 with Nick
Wednesday, March 30 to April 20
Tuesday, April 12 to May 3 with Georg
6:30-8 p.m.
11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
6-7:30 p.m.

Materials: US 8 to 10 knitting needle; one 100 gram ball of worsted weight yarn (preferably a wool or wool blend). All materials must be purchased from Mosaic Yarn Studio. Registered students get a 10% discount on class supplies! Beginning Knitting can be taken only two times and then you must move up

## **Beginning Crochet**

This class is for beginners. You'll get started with chain, single, and double crochet stitches. Chose a skein of Plymouth Encore and a H hook and you will be on your way!

Fee: \$86/4 week class.

Tuesday, March 8 to April 5 (No Class April 22) 6 - 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 31 to April 28 (No Class April 14) 2 - 3:30 p.m.

## Easy! Asticou Terrace

(Crochet via Zoom or in person)

with Darlene Joyce

Wednesday, 2:30-4 p.m. March 9 (in person) March 16 (via Zoom) Fee: \$25

This class is suitable for a newer crocheter or a seasoned crocheter who wants to join along. Students

must know chain & double crochet. Written and charted pattern given. Pattern is free on Ravelry.

We suggest Katia Harmonia or Acadia & US size G hook.

## Intermediate Knitting/ Crocheting

#### **Intermediate Knitting/Crocheting**

You will learn more advanced techniques of your choice. For example, you can choose a simple cabled sweater pattern, a fair isle pattern, an intarsia pattern - the choice is yours! This class can be taken over and over and over and over. All yarn must be purchased from MYS for Intermediate classes.

Fee: \$100/session 4 weeks

One Day Class Fee\*: \$30

\*Available if class is not full. 24 hour notice required.

Monday Afternoons with Darlene 1-3 p.m. March 7 to 28 April 4 to May 2 (No Class April 11)

**Tuesday Afternoons** with Darlene 1 - 3 p.m. March 8 to 29 April 5 to 26

Wednesday Afternoons with Nick 1 - 3 p.m. March 9 to 30 April 6 to 27

Wednesday Evening with Julie 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. March 9 to 30 April 6 to 27

**Thursday Evenings** with Darlene 6 - 8 p.m. April 7 to 28

**Friday Late Mornings** with Darlene 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. March 25 to April 29

#### MYS Zoom Book Club for "Yarnies"!



Author **Reagan Davis** is joining our Book Club on March 14th! You are not going to want to miss it!

We also have author **Allie Plieter** scheduled for the May meeting!

2nd Monday of the month 7-8 p.m. Zoom Meetings Cost is \$5.

Pre-registration required.

## **In Person Classes**

Correcting Mistakes with Darlene Joyce
Are you tired of running into the shop every time
the stitches fall off the needle? Come and learn
how to correct common mistakes made while knitting. You
will learn to pick up dropped stitches in stockinette, garter,
and at the end of the row. The class will include exercises
in dropping down pattern stitches, picking up dropped
stitches, and ripping out rows of knitting and getting stitches
back on the needle. Please pick up homework sheet.

Thurs. March 10 Sat. April 2 Fee: \$35 2 - 4 p.m. 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. 2 hour class

#### Arcuate Vest (Cables!) with Darlene Joyce



The Arcuate Vest is knit bottom up with an alternating cable pattern that is easy to memorize. It includes written and charted instructions. It also includes shoulder shaping so that the vest drapes nicely on the body. Choose cotton for a spring time top or wool to layer over a shirt. Many sizes available.

Saturdays, April 2 to 30 (No Class April 16)

Fee: \$100

12:30 2:30 p.m. 4 week class

Basic Socks with Darlene Joyce Knit a basic sock using fine needles and special sock yarn. You will learn to use double pointed needles, turn a heel and create a gusset. The instructor will discuss ways to ensure a proper fitting sock.



10 a.m. - 12 pm. 3 week class

Saturdays, April 16 to 30 Fee: \$75

## Are you ready for a new BINGO challenge? Play Technique Bingo

Project Bingo Rules:

- 1) Pick up your Bingo card at MYS or we will email you the link.
- Choose the projects you want to make, making "Bingo" up down or across.
- 3) You can knit or crochet.
- 4) Purchase yarn from MYS. One project must be finished before the discount will be given for the next project.
- 5) Progressive discounts will be given.
- 6) Finish your projects by June 30, 2022.
- 7) Take pictures & post them on social media or email them to us. Use the hashtag

#mosaicyarnstudio and/or #projectbingo

8) Participants who get "bingo" on their card will be entered in a raffle to win prizes.

## **Zoom Classes**



### Year of Bulky Hats 2022

(Kelbourne Woolens) Fridays, 12–1 p.m.

Knit via Zoom

March Hat (no picture at this time) March 18 & 25

April Hat (no picture at this time)
April 22 & 29

Fee: \$25/2 week class Pre-registration required.

Kits and individual yarn available. All hats are done in Kelbourne's new Germantown Bulky.

## 12" Squares X 12 Months 2022 (aka "Fancy Squares")

with Darlene Joyce



Darlene will pick a square to crochet each month. Each square will use worsted weight yarn and be at intermediate level. You choose your own colors. Darlene recommends

Berroco Vintage. This is a Zoom class.

2nd Saturday of every month, 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$20/class

Choose one month or them all!

LYS Day is coming! Saturday, April 30 10 a.m.– 5 p.m.



Join us for exclusive deals for LYSs

Here are some teasers:

- Road Trip Mystery KAL kits (Emma's Yarn)
- ⇒ Raffle Drawing for LYS Day 2022 swag
- ⇒ Casapinka LYS Day 2022 pattern
- ⇒ Baah Yarns special dye yarn

### **More Knit Project Classes**

Advanced Beginner (in person with Julie)

### **Abbreviated Shortie Socks (\$50)**

Saturday, March 12, 19 & 26, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.



Perky little thick socks for worsted weight yarn. Striped sock pattern for adults/teens. Seamless styled toes and heels. Quick and easy little accessory. A fun and useful way to use up small bits of yarn.

#### **Buttonhole Felted Bag (\$40)**

Saturday, April 9 & 16, 1 - 2 p.m.

The Buttonhole Bag is a - felted handbag with integral handles that are formed by mak-



ing 10-stitch buttonholes centered on the front and back. You can play with the shaping or add length to get the bag you want.

## Let's Drop Some Stitches! Wait...What??!!!



Join Darlene in this fun drop stitch cowl!



Shadow Hunter Cowl (knit demo via Zoom) Tuesday, April 5, 4 - 5 p.m.

Choose 2 to 4 skeins of Cozy Alpaca and a size US 8 needle. Homework: Cast on 76 sts.

Demo is free with yarn purchase. Pre-register.

## It's Not Too Late to Join! Building Blocks 2022

with Kate Joyce



Building Blocks is a skill building workshop that has students knitting a different 12" block every month that can be pieced together to create a lovely sampler afghan. The emphasis of this class is **EDUCATION**. Students are guided through the various stitches and techniques each month as their knitting knowledge is increased. With

a different skill focus each month, there is something new to learn at each class. Topics such as gauge, cast ons, bind offs, cables, increases, decreases, lace, pattern reading, and more are covered. Join in the fun!

2nd Wednesday of every month, 5:30-7 p.m. \$20/month. This class is in person.

## Weaving (In Person)

## Intro to Rigid Heddle Weaving: Getting to Know Your Loom

with Georg Luxton

Learn the parts of the loom and weaving terminology. Students will assemble their loom (if they haven't



already), warp it and do a balanced weave using worsted weight yarn purchased from MYS. You can also have the MYS staff put your loom together for you for a \$25 fee. This basic class is a spring board for more advanced weaving technique classes to come. If bringing own loom, make sure it is a rigid heddle and is no bigger than 20". Check with Georg if your are uncertain.

Sun. April 3, 10 & 24 Fee: \$75 2 - 4p.m. 3 week class

Looms available to rent for \$25



2nd Sunday of every month

12 - 1:30 p.m. Fee: \$25

Join expert weaver Georg Luxton

and get all your weaving questions answered.

Whether you want to warp your loom, continue on a project you started on in previous class or learn a new stitch, this time is totally dedicated to weaving.

#### **Dorset Buttons**

with Georg Luxton

Sunday April 3 12-1:30 p.m.



Choose your 3 favorite colors of Teenie Weenie wool or use your strap fingering weight yarn.

Fee: \$25 for  $1 \frac{1}{2}$  hour **in person class** 

#### Let's Dye Yarn Together! With Darlene & Georg (in person) Sunday, May 1,12—3 p.m.

Students must have their own Ashford dyes kit (or share with a friend). We will take turns using our microwave. Additional yarn available for purchase.

Space is limited. Fee \$50.

