

Mosaic Memo

The November/December 2025 newsletter of
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Cumulus Blouse

(knitting in person)

Tuesdays, November 11 to
 December 9
 (No Class November 25), 6-8 pm
 Fee: \$140/4 week class.

The Cumulus Blouse is worked from the top down in stockinette stitch with two strands of thin mohair/silk yarn held together throughout. The design has a deep rounded V-neck. All edges are finished with i-cord.

Darlene's sample is done with Emma's Suri Silk held together with Manos Del Uruguay Serena. It is butter soft! You will also need the Ravelry pattern and a size US 7 circular needle.



Ice Breaker

(knit in person)
 with Darlene

Big Needle!

Saturdays,
 November 1 to 15,
 1 - 3 p.m.
 \$120/3 weeks.

Ice Breaker is a sleeveless layering top/popover, perfect for winter layering! And knit up seamlessly and in bulky-weight yarn, it's a fun, fast knit too. It features a deep v neckline and simple eyelet stitch details along the hem.

Darlene is knitting her sample in Germantown Bulky & Silk Mohair Lux held together. Pattern on Ravelry.



Holiday Doodle Days: Knit Hat or Cowl

with Darlene (knit in person)

Wednesday, November 19,
 6 - 8 pm. Fee: \$40/2 hours

Using Jamie Lomax's clever "doodling" pattern, you will plan your own hat and start knitting it in class.

Materials: 5 contrasting colors of dk weight yarn (Darlene used Vintage Baby dk) and a 16" circular needle in both size US 4 & US 5, stitch markers and purchased pattern.

Note: If doing the cowl, get 24" circulars in the same sizes.

Homework: Knit ribbing of your choice before class.

Students must have taken the Intro to Fair Isle class or know how to do stranded knitting.



Rooftop Landing

New!

with June Sorensen

Tuesdays, November 4 to 18, 2-4 pm
 Fee: \$120/3 week class



Rooftop Landing is knit in the round from the brim up. It features a knit-in-hem for warmth and to help retain shape over time. June will help you learn how to handle the long floats

FINISHED MEASUREMENTS

(circumference x height)

For best fit, plan 1 - 3" negative ease. 18.5 x 8.25

Kits are available in five colorways and include the pattern.

In Person Classes

Beginning Knitting



Learn the basics of knitting in this four week course. Students will be taught the basic skills every knitter must know, including how to cast on, knit, purl, and bind off. **Ages 12+ only.**

Fee: \$120/4 week class.

Materials: US 8 to 10 knitting needle; one 100 gram ball of Plymouth Encore. **Ages 12+ only. Fee: \$120/4 week class.**

Tues, October 28 to Nov 18 with Kate 11 am - 12:30 pm
Thurs, Oct 30 to Nov 20 with Kate 11 am - 12:30 pm
Wed, Nov 12 to Dec 10 with Kate 11 am - 12:30 pm
(No Class Nov 26)
Sat, Dec 6 to 27 with Darlene 10 - 11:30 am

Beginning Crochet



This class is for beginners. You'll get started with chain, single, and double crochet stitches. Choose a skein of Plymouth Encore and a H hook and you will be on your way! **Ages 12+ only. Fee: \$120/4 week class.**

Sat, Nov 1 to 22 with Darlene 10 - 11:30 am
Tues, Dec 2 to 23 with Darlene 11 - 12:30 pm
Sat, Dec 6 to 27 with Julie 3 - 5 pm

Dancing Butterflies Hat

(knit with Darlene)

Fair Isle!

Friday, November 7 & 21,
2 - 4 pm. Fee: \$80/2 weeks



Dancing Butterflies is a fair isle hat pattern that is fun and quick to knit for your little loved ones. It's knit in the round bottom up. There are four sizes available from baby to teen.

The pattern features a chart.

Skills Needed: Knitting in the round, knit stitch, purl stitch and decreases, some fair isle experience, using double pointed needles or magic loop method.

Designed by Sofia Moussa

Intermediate Knitting/Crocheting

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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. Darlene takes Intermediate Crocheters (lefties too) in her classes.**

Fee: \$140/session

4 weeks

One Day Class Fee*: \$40

1 day

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

Monday Afternoons with Darlene
November 17 to December 8
December 15 to January 5

1 - 3 pm

Monday Evening with Julie
November 3 to 24
December 1 to 22

New Class Time!

6 - 8 pm

Tuesday Afternoons with Darlene
November 4 to December 2 (No Class November 25)
December 9 to 30

1 - 3 pm

Wednesday Afternoons with Darlene
October 29 to November 19
December 3 to 31 (No Class December 24)

1 - 3 pm

Friday Late Mornings with Darlene
November 7 to December 5 (No Class November 28)
December 19 to January 16 (No Class December 26)

11 am - 1 pm

Cozy Cables Ear Warmer with Kate Joyce

Easy Knit

Friday, November 14, 11 am - 1 pm or
Wednesday, December 3, 2 - 4 pm

Fee: \$40/2 hours



Knitted on fairly large needles with bulky yarn, you'll find the Cozy

Cables Ear Warmer is a surprisingly fast knitting project! If you're like me, you won't be able to stop at just one because there is something rather soothing about the repetition of the braided cable pattern and a great sense of accomplishment at finishing a knitted item so quickly.

Designed by RosiePosieKnitCo.

New!

Knit Classes

My First Baby Sweater with Darlene

**Easy
Knit**

Your first cardigan from this pattern will not be your last! You will love the ease of knitting a V-neck cardigan without going back to pick up stitches for the button band afterwards - hooray! Darlene will teach you how to make a "cheat sheet". Any dk or light worsted weight yarn purchased from MYS works.



Saturdays, December 6 to 20

Fee: \$120

1 - 3 pm

3 week class

Brioche Starter Cowl with June Sorensen

This pretty cowl is fun to knit and quick to make! It's knit in the round, which is easy to do in brioche. As its name implies, it's a good beginner's cowl or a good refresher. Pattern is \$5.99. Designed by Cynthia Spencer.



Tuesday, December 30 to January 6

Fee: \$80

2 - 4 pm

2 week class



Hand-dyed Yarns Trunk Show

November 4 to 18

RMR Yarn Co. is a small family-owned business from the **Chicago Metro** area. They are three sisters who love to work together to create beautiful vibrant colorways, accessories, and notions.

Support a local business!

Intro to Fair Isle Knitting with Darlene Joyce

Learn to knit a basic fair isle hat. You will choose your own motifs and color combinations. Please bring a 16" circular needle size US 7 for a hat or a 24" circular size US 7 for a cowl. Homework: Cast on 100 stitches on a 16" circular needle size US 5, join in the round and work in ribbing for 1 1/4". (If you are choosing to make a cowl, cast on 140 stitches on a circular needle US 5).



Wednesday, November 5

Fee: \$40

6 - 8 pm

2 hour class

Venezia Shawl with Darlene Joyce

Thursdays, November 6 to 20, 2 - 4 pm



Fee: \$120/3 week class

Venezia is a precious, delicate shawllette, perfect for any single skein of fingering weight yarn. Worked from tip to tip, with a reversible

lace pattern and a diamond shape. It is framed by a gorgeous reversible diamond lace motif, and the main body of the shawl is worked in ribbing.

Designed by Joji Locatelli

New!



Abbreviated Shortie Socks

Saturday, November 8 to 22

2 - 4 p.m. Fee: \$120/3 weeks

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. Suggested Yarn: HiKoo Simplicity (3 skeins, one in each color)

Weaving Class

Intermediate Weaving

with Georg Luxton

New!

This class is for students who have already taken Intro to Rigid Heddle Weaving or are confident with warping a loom. Learn more advanced stitches.

Friday, November 7 & 21

Fee: \$80

1 - 3 pm

2 week class



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".



Friday, December 5, 19 & January 2

Fee: \$120

2 - 4 pm

3 week class

Crochet Classes

Beginner Crochet: Next Steps \$40/2 hour class (in person)



How to Crochet a Granny Stitch Scarf (with Darlene)

Friday, November
14, 2 - 4 pm or
Saturday, December
27, 1 - 3 pm

Learn how to crochet a granny stitch (not square) scarf. Darlene will demo the foundation single crochet for those students who want to try it. You will need one skein of Cumulus or Cumulus Dappled and a size 5.5 mm crochet hook.

How to Crochet a Triangle Scarf (with Georg)



Friday, December 5
11am- 1 p.m.

Learn how to crochet a basic double crochet shawl. Georg's sample is done with one ball of Simplicity Spot and one skein of Simplicity for the border.

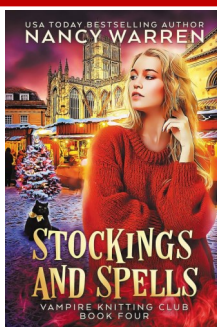
Patterns included. Yarn must be purchased at MYS.

MYS Zoom Book Club for "Yarnies"!

Join us for some reading fun & good laughs! We will be reading "Stockings and Spells" by Nancy Warren for our November 10 meeting.

2nd Monday of the month. 7-8 pm CST

Cost is \$5. Pre-registration required.



You can register for all our classes online or in person. Please make sure you check our **class policies and purchase materials from us ahead of time**

so we are all on the same page.
www.mosaic yarnstudio.com

Crochet Classes with Jessie

(advanced beginner in person)

Saturdays, 10 am - 12 pm.

Fee: \$40/2 hours



Maple Leaf Applique November 1

This crocheted maple leaf applique can be used on its own or strung up as fall decorations, sewn onto blankets or sweaters... anything that you fancy!



Snowflake Ornament December 6

Crochet a whole bunch of these snowflakes and use them as ornaments for the Christmas tree, pretty window decorations or holiday gift toppers. Make it snow and have a Merry Christmas! Any scrap of white yarn will work. Appropriate crochet hook for chosen yarn.

Custom Crochet Mittens with Darlene Joyce

Thurs, December 4 & 18, 2 - 4 pm

Fee: \$80/2 weeks

New!



Using simple measurements from your own hand, students will crochet a basic mitten. The mitten incorporates single crochet in the round, starting at the finger top and front post and back post for the ribbing. Please choose a dk weight yarn with at least 246 yards for a woman's medium/large.

Piper Cowl (crochet) with Darlene Designed by Deni Sharpe.

Everyone needs a little more color in their life! The Piper Unisex Cowl is inspired by that very thought! The peek-a-boo pops of color behind a simple texture create a fun and playful vibe! The color combos are endless and only limited to your imagination! This project is a perfect way to use up all those scrap yarns in a creative way! Ravelry pattern is \$5.50 Choose two contrasting color of worsted weight yarn and a size I hook.



Fridays, January 9 & 16

Fee: \$80

2 - 4 p.m.
2 week class