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The January/February 2020 newsletter of

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### Are you ready for a new challenge? **Play Project Bingo**

**Project Bingo Rules:** 

- 1) Purchase a \$5 bingo card online or in person. Participate in a virtual meeting (optional) on Saturday, December 26, 10 a.m.
- 2) Choose the projects you want to make, making "Bingo" up, down, across or diagonally.
- 3) You can knit, crochet or weave.
- 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 as follows: 1st Project-no discount 2nd Project-10% off 3rd Project-15% off 4th Project-20% off 5th Project-30% off
- 6) Finish your projects by June 30, 2021.
- 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.



# As-We-Go Stripey Blanket (in person) (designed by Hannah Owens)

With Georg Luxton

1st Sunday of every month\* 12-1:30 p.m. (in-person or Zoom)

Working in stripes learn how one to two new **crochet** stitches a week. The class will focus on joining in new colors and weaving in ends.

Choose your favorite colors of HiKoo Simplicity and a variety of sized hooks (F to I) to get started.

\*date will change on holiday weekends.

Jump in any time! Fee: \$15/month

Zoomalong with Darlene/Nick Tuesdays/Thursdays, 4 -5 p.m. Fee: \$30



## Winter Buzz Mittens

January 5, 7, 12 & 14

Materials: 2 skeins of Simpliworsted and 32"

circular needle in a size US 5 & 7 for magic loop technique, pattern.



#### **Best Worsted Socks** February 2 to 11

Materials: 1 skein of Simpliworsted, size US 6 double points & pattern.

> **Instruction & Demos** Intermediate Level



# MYS Zoom Book Club for "Yarnies"!

Whether you knit, crochet or weave, you are invited to be part of this fun book club where will read and discuss mystery books



that involve the fiber arts.

2nd Monday of the month 7-8 p.m. Zoom Meetings (starts January 11)

Cost is \$5/month. Pre-registration required.

# **Zoom Classes/Zoomalongs**

**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 peekaboo 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 8 & 15 Fee: \$35

2 - 3:30 p.m. 2 week class

Pom Pom Party Slippers with Kate Joyce (knit)

"Knit your very own Pom Pom Party Slippers by The Wooliers! These slippers are easily customized to any Women's or Men's size, and are topped with lofty Pom Poms. Inspired by the slippers our great grandmother made for us as kids, we love to



wear these in lieu of shoes while cozy at home..."

Wed. January 20 5 - 6:30 p.m. Fee: \$20 1 1/2 hour class



**Butterfly Kisses Scarf** (knit) with Kate Designed by Laila Bougriua

This scarf is here to keep you wrapped in butterfly kisses during the colder days of the year. It's long enough to wrap up to twice around your neck leaving the butterfly stitches visible.

The design is simple, but the detail of this stitch combined with this chunky wool, turns this scarf into a real eye catcher. Materials: 260 yards of bulky yarn & sUS 19 needle.

Wednesdays, February 10 & 17 Fee: \$30

6 - 7 p.m. 2 week class

Denna (knit)



with Darlene/Nick
Tuesdays/Thursdays,
February 16 to 25,
4 - 5 p.m.
Fee: \$30

Materials: 740 to 940 yards of dk weight yarn;

size US 7 needle; cable hook, pattern Instruction & Demos/Intermediate Level

# **Virtual Hat Series**



Bead Stitch Hat (crochet)

Saturdays, 10 - 11 a.m. January 16 & 23



Find Your Way Beanie (mosaic knitting)

with Kate Joyce
Mondays, 6 - 7 p.m.
January 25 & February 1



February Hat (knit)

with Darlene/June
Fridays, 12–1 p.m.
February 5 & 12

Fee: \$20/2 week class Pre-registration required.

# **12" Blocks X 12 Months (crochet)**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.

The first block will be "Brixton Carter Lee"

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



Fee: \$15/class

Choose one month or them all! This is a virtual class. Pre-register.

# **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.

Tuesdays, January 5 to 26 with Nick 5:30-7 p.m. Thursday, February 4 to 35 with Nick 6 - 7:30 p.m. Saturdays, February 6 to 27 with Darlene 1 - 2:30 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 to Intermediate Knitting:)

# **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!



Sunday, January 10 to 31 with Georg Friday, February 5 to 26 Fee: \$86

2 - 3: 30 p.m. 4 week class

To the Point: The Knitted Triangle by Leila Raven



Reishi with June
Mondays, Feb. 15 & 22,
6-8 p.m. Fee: \$55

Materials: 938 yards of worsted weight yarn; size

US 8 needle & the book. Book available as a hard copy or on Ravelry. Pre-register.



# 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\*: \$28 1 day
\*Available if class is not full. 24 hour notice required.

Monday Afternoons with Darlene 1-3 p.m. January 18 to February 22 (No Class January 25) March 8 to 29

Tuesday Afternoons with Darlene
January 5 to February 2
(No Class January 26)
February 9 to March 9
(No Class March 2)

Wednesday Evening with Julie 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. January 6 to 27 February 3 to 24

Friday Late Mornings with Darlene 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. January 8 to February 5 (No Class January 29) February 12 to March 12 (No Class March 5)

**Thursday Evenings** with Darlene 6 - 8 p.m. January 7 to 28 February 11 to March 11



# Brioche Cable Cowl (knit) with June Sorensen

Have you done some brioche and want to take it to the next level? Learn two color brioche with cabling! This in person class will happen after hours. Students must purchase kit.

Monday, January 4 & 18, 6 - 8 p.m. Fee: \$55.

# Weaving

# **Zoom Classes**

Fringe with Georg Luxton Tired of Just Knots? If you're tired of finishing your weaving by just tying knots, join this 1 ½ hr zoom class to learn different ways to end your work. You'll need a weaving with some fringe to practice these techniques on: Overhand Knots, Fancy



Knots, Beads, Hemstitch, Hemming, and Twisted fringe.

 $6-7:30 \ p.m.$ Tues. January 5 Fee: 25 1 1/2 hour class

#### Clasped Weft with Georg Luxton



Cleft weft is an easy technique for making angled patterns and only requires two shafts. Students must have their looms warped and ready to weave. You can use a rigid heddle loom or a frame loom. Pictures are from the Anthology Scarf Kits available at MYS.

Tues. January 12 6 - 7:30 p.m. Fee: \$25 1 1/2 hour class

#### Intro to Frame Weaving with Georg Luxgton

Using a frame loom, students will learn some basics of weaving, including how to warp the frame, how to create some simple stitches and how to let the design process flow while making a simple wall hanging. No experience needed. Frames available at MYS.



6 - 8 p.m. 2 hour class

Tues. January 19 Fee: \$32

#### **Dorset Buttons**





Tuesday February 23 6 - 7:30 p.m.



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

Fee: \$32/2 hour class via Zoom

# **In-Person Classes**

#### **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.

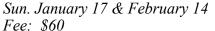
Sun. January 10, 24 & 31

Fee: \$75

Looms available to rent for \$25

#### **Rigid Heddle Weaving:**

Log Cabin with Georg Luxton The Log Cabin pattern is a **color-and -weave** pattern which basically means that the way the warp and weft strand colors interlock creates the pattern. Knowledge of plain weave (tabby weave) necessary. Students must know how to warp a loom. Second class is a Zoom class.





12-2 p.m.3 week class

12 - 2 p.m.2 week class



## **Store Hours**

Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday **Thursday Saturday** Sunday/Monday

11 a.m. to 4 p.m. 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Closed



Mosaic Yarn Studio is located in downtown Mount Prospect at 109 W. Prospect Ave. on the South Side of the Metra Railroad Tracks.