

# Mosaic Memo

The March/April 2021 newsletter of  
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## Zoomalong with Darlene/Nick Tuesdays, 4 –5 p.m. Fee: \$30



### Darlene's Toe Up Boot Socks March 9 to 23

Materials: 2 skeins of  
HiKoo Kenzie and US3 or  
US4 Flexi Flips

Learn Turkish toe, reverse heel flap  
and a stretchy bind off. **New!**



### Rogue River Cowl April 13 to 27

Materials: 2 contrasting  
skeins of sport weight yarn  
(i.e. Crazy & Mad Hatter);  
US 4 24" circular needle.

Learn simple striping,  
mosaic knitting and  
easy seaming.

## Local Yarn Store Day! Saturday, April 17th



- Special items only available at brick and mortar stores
  - Kick off of the **Maryland Road Trip Mystery KAL**. We have kits from Baah Yarns & will be announcing our virtual KAL
  - Thank you for supporting Mosaic Yarn Studio



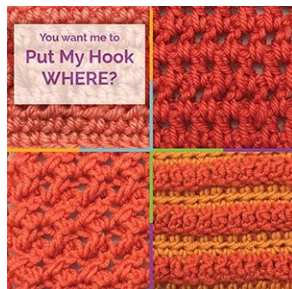
## Modular Inlay Wrap (Stephen West Study Group) with Nick Clewell

Thursdays, March 4 to 25,  
6:30 - 7:30 p.m.



What's a study group? Kind of like a KAL, but we ask each participant to research the project. Nick will guide each participant to share during the Zoom meetings. His role will not be to "tell you how to make it". No fee.

## You Want Me to Put My Hook Where? Eckman Workshop



Wednesday, March 24,  
2 -4 p.m. Fee: \$40

No more "insert hook in next stitch" for you! It's time to go fishing in other waters by putting your hook into unusual places. We'll explore making fabric with post stitches, third loop stitches, split stitches, long stitches, folding stitches, linked stitches and other beyond-the-ordinary places to put that hook. Students should be confident doing single crochet, half double crochet, and double crochet.

## Engla Shawl FREE CAL (via Zoom)

Designed by Margo Bauman

with Darlene Joyce

Saturdays, 10 –11 a.m.  
March 20 to April 3

"It's all about the yarn...and a little texture"

Oink Pigments put some special kits together for us. Pre-registration required.



**New!**

# Zoom Classes/Zoomalongs

## Chunkified Retreat Shawl with Kate Joyce

Learn how to make Kate's original retreat design using super chunky yarn and a size US 15 needle. Techniques to learn include kfb increases, double yarn overs and decreases.



*Mondays, March 15 to 29*  
Fee: \$30

7 - 8 p.m.  
3 week class

## Shine On Cowl with Kate Joyce

Pick two colors of your favorite fingering weight yarn and lose yourself in a deceptively simple knit. Shine On Cowl combines a clean lace stitch with a complex-looking, but easy to work, diamond mosaic pattern. The graphic diamond motif is created with slipped stitches, and only one color is ever worked at one time - no stranding! Homework: Cast on and work the ribbing.



*Mondays, April 19 to May 3*  
Fee: \$30

7 - 8 p.m.  
3 week class

## Blurry Cowl New! (virtual knit class) with Julie Davidson

**Fridays, March 26 to April 9,**  
**10 - 11 a.m. Fee: \$25**

Three sections: chevron, stripes and lace ribbing. Materials: 2 skeins of dk weight yarn and a size US 6 24" circular needle.  
Demos/instruction.



## 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.*

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

Fee: \$15/class



## Virtual Hat Series

### Lotus Flower Beanie\* with Kate Joyce

Thursday, 6 - 7 p.m.  
March 25 & April 1  
\*Baah Yarns kits available



### March Hat (knit) with June Sorensen

Fridays, 12-1 p.m.  
March 12 & 19

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

### April Hat (knit) with June Sorensen

Fridays, 12 -1 p.m.  
April 2 & 9

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



We are now stocking Kelbourne Germantown and the leather tags for the kits. We have 6 kits for the March hat.

## 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 #mosaicystudio and/or #projectbingo
- 8) Participants who get "bingo" on their card will be entered in a raffle to win prizes.



# 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.**

*Saturdays, April 3 to 24 with Kate*

*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). Please purchase your materials from us.



## 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!

*Wednesday, March 10 to 31*

**Fee: \$86**

*11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.*

*4 week class*

**Cloudburst (knit) with Darlene**  
Choose your favorite color of Rauma Finullgarn and a size 3 mm needle in your favorite method to work in the round in a small circumference. Darlene will walk you through working a twisted rib and reading a chart (written words are also given).

**New!**



*Saturdays, March 13 & 20*

**Fee: \$55**

*1 - 3 p.m.*

*2 hour class*

## To the Point: The Knitted Triangle

### Lemon Balm

**with June (in person)**

**Mondays, April 5 & 12, 6-8 p.m.**

**Class Fee: \$55**

**New!**



**Materials:**  
884 yards of fingering weight yarn (June is using Pashmina); size US 5 needle & the book. Book is now FREE on Ravelry!

## 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.**

**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.*

*March 8 to 29*

*April 12 to May 3*

**Tuesday Afternoons with Darlene**

*1 - 3 p.m.*

*March 16 to April 6*

*April 13 to May 4*

**Wednesday Evening with Julie**

*6:30 - 8:30 p.m.*

*March 3 to 24*

*March 31 to April 21*

**Friday Late Mornings with Darlene** *11 a.m. - 1 p.m.*

*March 19 to April 9*

*April 16 to May 21 (No Class May 7 & 14)*

**Thursday Evenings with Darlene**

*6 - 8 p.m.*

*March 18 to April 8*

*April 15 to May 20 (No Class May 6 & 13)*



## Bow Tie Pasta

(knit in person)

**with Nick**

**New!**

*Thursdays,*

*April 15 & 22*

*6-8 p.m. Fee: \$55*

**Materials:** choose a kit from Emma's Yarns or 2 contrasting colors of dk weight yarn; size US 3 & US 5 needles.

Explore a little mosaic knitting with Nick! Experience in working in the round on a small circumference required.

# Weaving

## Zoom Classes

### Rigid Heddle Warping: Tips and Tricks with Georg Luxton

Join this zoom class on WARPING the Rigid Heddle Loom if you want to re-view how to figure out how much yarn you need for a project and how to figure out which heddle to use. You will also learn how to warp a LONG length on the rigid heddle.

Tues. March 9  
Fee: \$25

6 - 7:30 p.m.

1 1/2 hour class



## Weekend Weaving

2nd Sunday of every month

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

Join expert weaver Georg

**New!**

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

**New!**

Tuesday  
March 16

6 - 7:30 p.m.



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

Fee: \$25 for 1 1/2 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 you are uncertain.

Sun. April 11, 25 & May 9

Fee: \$75

Looms available to rent for \$25

2 - 4 p.m.

3 week class

### 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.



Sun. April 18 & May 2

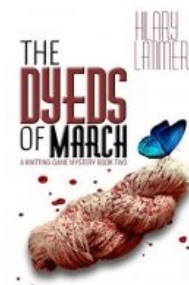
2 - 4 p.m.

## 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  
(next book club is March 8th)

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



## 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



Zoom private lessons available with Georg Luxton for knitting, crocheting or weaving. Email us at [info@mosaicarnstudio.com](mailto:info@mosaicarnstudio.com) with two possible days/times. \$32/hour.