

Three Bags Full

knitting studio

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Dear Fellow Knitters and Crocheters,

Happy Spring! We had our first Spring snowstorm of the season this morning! By afternoon, the snow had disappeared.

Several weeks ago, we were invited to have a booth at Elawa Farm's Winterfest. They wanted to create a day of hygge, inspired by the Scandinavian tradition of taking time to relax and have cozy calm. They asked us to bring small kits of simple knits to get folks started. We had fun creating some simple patterns for new knitters: cute baby hats, washcloths and coasters. We featured new Cotton dk yarn from Mode at Rowan.

I wanted to follow up on our Mitten Knitting Night at the shop. We had a huge turnout. Refuge One in Chicago was thrilled to receive 75 pairs of mittens from your knitting, as well as over 100 hats and scarves from our Giving Tree program. The need is great, and we appreciate all your wonderful donations. The tree looked great too!

Keeping in the giving spirit, we will be donating all the proceeds from the sale of our samples during the 23rd Anniversary Sale. These funds will go to World Central Kitchen and Global Giving. The sale starts Saturday, March 29th and runs through April 5th. At a time when it appears that our government is pulling back from helping those in need, it feels more imperative to do our part.

During the past few months, we've been very excited to see the numbers of new customers

wanting to learn both knitting and crocheting. We've added several new class time slots to accommodate the demand. Rachel is our newest hire and is doing both beginning crochet and beginning/intermediate crochet classes on Fridays. She is also available for private lessons. Sandy continues to teach her popular crochet class on Saturday afternoons. We've added several new crochet project classes to the schedule too.

A lot of our good ideas come from you, our customers and students. Linda will be teaching Knitted Cars and Trucks in the next session. These are adorable stuffed toys that you'll have to come and see. Another student-inspired class is Blooming Petals Cardigan. Like it sounds, this is a little girl's sweater embellished with leaves and petals. So sweet!

Spring yarns are arriving and there is a new selection of cotton yarns we are carrying. They're sure to inspire you for spring knitting!

Happy knitting & crocheting,
Lynette

SHOP HOURS

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

Spring & Summer 2025 Class Offerings

Three Bags Full offers classes to promote knitting and crochet skills. While we have not made it a rule that all supplies used in classes be purchased here, we do hope that you will choose to support our shop.

BEGINNING KNITTING

Tuesday Mornings 10 a.m. -12 noon

Session 1: April 8, 15, 22, 29, May 6, 13

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 20, 27, June 3, 10, 17, 24

\$180/session 2

Session 3: July 8, 15, 22, 29

\$120/session 3

BEGINNING/INTERMEDIATE CLASSES

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

Monday Afternoons 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Monday Evenings 6-8 p.m.

Session 1: April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5, 12

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 19, June 2, 9, 16, 23 (no class Memorial Day May 26)

\$150/session 2

Session 3: July 7, 14, 21, 28

\$120/session 3

Tuesday Mornings 10-12 noon

Tuesday Afternoons 4-6 p.m.

Session 1: April 8, 15, 22, 29, May 6, 13

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 20, 27, June 3, 10, 17, 24

\$180/session 2

Session 3 July 8, 15, 22, 29

\$120/session 3

Wednesday Mornings 10 a.m. -12 noon

Wednesday Afternoons 12:30-2:30 p.m.

Wednesday Evenings 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Session 1: April 9, 16, 23, 30, May 7, 14

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 21, 28, June 4, 11, 18, 25

\$180/session 2

Session 3: July 9, 16, 23, 30

\$120/session 3

Thursday Afternoons 12-2 p.m.

Thursday Afternoons 1-3 p.m.

Thursday Evenings 7-9 p.m.

Session 1: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8, 15

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 22, 29, June 5, 12, 19, 26

\$180/session 2

Session 3: July 10, 17, 24, 31

\$120/session 3

Friday Mornings 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Session 1: April 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9, 16

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 23, 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27

\$180/session 2

Session 3: July 11, 18, 25, August 1

\$120/session 3

FRIDAY KNITTING CLINIC every Friday 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.

Get that extra assistance you need to help you through a difficult project

\$30/class

SKILL-BUILDING CLASSES

Monday Afternoons 1-3 p.m.

Session 1: April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5, 12

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 19, June 2, 9, 16, 23 (no class Memorial Day, May 26)

\$150/session 2

Session 3: July 7, 14, 21, 28

\$120/session 3

Tuesday Afternoons 1-3 p.m.

Session 1: April 8, 15, 22, 29, May 6, 13

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 20, 27, June 3, 10, 17, 24

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\$120/session 3

Thursday Mornings 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

Thursday Afternoons 2-4 p.m.

Session 1: April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8, 15

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 22, 29, June 5, 12, 19, 26

\$180/session 2

Session 3: July 10, 17, 24, 31

\$120/session 3

BEGINNING KNITTING FOR KIDS – kids ages 8 and up

Saturday Afternoons 3:30 -4:45 p.m., April 12, 19, 26, May 3

\$100

HOW ABOUT SUMMER KNITTING CAMP?

KIDS' KNITTING CAMP

Kids 8 and up meet each day for a fun filled week of knitting!

Meets Monday thru Friday, 1:30 – 3:00 p.m.

Session 1: Monday, June 16 – Friday, June 20

\$ 125

Session 2: Monday, August 11 – Friday, August 15

\$125

KNITTING CAMP FOR GROWN-UPS

Yes, all grown up and still wanting to go to camp. All levels of knitting skills welcome!

Monday -Thursday, July 14 - 17, 4-6 p.m.

\$125

PRIVATE LESSONS

Call the shop to arrange for an hour private lesson for 1-4 students

CROCHET CLASSES

BEGINNING CROCHET

Friday Mornings 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Session 1: April 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9, 16

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 23, 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27

\$180/session 2

Session 3: July 11, 18, 25, August 1

\$120/session 3

BEGINNING/INTERMEDIATE CROCHET

Friday Afternoons 1-3 p.m.

Session 1: April 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9, 16

\$180/session 1

Session 2: May 23, 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27

\$180/session 2

Session 3: July 11, 18, 25, August 1

\$120/session 3

Saturday Afternoons 1-3 p.m.

Session 1: April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 10, 17

\$180/session 1

LEARN TO CROCHET GRANNY SQUARES

Wednesday Afternoons 3 – 5 p.m., April 30, May 7, 14, 21, 28, June 4

\$180

SCRAPPY SUMMER TOTE

Use your “leftovers” to make this fun crocheted bag.

Saturday Afternoons 1 – 3 p.m., May 10, 17, 24

\$90

BOHO BEADED NECKLACE

Combine crocheting and beading! Rachel will be providing beads for a \$10 fee.

Saturday Morning 10 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., May 10

\$35

KNITTING PROJECT CLASSES

KNITTED CARS AND TRUCKS

Learn techniques of intarsia and shaping all while creating fun, child-friendly toys!

Saturday Afternoons 3 – 4:30 p.m., April 26, May 3, 10, 17

\$100

BLOOMING PETALS CARDIGAN

Super cute sweater for your favorite little girl!

Thursday Early Evening 5:00 – 6:30 p.m., July 17, 24, 31, August 7, 14, 21

\$180

EASTWIND by Emily Foden

This is a handsome jacket with cable details. Adrienne is always getting compliments when she wears it.

This is student t requested class.

Thursday Afternoon 4 – 6 p.m., April 24, May 1, 29 and 3 more dates TBA

\$180

MEADOW VINE REVERSIBLE CABLE SCARF by Kristen McDonell Saturday Mornings 9:30 – 10:30 a.m., May 31 and June 7	\$40
CAMBERSANDS by Cheryl Mokhtari, Coco Amour This gentle cable pattern creates a luscious looking sweater! Tuesday Afternoons 12:30- 2:30 p.m., April 22, May 6, 20, June 10	\$130
HANA by Junko Okamoto Sunday Afternoons 1 – 3 p.m., April 27, May 4, 18, June 1	\$130

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.

KNITTING SKILLS CLASSES

CORRECTING MISTAKES

Students need to knit two 4" swatches, one in garter and one in stockinette, and leave them on the needles. Please bring a crochet hook and tapestry needle.

Monday Evening 7-8:30 p.m., June 9	\$25
Friday Afternoon 2:30-4 p.m., June 20	\$25

DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR:

23ND ANNIVERSARY SALE - MARCH 29 - APRIL 5

LOCAL YARN STORE DAY - APRIL 26

CHICAGO YARN CRAWL - JULY 26 - AUGUST 3

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 last-minute calls to sign up for classes that would have been held had the sign-ups occurred earlier. Thanks.

Mark your calendar.....

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!

Friday, April 18

Friday, May 16

Friday, June 20

Friday, July 18

7-9:30 p.m.

Please sign up ahead. Space is limited!

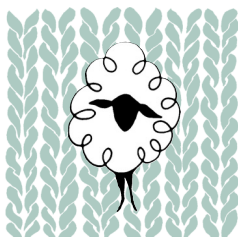
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