

The Yarnery

Spring and Summer 2009 Class Schedule

Just stop in or call 651-222-5793 to register. The class schedule is continuously updated.
 You can download the most current schedule at www.yarnery.com

KNITTING BASICS

Beginning Knitting \$56

Beginning 5 sessions
 Start knitting! Learn the basics while creating a pair of warm mittens. Techniques learned will include how to cast-on, knit, purl, increase, decrease, bind-off, seam and read patterns.

Thursdays Peggy Lexau
 May 14, 21, 28; June 4, 11 6-8:30 pm

Mondays Mary Lou Egan
 June 22, 29; July 6, 13, 20 6-8:30 pm

Tuesdays Sarah Rye
 July 14, 21, 28; August 4, 11 6-8:30 pm

Thursdays Peggy Lexau
 August 6, 13, 20, 27; September 3 6-8:30 pm

Beginning Knitting in Two Weeks \$50

Beginning 4 sessions
 Everything in our five-week class will be taught in 4 sessions, spread out over two weeks, while knitting a hat. Please note: There will be homework!

Mondays and Thursdays Jean Christensen
 August 24, 27, 31; September 3 6-8:30 pm

Punchcard Advanced Beginning \$38/\$62

Advanced Beginning 3 or 5 sessions
 Are you ready to expand your knitting skills? If you know the basics of knitting (how to cast-on, knit and purl; increase and decrease), this is the next class for you. Learn new techniques while knitting a sweater, a pair of socks or mittens with double point needles or the Magic Loop, a felted project or one of the many patterns in the Advanced Beginning knitting class notebook.

Purchase either 3 sessions for \$38 or 5 sessions for \$62 of Advanced Beginning at a time and you decide when you want to attend.

Tuesday evenings Jess Bandelin
 June 2 - August 11 6-8:30 pm

Wednesday afternoons Peggy Lexau
 June 3-August 26 2-4:30 pm

Daytime Knitting and Felting \$62

Advanced Beginning 5 sessions
 Do you prefer classes during the weekday hours? If you know how to cast-on, knit and purl, you can choose an advanced beginning to intermediate level project for this class.

Tuesdays Sarah Walker
 June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 10 am-12:30 pm

WEAVING

Beginning Weaving \$70

Beginning 4 sessions
 Interested in trying your hand at weaving? In this class you will learn how to warp and weave on a Beka rigid heddle loom. The class project is a scarf, and you can choose from a variety of sock yarns and colors. No previous weaving experience required. Cost includes 6-week rental of loom.

Saturdays Theresa Gaffey
 May 9, 16, 30; June 6
 Session 1: 9 am-12:30 pm
 Sessions 2, 3, 4: 10 am-12:30 pm

Three session option
 Saturdays Theresa Gaffey
 June 20, 27; July 11
 Session 1: 9:00 am - 4:00pm, with a lunch break
 Sessions 2 and 3: 10:00 am-12:30 pm

Knit and Crochet Camp for Kids \$105

Beginning 5 sessions
 In partnership with Saint Paul Community Education we are once again offering a 5 day Knit and Crochet Camp for Kids ages 9-12. Learn to dye yarn, knit, crochet, needle felt, and embellish your projects. Class fee includes all supplies. Register through The Yarnery by calling 651-222-5793 or stopping in.
 Monday-Friday Jess Bandelin
 July 20-24 9:00am-12:00 pm

KNITTING TECHNIQUES

Continental Knitting

\$38

Advanced Beginning 3 sessions

Want to knit faster? Sarah will teach you how to knit European-style, with the yarn held in your left hand, as you knit a circular hat.

Wednesdays

May 13, 20, 27

Sarah Rye

6-8:30 pm

Lace Workshop

\$25

Advanced Beginning 2 sessions

Mary Lou will demystify lace knitting as you learn to read a chart, practice this beautiful technique, select and begin your first lace project.

Mondays

July 27; August 3

Mary Lou Egan

6-8:30 pm

Damage Control

\$25

Beginning-Advanced Beginning 2 sessions

Are you a knitter who is unsure of how to recognize, let alone fix a dropped or twisted stitch? Join us for two evenings of tips and techniques that will build your knitting confidence.

Thursdays

August 6, 13

Shelly Kang

6-8:30 pm

Mitered Square Knitting

\$25

Advanced Beginning 2 sessions

Shelly Kang has created an amazing mitered square blanket using sock yarn and she is eager to share this easy way for you to create an impressive scarf or blanket of any size with any weight of yarn.

Thursdays

May 21; June 4

Shelly Kang

6-8:30 pm

Finishing

\$38

Advanced Beginning 3 sessions

Good finishing skills are invaluable for any knitter. In this class, you will practice the techniques necessary to give your knitted items a professional look. There is homework to complete before the first class.

Wednesdays

May 4, 11, 18

Theresa Gaffey

6-8:30 pm

Reading Charts: An Introduction

\$15

Advanced Beginning 1 session

Have you done two-color or cable knitting but you are intimidated by the charts? Come join Jess as she demystifies chart reading.

Wednesday

June 24

Jess Bandelin

6-8:30 pm

Increases and Decreases

\$15

Advanced Beginning 1 session

All methods of increasing add a stitch, but did you know that the method you choose cannot only affect the appearance of the finished garment, but also the row gauge and therefore the fit? Many times patterns do not specify which one to use. We will cover several different ways to increase and observe how they differ in function and appearance. We will also cover a variety of decreases, especially how to pair them with your chosen increase.

Monday

June 8

Mary Lou Egan

6-8:30 pm

Sampler Afghan

\$50

Advanced Beginning 4 sessions

This class will use Barbara Walker's classic Learn-To-Knit Afghan Book, to learn a variety of techniques. Each square of the afghan uses a different pattern, and you will learn slip-stitch patterns, mosaic patterns, cables, twisted stitch, trinity stitch and more. Even if you don't want to make an entire afghan, the pattern techniques will expand your knitting repertoire.

Mondays

June 8, 22; July 6, 20

Sarah Walker

6-8:30 pm

Introduction to Cables

\$38

Advanced Beginning 3 sessions

Jess will teach you how to work cables into a textured hat. You will learn to read written cable directions and follow a chart.

Wednesdays

August 12, 19, 26

Jess Bandelin

6-8:30 pm

Socks: Double Points, Two Circulars or Magic Loop

\$38

Advanced Beginning 3 sessions

Learn how to knit socks with a variety of different needle methods with a pattern that uses a variety of different yarn weights.

Mondays

June 1, 8, 22

Kristen King

6-8:30 pm

Mondays

August 17, 24; September 14

Sarah Walker

6-8:30 pm

ADULT AND CHILD KNITTING

Socks: Mini Sock Workshop \$25
Advanced Beginning 1 session
Learn the basics of how to knit socks. In one day you will learn how to knit on four needles, turn a heel, work a heel gusset, and finish the toe on a miniature sock.
Saturday Mary Lou Egan
August 8 10 am-2:30 pm

Socks: Toe Up \$50
Advanced Beginning 4 sessions
Sock projects are portable and handknit socks are so comfortable you will want your own drawer full. Learn the short-row technique for smooth heels and toes and the freedom to design your own socks.
Wednesdays Shelly Kang
July 8, 15, 22, 29 6-8:30 pm

Socks: Toe Up with the Magic Loop \$50
Advanced Beginning 4 sessions
Make a pair of warm, well-fitting winter socks and learn techniques with Jean. These socks have a tricky cast-on, which fast becomes a finished toe. The toe up method is a great way to knit socks when you are short on yarn as you can easily change the cuff length. Students will have the option of knitting one sock at a time or two.
Saturdays Jean Christensen
May 2, 9, 16, 30 10 am-12:30 pm

Socks: Two at a Time on the Magic Loop \$50
Advanced Beginning 4 sessions
Knitting two socks at a time on one long circular needle really is faster. A pair is finished together, your measurements match and you will not fall victim to Second Sock syndrome. This technique is smooth once it is understood and practiced.
Wednesdays Jean Christensen
August 19, 26; September 2, 9 6-8:30 pm

Two Color Knitting: Fair Isle Hat \$38
Advanced Beginning 3 sessions
Learn how to knit with two colors as you design your own fair-isle hat. Experience with Continental-style or American-style knitting is fine. You will learn two-handed color knitting.
Thursdays Shelly Kang
June 11, 18, 25 6-8:30 pm

Adult and Child Beginning Knitting \$54
Beginning 3 sessions
Adults (moms, dads, aunts, uncles, or friends) must be accompanied by a child age 8 or older, in order to attend this class. Spend three relaxing classes with your child and learn how to cast-on, knit, and bind off, while making a small purse. Fee is for one child and one adult; fee for second child is \$27.
Mondays Sarah Walker
July 27; August 3, 10 6-8:30 pm

Adult and Child Advanced Beginning Knitting \$72
Advanced Beginning 4 sessions
Adults with children 8 or older will expand their knitting skills in this class. You will pick a project from Melanie Falick's Kids Knitting. Prerequisite: Adult and Child Beginning Knitting or equivalent experience. Fee is for one pair; additional child is \$24.
Wednesdays Jess Bandelin
June 3, 10, 17, 24 6-8:30 pm

CROCHET

Crochet: Advanced Beginning \$50
Advanced Beginning 4 sessions
Take crochet to the next step. Learn more advanced stitches and techniques while working on a project of your choice. You will pick your class project during the first class.
Wednesdays Theresa Gaffey
April 22, 29; May 6 6-8:30 pm

Tuesdays Theresa Gaffey
June 16, 23, 30; July 14 6-8:30 pm

Crochet: Beginning \$38
Beginning 3 sessions
Crochet is Back! Learn a variety of crochet techniques while working on a project of your choice. You will pick out your class project during the first class.
Wednesdays Theresa Gaffey
May 27; June 3, 10 6-8:30 pm

Crochet for Knitters \$15
Advanced Beginning 1 session
Learn some basic crochet techniques; single crochet, chain, crab stitch and more to add a unique touch to your knitting. Students must bring a 7x7 inch swatch of stockinette to class.
Tuesday Theresa Gaffey
May 19 6-8:30 pm

PROJECTS LARGE AND SMALL

Baby Surprise Jacket \$50
 Advanced Beginning 4 sessions
 Elizabeth Zimmermann's "surprising" garter stitch cardigan is fun to knit! This sweater looks like a new creation each time it is knit in a different weight, type or color of yarn. It is truly amazing.
 Wednesdays Jane Kilian
 August 5, 12, 19, 26 6-8:30 pm

NEW!
February Baby or Lady Sweater \$25, \$50, \$75
 Advanced Beginning 2, 4 or 6 sessions
 This classic baby cardigan with the easy gull stitch lace by Elizabeth Zimmermann was published in 1974. It has now become a popular adult version adapted by Pamela Wynne. Students may register for 2, 4 or 6 sessions with our EZ expert Jean!
 Wednesdays Jean Christensen
 July 8, 15, 22, 29; August 5, 12 6-8:30 pm

Felted Clogs \$38
 Advanced Beginning 3 sessions
 Fight the cold winter months by knitting felted indoor clogs for adults or children.
 Mondays Maura Thompson
 July 20, 27; August 3 6-8:30 pm

NEW!
Fiesta Mittens \$38
 Advanced Beginning 3 sessions
 Fiesta Mittens are the perfect showcase for hand painted yarns and a great introduction to knitting with two colors and grafting.
 Thursdays Peggy Lexau
 June 18, 25; July 9 6-8:30 pm

Finish That Project \$38
 Advanced Beginning 3 sessions
 Bring those unfinished projects out into the light of day and the appropriate needles for the projects you would like to resuscitate.
 Mondays Mary Lou Egan
 August 17, 24, 31 6-8:30 pm

Finish Your Aran, Gansey or Norwegian Sweater \$15 per session or \$50 for all four
 Intermediate 1-4 sessions
 Don't let your Aran, Gansey or Norwegian sweater project languish all summer long. Meet up with Sherry once a month to keep your project on track.
 Wednesdays Sherry Enzler
 May 6, June 3, July 1, August 5 6-8:30 pm

Hats, Mittens, and Scarves \$38
 Advanced Beginning 3 sessions
 July is a great time to get a jump start on knitting useful winter items. These projects are small, portable and make great holiday gifts.
 Thursdays Jean Christensen
 July 16, 23, 30 6-8:30 pm

Holiday Stocking Knit Along \$50
 Advanced Beginning 4 sessions
 Have your stockings ready for the holidays. You may choose a felted, intarsia, or fair isle pattern.
 Thursdays Jess Bandelin
 July 9, 16, 23, 30 6-8:30 pm

Simply Stunning Shawls \$38
 Advanced Beginning 3 sessions
 Jane Kilian has written two popular shawl patterns Ruth's Shawl and the Blue Ribbon Shawl that are basic and beautiful.
 Wednesdays Jane Kilian
 July 8, 15, 29 6-8:30 pm

THE YARNERY CLASS POLICIES

When you register you will be provided a class supply and information sheet. Class fees do not include supplies, unless otherwise noted.

The Yarnery offers students a 10% discount on class supplies. When your class begins, you will be given an additional one-time 10% discount card, which may be used once over the duration of the class; it expires one week after the class ends.

Please arrive 20 minutes early for the first class if you need to purchase supplies for the class. Yarn purchased in hanks should be wound before the first class.

All students are assumed to have the prerequisite skills listed on the class information sheet.

Class cancellations must be made 7 days prior to the class in order to receive a refund.

Classes that do not reach a minimum of 4 students three days prior to the start date will be cancelled. You will be contacted via phone and/or email regarding class cancellations.

Students paying by check will be issued a refund check. Students paying by credit card will have their refund issued to the same credit card.