

September 2021 Class Schedule

Basic Mittens: This is the ultimate beginner level mitten pattern. Learn to knit in the round on DPNS while knitting up a pair of the "Worlds Simplest Mittens". This basic pattern is a go to for a quick gift or as a blank canvas to design your own mittens. This pattern will also serve as an introduction to simple shaping in knitting using increases and decreases. We will knit a child size mitten in class. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic knitting skills required including cast on, knit and purl combinations (ribbing). Working in the round and familiarity with double pointed needles such as the top of a hat helpful.

- Tuesdays, September 21 & 28 from 6-8 p.m. with Susan
- \$60 plus supplies

Beginning Crochet: Crochet is hotter than ever! Whether you have never picked up a hook or are a knitter looking to expand your skill set, this class is for you. Learn the basics, in this 2-part class, such as the slip knot cast on, chain stitch, and single crochet; different hook styles and which will work best for you; the slip stitch, half-double crochet, and double crochet. You will also learn how to read a crochet pattern by getting to know stitch abbreviations and following a pattern, you will make a granny square. **No Pre-requisite Skills Required!**

- Wednesdays, September 8 & 15 from 10 a.m.- 12 noon with Terri
- \$60 plus supplies

Beginning Knit: Knitting is now more popular than ever, and you can learn too! In this 2-part class, students will learn how to cast on, the knit & purl stitch, knit and purl combination stitches in the same row, and how to read a pattern. During the second class, you will learn how to shop for and start your first project, the Wheat Scarf by Tin Can Knits.

No Pre-requisite Skills Required!

- Wednesdays, September 8 & 15 from 1-3 p.m. with Terri
- \$60 plus supplies

Beginning Rigid Heddle Weaving: Ever wanted to try weaving? Learn how to make woven fabric on a super portable, super approachable, super affordable rigid heddle loom! In the morning, we will learn common weaving terms (including the parts of the loom), how to direct-warp a loom using a warping peg, how to thread your loom, and how to weave fabric. In the afternoon, we will finish weaving and cover finishing techniques including knotting and trimming fringe, and wet finishing your woven fabric. Students will leave with a set of coasters to felt at home. **No Pre-requisite Skills Required!**

- Sunday, September 12 from 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. with Donita
- **Face Mask Required**
- \$90 plus supplies

Bulky Cabled Cowl: Cables have you scared? If you can knit and purl, you can make this cute bulky cabled cowl. It's a quick knit, great introduction to reading charts! **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic knitting skills are required including knit/purl stitches cast-on/ bind off and working in the round.

- Tuesday, September 7 from 6-8 p.m. with Susan
- \$30 plus supplies

Easier Socks from a Tube Refresher: If you've taken Terri's Easier Socks from a Tube class and have further questions or would like a quick refresher, this class is for you. Class will be based directly on any questions that have arisen for you and, if time permits, we'll go over the process itself. We'll also have a sock tube swap for any leftover tubes you might like to swap. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Must have taken Terri's Easier Socks from a Tube Class.

- Wednesday, September 22 from 11 a.m.- 12 noon with Terri
- \$15 plus supplies

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Knitting with Beads: Beads can add a special touch to your knitting. In this class you will learn three different techniques to add beads to your projects. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic knitting skills including Knit, purl, cast on and bind-off.

- Monday, September 27 from 6-8 p.m. with Susan
- \$30 plus supplies

Lush Cowl: Get a taste of 2-color brioche in the round with this cowl class. This is a great introduction to the brioche technique that is so popular now. Worked up in bulky yarn, this cowl is perfect for a quick gift to keep your recipient warm and cozy during the cold winter months. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic knitting skills are required, knit purl, working in the round and yarnover increases.

- Monday, September 27 from 3-5 p.m. with Susan
- \$30 plus supplies

Oops! Preventing and Fixing Knit Mistakes: In this class learn to recognize, fix and prevent the most common knitting mistakes. We will explore tips for preventing mistakes, what your knitting tool kit should look like, how to read your knitting and how to fix those OOPS stitches! **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic knitting skills are required including cast on, knit, purl and bind off.

- Monday, September 20 from 6-8 p.m. with Susan
- \$30 plus supplies

Plain Weave Scarf: The quintessential winter weather accessory, this scarf works up quickly and makes a great gift for any recipient! In this class, we will review how to direct-warp and create plain weave fabric on a rigid heddle loom, as well as finishing techniques for twisting, knotting, and trimming fringe. **Pre-requisite Skills:** RH 100 should be completed before this class OR students must know the names of the parts of their loom and have woven on a rigid heddle loom before.

- Thursdays, September 2 & 9 from 6-8 p.m. with Donita
- \$60 plus supplies

Plying: After you've learned the ins and outs of your wheel and how to spin a continuous single, the next step is to ply your yarn. Multi-ply yarn is more stable and balanced yarn, as well as longer-wearing. In this class, we will cover how to make a traditional 2-ply yarn, traditional and chain-plyed 3-ply yarns and more. We will also talk about how to best prepare your singles for plying, why you need a lazy kate, how to construct your own lazy kate on the cheap, and what to do if you *gasp* ply your yarn in the wrong direction. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Skill level - advanced beginner: Students should have beginning spinning instruction before taking this class. Students must be able to spin a continuous strand of yarn on their chosen equipment without difficulty.

- Thursday, September 23 from 6-8 p.m. with Donita
- \$30 + \$25 materials fee, due to Donita on the day of class

Tapestry Techniques III: Building on Tapestry Techniques II, we'll continue working on our piece by adding vertical lines, horizontal stripes and building angles. We will work on selvages, color changes, how to catch and correct floats, and working with multiple strands of yarn at the same time. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Beginning Tapestry Weaving is required - Tapestry Techniques II will best prepare you!

- Tuesday, September 14 from 6- 8 p.m. with Donita
- **Face Mask required**
- \$30 plus supplies

The Bev Cowl: In this **two**-session class, we'll learn to knit this moderately easy cowl. It incorporates a modified basket stitch, ribbing, knitting in the round, a back split and a sewn bind-off. According to the designer this is "the comfiest, squishiest easiest-to-wear cowl ever". **Pre-requisite Skills:** Knit and purl, Knit & purl combinations. Experience with knitting in the round is helpful.

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- \$60 plus supplies

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Woodland Loafers: The Woodland Loafers are cozy little hugs for your feet, and they are also super quick to knit. Incorporating heel, toe and sole shaping these slippers are designed to fit and stay on. Worked both flat and in the round, there is absolutely no finishing required. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic Knitting skills including familiarity with knitting in the round.

- Tuesdays, September 21 & 28 from 3-5 p.m. with Susan
- \$60 plus supplies

Class pricing and policies

Classes are \$15 per hour plus supplies unless specified; length of class is dependent upon the complexity of the subject. All classes are two hours and up. You can purchase classes individually or apply package credit. The price and length each class will be clearly defined in the class description.

Packages of class hours are available at \$150 per 10 hours, which includes 10 hours of instruction plus one 10% off coupon for supplies and one voucher for a one-hour Knit/Crochet/Spin Doctor session.

Most classes have a minimum of 2 students and maximum of 4 students, depending on the complexity of the subject. **Cancellations must be 48 in advance to receive a credit for your class.** We understand emergencies happen and we certainly don't want you to come in when you are ill, but please let us know as soon as possible.

The Private Tutoring Lessons are \$25 per hour. Knit/Crochet Doctor sessions are \$15 per half hour and are available to get the help you need with a tricky stitch sequence, an unclear pattern, a runaway dropped stitch, or any other knitting, crocheting or spinning challenge. Call to schedule a session.