

## October 2022 Class Schedule



**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. In this introduction to crochet, students will learn the basics, from creating a chain stitch to essential stitches like single crochet, double crochet, half double crochet, and triple crochet. This class will give students the foundational knowledge to create basic crochet projects. You will create a small project.

**No Pre-requisite Skills Required!**

- Fridays, October 21 & 28 from 1-3 p.m. 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!**

- Tuesdays, October 4 & 11 from 6- 8 p.m. with Susan
- \$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!**

- Saturday, October 15 from 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. with Donita
- **Face Mask Required**
- \$90 plus supplies

**Beginning Spinning on a Wheel:** Do you have a new or new-to-you wheel? Have you done some spinning, but had a difficulty you couldn't resolve? Spinning wheels are simple, ingenious inventions, but that doesn't mean they are always intuitive! The best way to start spinning on a wheel is to get to know your equipment first. Once you are comfortable with your equipment, troubleshooting is a breeze, and you are on your way to tear-free spinning! In this class, we will get to know your equipment, including wheel mechanics, adjustment, cleaning & maintenance. We will attach leaders to your bobbins, how to set up your wheel for each new spin, how to prepare your fibers for spinning, how to coordinate your feet and your hands, and SPIN! We will discuss how to choose a good seat to spin from and ergonomics to keep you spinning for years to come. We will also cover what fibers are the most beginner-friendly! **No Pre-requisite Skills Required- Wheels must be assembled and in working order (things that should move do, things that shouldn't move don't, drive bands/brake bands/footmen intact). If you are unsure if your wheel is in working order, please schedule a Spin Doctor Wheel Evaluation before this class.**

- Sunday, October 30 from 1-5 p.m. with Donita
- **Face Mask Required**
- \$60 + \$5 materials fee, payable to Donita (cash, paypal or venmo) on the day of the class

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**Bulky Cabled Hat:** Do cables have you scared? If you can knit and purl, you can make this cute bulky cabled hat. It's a quick knit, with a written pattern, no charts! **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic knitting skills such as knit, purl and knit/ purl combinations. Experience with knitting in the round and basic decreases are helpful.

- Monday, October 3 from 6-8 p.m. with Susan
- \$30 plus supplies

**\*New\* Crochet Bead Stitch Hat:** Crochet hats are super trendy right now. What's not to love? They're warm and typically quicker to make than their knit counterparts. Join us to crochet this cute Bead Stitch Hat. You'll learn (or brush up on) Magic Circle, crochet through front and back post, Bead Stitch and crochet through the third loop. So much fun, you'll want to make it again and again! **Pre-requisite Skills:** Should be comfortable with Single, Double and Half-Double Crochet Stitches.

- Friday, October 21 from 10am-12 noon with Terri
- \$30 plus supplies



**\*New\* Crochet Half Granny Square Shawl:** Granny squares are a classic crochet technique and are the latest trend right now! Why not use a bright and cheerful yarn to make a modern approach to a traditional granny square pattern – and make it a half square too. This easy pattern results in a beautiful shawl that can be worn all year round! So easy you'll want to make more than one! **Pre-requisite Skills:** Familiar with basic crochet stitches (chain, slip stitch, single crochet, double crochet). All other stitches will be taught in class.

- Thursday, October 27 from 1-3 p.m. with Beth
- \$30 plus supplies

**\*New\* Double Knit Pumpkin Hot Pad & Coasters:** Double knitting is just what it sounds like...a technique that uses two yarns, creates a double-thick fabric, and produces two, count 'em, two right sides simultaneously. Twice the fun! In this class you will learn the basics of this technique and the specialized chart that goes with it. And as a bonus we will use the crochet cast-on and make edges that all match, while creating coasters and a hot pad that will protect your dining room table from drips and that sweet potato casserole just out of the oven. **Pre-requisite Skills: Intermediate or Extremely Adventurous Advanced Beginner** with experience in knit, purl, cast on and bind off, working with two colors and working with a chart.

- Tuesday, October 4 from 12-3 p.m. with Martha
- \$15 plus Supplies



**\*NEW\* Intro to Dyeing Yarn:** Are you curious about how the whole yarn dyeing process works? We found an innovative way to dye at home that's quick and super easy by using dye tinctures and very hot water. Andrea will teach you how at the studio and then you can bring supplies home to dye on your own. This process is for protein fibers like wool and alpaca. With several naked yarns and 25 colors to choose from, you will come home with a special skein you dyed yourself. **Pre-requisite Skills:** None needed.

- Sunday, October 1 from by appointment only with Andrea
- \$30 per student, includes dye supplies for 100g of yarn (yarn purchased separately)

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**Knitted Baubles:** Create a Knitted Christmas Ornaments in time to hang on the tree this year! Knit in the round and shaped over plastic ornaments this quick knit is fun...bet you can't knit just one! **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic knowledge of knitting in the round. Appropriate for advanced beginner.

- Saturday, October 29 from 10 a.m.-12 noon with Susan
- \$30 plus Supplies



**\*New\* London Mitts:** Simple cozy mitts with a cuff are something I can always use. These mitts feature an extra-long cuff and a unique cable with a lace diagonal hidden inside! Learn increases, cables and simple lace. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Experience with cast on/bind off, knit, purl, knit/purl combos and knitting in the round.

- Wednesdays, October 26 & November 2 from 6-8 pm with Susan
- \$60 plus supplies

**Rainbow Fade Woven Cowl:** A light accessory, this woven cowl is great for spring (or those places who go crazy with the AC)! In this class, we will review how to create plain weave fabric on a rigid heddle loom, color management for gradient yarns, hemstitching, and finishing techniques for hand-sewing this cowl. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Students will be most successful in this class if they have previously completed RH 100 and one or two other projects (advanced beginner). **Students must know the names of the parts of their loom and have woven on a rigid heddle loom before.**

- Tuesdays, October 18 & 25 from 6-8 p.m. with Donita
- **Masks are required for this class!**
- \$60 plus supplies



**\*New\* Two at a Time Toe Up Magic Loop Socks:** This pattern is a basic vanilla sock to learn the technique of Toe Up sock knitting using the magic loop method. By working two socks at the same time... when you're finished you have a complete set of socks. No more 'second sock' syndrome! **Pre-requisite Skills:** Knowledge of basic knitting stitches. Students must have taken a basic sock class prior to this class

- Thursdays, October 6 & 20 from 6-8 pm with Beth
- \$60 plus supplies

**Windowpane Crochet Scarf or Cowl:** The Windowpane is the perfect spring-through-fall scarf to keep the chill off your neck without being bulky. The crocheted pattern works up quickly and the pattern is easily memorized. The scarf will show off variegated, gradient or striping yarns and can be made long, shorter, wider, etc. with just a little bit of preplanning. This is not a beginner class, but it is a good step up from beginner crochet. You'll learn everything in just one class and leave with the knowledge to complete your scarf on your own! **Pre-requisites:** Chain, Single Crochet, also Half-Double Crochet and Triple Crochet helpful but not required.

- Friday, October 28 from 10 a.m.-12 noon with Terri
- \$30 plus supplies



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### **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.