

May 2023 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!

- Mondays, May 15 & 22 from 1-3 p.m. with Beth
- \$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!

- Mondays, May 8 & 15 from 6-8 p.m. with Susan
- \$60 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, May 21 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

Building Blocks 5: If you have learned the basics of knitting (casting on, binding off) and want to steadily improve your skills then come join the Building Blocks of Skill series of classes. This is one of Michelle Hunter's most popular Building Block series. It is designed to move you from a beginner to an intermediate level knitter. Each class will focus on a different skill that every knitter should have in their repertoire. Attend every class and you will have 12 squares that you can stitch together into a beautiful afghan. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Knowledge of basic knitting stitches. All other stitches will be taught in class.

- Thursday, May 11 from 6-8 p.m. with Beth
- \$30 plus supplies

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, May 25 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. with Beth
- \$30 plus supplies

Gothic Lace Cowl: Learn to knit lace today! The Gothic Lace cowl or scarf is specifically designed for beginners in mind. It's simple, satisfying and quick - perfect for getting started with lace! We will explore learning to read a chart, use a lifeline and basic lace stitches. **Pre-requisite Skills:** Basic knitting skills are required, knit and purl stitch plus cast on and bind off.

- Monday, May 22 from 6-8 p.m. with Susan
- \$30 plus supplies

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Monkey Socks- Magic Loop or 2 Circls: Have you taken a basic sock class and want to try something new? Well, this sock will excite you to knit socks with a pattern! This fun and easy lace sock pattern will get you 'hooked'. You will be introduced to knitting socks with either 2 circular needles or magic loop. These are a fun knit! **Pre-requisite Skills:** Knowledge of basic knitting stitches. Students must have taken a basic sock class prior to this class.

- Tuesdays, May 23 & 30 from 6-8 p.m. with Beth
- \$60 plus supplies

Oop's Preventing and Fixing 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.

- Friday May 19 from 1-3 p.m. with Susan
- \$30 plus supplies

Woven Rainbow Fade 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.**

- Wednesdays, May 10 & 24 from 6-8 pm with Donita
- **Masks are required for this class!**
- \$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. Students must be 14 years of age or older. **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.