



Welcome
New Members!
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Faith Saunders
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Newsletter

June 2023

General Meeting
Saturday, June 3rd
10:15, PST
followed by
Barry Klein Class
In-Person and ZOOM



Great Auction last month! Special thanks to Mary and all who helped set-up, participate, and take down. Certain lots were issued as a challenge to members, with results to be shown at our October meeting. Definitely a team effort to benefit all guild members. If you missed it, the good news is that we will have another in August.

Barry Klein
of
Trendsetter Yarns



After the meeting, Barry Klein of Trendsetter Yarn Group will be back with "Making Your Knits Fit". The program is based on *The NEW Knitters Template: Your Guide to Custom Fit*, written by Barry in collaboration with Laura Miitzer Bryant. This class promises to be packed with information and a great resource for knitting custom garments.

Proper measurement taking is a key to successfully fitted garments. Bring a tape measurer and a pencil. We will pair up for this process so dress with this in mind. (i.e. don't wear a bulky sweater!)

Note: Members should have preregistered and prepaid for this class.

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PROJECTS

Auction

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Virtual Happy Hour

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TBD

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Presidents message

Hello Guild Members,

Your newsletter is a tiny bit late this month and that is on me. My life has been very full lately and time got away from me. Some of it good; Hannah celebrated another birthday!! Some of it not so much; the closing of XRX Press. Oddly, both of these lead me to the same conclusion. Simply put, I really need to appreciate all of the things in my life because well, you never know what the future holds.

Our auction last month was a blast and those who attended got some incredible bargains. I bought three challenge bags!!! If you do not know what a challenge bag is, come to the next auction and find out. Yes, I know for sure, there are more of them.

At our June meeting, we have the privilege of having Barry Klein. If you have not registered for the class, contact Kim right now. Barry is one of those people that is incredibly knowledgeable and has a great sense of humor. I always enjoy his classes.

So, dear member, I want you to know I appreciate you. Without you, our Guild would not be able to continue.

Happy Crafting,

Mary

Meetings are held the 1st. Saturday of the month, (unless otherwise noted).

Time and location is temporarily on a month-to-month basis with 10:00 am PCT on ZOOM being the most common.

ZOOM meeting I.D. and password are sent out through e-mail to members.



Upcoming PROGRAMS

Virtual Happy Hour

ZOOM on 3rd Thursdays*, monthly

Time: 7pm PST Hosted by: Karen Mar

Mission: An hour a month for guild members to untangle from the weekday bustle; to unwind with kindred knit & crochet spirits.

Break-out room for specific help at this hour can be prearranged. Contact Kim if you are willing to teach.

June 15th
next
VHH



If anyone missed the May auction, you have a second chance for great deals!

3rd Saturday Even Months

In-person MAL at Tyler Mall Food Court

(area at the top of the escalator and elevator)
(Locations may vary so keep watching your e-mail prior to the event)

June 17th is our next 3rd Sat. in-person event.

Emphasis is on hooded sweaters, however you can bring any project to work on.

Both suggested patterns are available in a range of sizes and can be purchased on Ravelry.



KNIT

Wonderful Wallaby by Carol Anderson



CROCHET

Channelside Hoodie by Greenfield Creations



WAY to GO Adrienne! THREE blue ribbons!

Adrienne Franklin's entry in the LA County Fair was awarded the ribbons for best in the Needlepoint and Petit Point category for the Piano and the Knitted Afgans and Articles category for her gorgeous Nina Simone doll. Also, she received the Judges Award of Merit.



OUTREACH PROJECT Hats for Sailors

Anything goes!

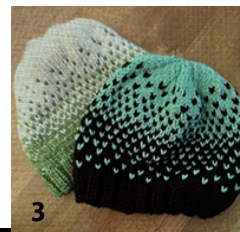


The beauty of these is that they can be various sizes, shapes and colors. **The only requirement is that they be 100% superwash wool!**

You can make your own pattern, however there are literally 100's of free patterns you can download from Ravelry and other sites.

Examples of patterns, on Ravelry:

1. Jason's Cashmere by Melissa Thompson
2. Ripples Make Waves by Casapinka
3. Quick Ombre Hat by Emily Dormier
4. Easy Crochet Beanie Hat by Kat Mcab





tentative schedule for 2023

Most meetings are ZOOM only (meeting ID's & password sent to members via e-mail)
Exceptions are indicated with shading.

When I travel,
much more
thought goes into
what I pack to knit,
than what I pack to
wear!

- 6-15-23 3rd Thursday - ZOOM Virtual Happy Hour
- 6-17-23 RKG observation of Knit in Public Day- **Tyler Mall food court**
- 7-8-23 General Meeting Christmas in July or Crochet techniques for Knitters
- 7-20-23 3rd Thursday - ZOOM Virtual Happy Hour
- 8-5-23 General Meeting, **Auction Part Deux, Arlanza Library**
- 8-17-23 3rd Thursday - ZOOM Virtual Happy Hour
- 8-19-23 Third Saturday - MAL continuation **Tyler Mall Food Court**
- 9-9-23 General Meeting - Extended Show 'n Share date change due to holiday
- 9-21-23 3rd Thursday - ZOOM Virtual Happy Hour
- 10-7-23 General Meeting- Two at a time socks -**Arlanza Library**
turn in outreach knitting
and bring in your completed challenge items for bragging rights!
- 10-19-23 3rd Thursday - ZOOM Virtual Happy Hour
- 10-21-23 Third Saturday - MAL continuation **Tyler Mall Food Court**
- 11-4-23 General Meeting -
- 11-16-23 3rd Thursday - ZOOM Virtual Happy Hour
- 12-2-23 General Meeting, Election and Holiday Party

KH Knitters Hideout

with Eliel Quiles

See [website](#) for classes offered!

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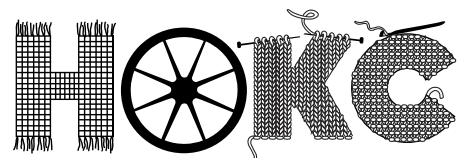
Tues 12-8

Wed-Fri 10-5

Saturday 10-3

June 10th, 11-3
Eliel will be hosting a
World Wide Knit in Public event
at his shop.

Snacks & water provided.
An extra chair may be handy and be
prepared for a sunny day!



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Hands on Knitting Center offers a **15% discount to all local knitting guilds in the area the 15th - 22nd of each month.** If you order on-line during this time span, use the code "guild 15" to get your discount.

See their website for the changing classes, events, social knitting, promotions and fibers offered!

In-Store hours: 10am-6pm, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, & Saturday
10am - 8pm Wednesday - Closed Sunday