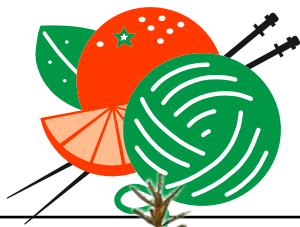


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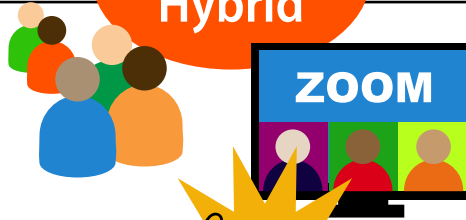
July 2024



Riverside
Knitting
Guild

July 7th
Hybrid

General Meeting
Sat., July 6th
10:00 am PST



Christmas in
July



FREE
ACTIVITY

After our general meeting our Christmas in July event will begin. Once again, Kim promises a terrific program that has become one of our favorite events. This will be a hybrid event after our general meeting and include two projects for members to create.

Membership response last month allowed for kits to be assembled. (Remote attendees will have received an email from Kim as to what will be needed to participate.)

The event is free for all members.

Welcome!
New Member
Karen Hipp

Welcome!
Returning Member
Robyn Baldwin

Presidents message

Hello My Fellow Artists,

It is that time again! This month is our second annual Christmas in July event. Details are in this newsletter. I am so excited to see what Kim has put together for all of us; she is kind enough to allow the Board to be surprised with the projects.

We will have the library room for the entire day so do not rush and bring a lunch or snack. (Please keep your peanut related goodies to yourself as I am allergic.)

Now is the time to sign up and pay for the upcoming Amy Snell class. The cost is \$ 45.00 and may be paid with either PayPal or cash. If you are paying in cash, please bring the correct change.

I have had the Reyna shawl in my Ravelry favorites for I do not know how long. I finally found a yarn worthy of this project (you know what I mean). This is a very beginner friendly pattern and I am so excited to see it finished. This may not stay with me for long though, as someone has already claimed it. She will look stunning in it, so I am ok with it.

Find joy in creating,

Mary

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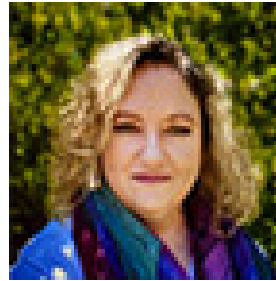
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Meetings are held the 1st. Saturday of the month, (unless otherwise noted). Time and location is temporarily on a month-to-month basis with 10:00 am PCT on ZOOM being the most common. Arlanza address is 8267 Philbin, Riverside, CA
ZOOM meeting I.D. and password are sent out through e-mail to members.

Coming up

September 7th, after general meeting Hybrid class

Amy Snell, (AKA The Devious Knitter),
designer, instructor, and collector
of yarn, will be here in person.



Amy will present her 3 hour program, *New Directions in Log Cabin Knitting* in-person and on Zoom. The class fee is \$ 45.00 and can be paid by PayPal or check. If, check, please mail to Sandra or bring to July meeting. Cash can also be accepted after the July business meeting. Please bring the exact amount.

The concept of Log Cabin knitting is straightforward — modular knitting that can grow in all directions — but the execution can range from the simple to the complex. We'll review the best practices in the Log Cabin design, including different ways to pick up stitches for varying edge effects, then use those skills to dive into fun new constructions and use the basic building blocks to jump off into fun constructions that are limited only by your imagination!

Participants will need worsted weight yarn in various colors and appropriate sized needles.

The Hemet guild will have Amy for two, in-person demonstrations: the Latvian Braid and Helio Circles on September 6th. We have been invited to attend.

Lunch will be included in the cost if you sign up for both classes. The location will be at the Londonshire Mobile Home Park community center. More information will come.

ALSO OF NOTE:
Amy will be a guest host with Xandy Peters and Karen Heitkamp of KnitTripsNorth, Alaskan cruise to Glacier Bay
Aug 11-22, 2025
Registration is open www.seascapeknittrips.com

Yarn Auction Part Two



Our second auction this year will be just in time to "win" yarn for Holiday projects!

This event is always a great way to support our guild, get great deals and have a good time.

SO CAL FIBER FAIR

YEAR TWO, at the Fairplex in Pomona, CA.
**YARN, CONTESTS,
FOOD & FUN!**



We will be going back to to the Fiber Fair and provide a "winding booth" again this year. Fairgoers can have their yarn purchased at the fair, wound by us volunteer members at no cost at the RKG booth. This is a great way to make ourselves known to the SoCal community while having fun. More details will be discussed at our meeting.

"Knitting on the Lake"

first come
first served
Aug 25th

Member to member offer from Robyn Baldwin and Nicole L'Hommedieu

Nicole has offered to drive from Riverside to Crestline with her van full of members for the gas fee of \$5. Robyn has offered free use of a two hour boat ride on Lake Gregory. Members will then purchase their lunch at the market deli before returning to Riverside. **You must call Nicole for more details and if you wish to participate.** See membership list for her number.

This offer is a not a guild activity but offered from member to member. A limited number may participate.

tentative schedule for 2024

General Meetings

on ZOOM; sometimes Hybrid
10:00 am PST, 1st Saturdays

Virtual Happy Hours

are always on ZOOM
7:00pm PST, 3rd Thursdays

3rd Saturdays are in person

10:00am PST,
EVERY month

Location: Galleria at Tyler,
off the food court at top of
elevator/escalator lobby

JUL	7-18-24	Virtual Happy Hour
	7-20-24	Third Saturday
AUG	8-3-24	General Meeting -Show -n-Share ZOOM only
	8-15-24	Virtual Happy Hour
	8-17-24	Third Saturday
SEP	9-7-24	General Meeting - Amy Snell - HYBRID
	9-19-24	Virtual Happy Hour
	9-21-24	Third Saturday
OCT	10-5-24	General Meeting - AUCTION -IN-PERSON only
	10-17-24	Virtual Happy Hour
	10-19-24	Third Saturday
NOV	11-2-24	General Meeting Show-n-Share ZOOM only
	11-21-24	Virtual Happy Hour
	11-23-24	Third Saturday replaced by SoCal Fiber Fair
DEC	12-7-24	General Meeting, Election/Holiday Party ZOOM
	12-19-24	Virtual Happy Hour TBD
	12-21-24	Third Saturday - TBD

outreach update

Completed project counts to date Please bring in your projects to add to the count.



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Purses and totes for young
men and women in the
program.

Goal is 40 pieces.

*Details can be found in the
March newsletter page 3.*



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All caps must be of 100%
super-wash wool to meet
safety requirements.

*Details can be found in the April
newsletter, page 3.*

Shawls of Support

Lifeline of Ohio 

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Shawls given to transplant
donor families.

*Details can be found in the
March newsletter page 3.*

Riverside Life Services

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B A B Y

Baby hats and blankets are
requested, however other
items are welcome.

*Details are in the April newsletter,
page 3*



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Tues 12-8
Wed-Fri 10-5
Saturday 10-3

See website
for classes offered!

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July is
**YARNIVAL
month!**

Check out their website
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for special classes