



30 years!
1995-2025!

Newsletter

May 3rd
In-Person ONLY

Riverside Knitting Guild General Meeting and AUCTION Sat., May 3rd, 10:15 am Pacific



Thank you Amanda for your tutorial on the Corner to Corner crochet technique after our last general meeting. I can now say I have a beautiful 4" x 4" C2C "blanket". (Note to knitters: use the word "twist" in place of "turn" your work, and it just may all fall into place for you). Adding a second color will be on my bucket list, but it will come one day. We will have a brief meeting and go right into our AUCTION.

It's that time again! Yarn Auction!



Riverside Arlanza Library
10:30am to how ever long it takes!

GREAT Finds, Deals & Fun!
TIPS: Bring a Tote Bag (or 2)

RULES: Open to all* *non-members need to pay in cash or via PayPal

Due to limited number of volunteer staff, event will be divided in sessions.
If you need to leave early, please understand and pay during a scheduled break so we do not need to stop the auction to take your payment.

Presidents Message

Hello Fellow Artists,

It's Auction Time!!! I have been busy sorting donations and packaging up some great yarn and other goodies for Saturday. I always get so excited to see that one item that I never think will never sell become "the hot item." As usual, bring something to drink and something to eat because this day goes long.

We have some other great programs coming up so plan on attending in person, if possible. If not, that's ok, you can still join in the fun on Zoom.

If you are having any trouble with creating your Emotional Support Chickens or Chickie, reach out to me and I will hook you up with another member who can get you back on track. It is time once again time to see if anyone actually reads all of this. If you have made it this far, let me know by sending an email to the Guild address (do not respond to this) and tell me what you are looking forward to in this next week; use "I am looking" as the subject line. Everyone is welcome to play along, even board members.

Until Saturday, Mary

Welcome Back!
Nancy Harper

May 2025

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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 at 10:15am PCT,
with Hybrid 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.



Riverside Knitting Guild

May Newsletter, 2025

tentative schedule for 2025

General Meetings

are always ZOOM*; frequently Hybrid
10:15 am PST, 1st Saturdays
(*Auction meeting is in-person only)

Virtual Happy Hours (VHH)

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

3rd Saturdays are in person

10:00am PST, every month
Location: Tyler Galleria food court

The SoCal Fiber Fair was such a great event we are confirmed to participate again in 2025!
(dates - Nov 22-23)

Most general meetings are scheduled as HYBRID.

However, room reservations at the Arlanza library can only be scheduled two months out. Changes may be necessary due to room availability.

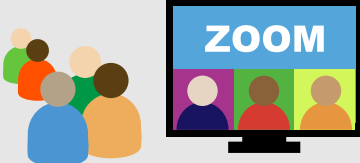
MAY	5-15-25	Virtual Happy Hour
	5-17-25	Third Saturday
JUN	6-7-25	General Meeting - HYBRID 30yr Celebration
	6-14-25	World Wide Knit in Public Day - Tyler Galleria
	6-19-25	Virtual Happy Hour
	6-21-25	Third Saturday
JUL	7-5-25	General Meeting - HYBRID Christmas in July
	7-17-25	Virtual Happy Hour
	7-19-25	Third Saturday
AUG	8-2-25	General Meeting - HYBRID
	8-14-25	Virtual Happy Hour
	8-16-25	Third Saturday
SEP	9-6-25	General Meeting - HYBRID "Sock Swap"
	9-18-25	Virtual Happy Hour
	9-20-25	Third Saturday
OCT	10-4-25	General Meeting HYBRID Turn in Outreach Chickens
	10-16-25	Virtual Happy Hour
	10-18-25	Third Saturday
NOV	11-1-25	General Meeting - HYBRID
	11-20-25	Virtual Happy Hour
	11-15-25	Third Saturday
DEC	12-6-25	General Meeting, HYBRID Election & Holiday Party
	12-18-25	Virtual Happy Hour
	12-20-25	Third Saturday

Coming up

June 7, after general meeting

Surprise Program Celebrating 30¹⁹⁹⁵⁻²⁰²⁵ years! as RKG!

This program will center on our 30 year anniversary with projects and goodies. Watch for your special invitation in your e-mail!



Both Hybrid Meetings

SURPRISE "Make and Take" projects for both meetings FREE to all members.

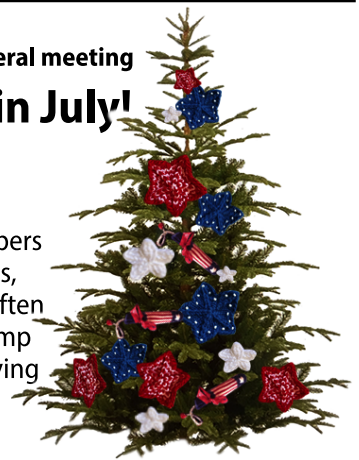
Materials or items needed will be announced prior to the programs, but generally include just your normal notion items.

Hats off to Kim for all her efforts put into these programs to make the surprise fun and enjoyed by all!

July 5, after general meeting

Christmas in July!

This program has become an annual favorite with members with goodies, prizes, and projects that often give members a jump start on holiday giving ideas.



This is a volunteer organization. Those willing to donate the time to take on a leadership position make decisions and plan programs based on member responses and need to include all members whenever possible. No member is obliged to participate in any of the programs or projects.

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auction yarn ?????

If any of you get home from the auction thinking "What am I ever going to do with this"?

Make a square and go from there!

Single square ideas:



Giftcard holder



Bird



Bunny

Free pattern on Love Knitting

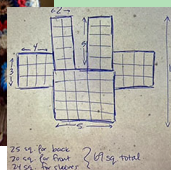
Multiple square ideas:

Blanket



Sweater

On Ravelry: knitwithjo's Hygge Cardigan



Felted tote



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