Hideaway Happenings

Notes from Nora...

Summer 2015

Summer's is here at last! June may not have started on a good note, but I'm sure it'll be hot soon enough. Our Summer Open House is Saturday, June 20 and Sunday, June 21 during regular store hours. Be sure to stop in to preview class projects, sign-up for classes and check out the special sales. Class sign-ups are 10% off during the open house.

The third annual 175 Yarn Crawl is Thursday, August 6 through Sunday, August 9. We'll be open extra hours during the yarn crawl. Last year there were 17 shops, 2 pit stops and over \$2,000 in door prizes from the sponsors! It was loads of fun! You'll not want to miss it. The cost of the passport is \$5 and can be purchased online at www.i75yarncrawl.com or you can buy one here at Lambikin's later this month. Each participating shop is required to have a discount/ special going on during the crawl.

As a reminder, Lambikin's offers a finishing class by appointment. Bring in a project to finish and we will help you with picking up stitches, adding button bands, seaming and blocking. Cost is \$20 per hour.



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Class Registration and Policies

To sign up for a class, stop by or call the shop (513-895-5648). We ask that you put down 1/2 the class fee as a deposit. When signing up for a class, please purchase the materials at the store. All materials that are for the class will be at a 10% discount. 10% discount applies to a one-time purchase only. (Knit-a-long materials are not discounted.) Books and accessories for the classes are non-refundable.

Help Policy

We are always happy to assist a fellow knitter with any problems, but sometimes we are busy. If we can help you in 15 minutes or less, the help is no charge. If it's going to take longer, we ask that you schedule an appointment with a store employee. This is to better serve you, the customer. With an appointment, you will receive our undivided attention. The cost for help is \$10/half hour. This is very reasonable considering the years of experience we have. Anyone signing up for a class will receive 60 minutes of free help on the class project. Please call ahead if you would like help with your class project. If you have any questions about the policy, please don't hesitate to ask.

Getting Started and Regular Happenings

Beginning Knitting for Adults

Session 1: Saturday, June 27, July 11 & 25 1 - 3 pm Session 2: Thursday, July 2, 16 &

30 1-3`pm s†: \$40

Cost:

Materials: Smooth worsted weight light colored yarn, size 8 needles Description: Come on in and learn to knit! You will learn the basics of knitting while getting the knowledge that you will need to do projects of your choice. The first week of class will be spent casting on and learning the knit stitch. Week two, we will add purling into the mix. Week three we will start a project of your choice using your newly learned knitting skills.

Sock Classes

Socks 101 - Double points or 9" circular

Session: Saturday, June 27, July 11 & 25 10 - 12 pm

Cost: \$40, includes pattern **Materials:** DK or worsted weight sock yarn, appropriate sized needles

Description: This class will teach you how to make socks on **double points or 9" circular needles**. This class is for the knitter who would like to learn to make a pair of handmade socks. Sock yarn makes it very fun to knit your own socks.

Monday Night Knit & Crochet Too When: Mondays 6 - 8 pm Cost: Free

Description: Come and hang out with fellow knitters and crocheters, share your knowledge and projects. As a courtesy to the shop, we appreciate that on Knit Night, you knit or crochet with Lambikin's yarn.

Finishing Class

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The Friends' Class

This a private class for you and your friends to work on a specific project that isn't on our current class schedule. Call the shop to schedule this private party. The cost for this 2 hour class is \$25 per person.

Private Knitting Lessons are available for \$20 per hour. Call to schedule an appointment and receive some individualized attention on a current project or to learn a new technique



Socks 201 – Magic Loop Session: By appointment Cost: \$40, includes pattern Materials: Sock yarn, appropriate sized 40" circular needle

Description: Have you made your first pair of socks and are ready to learn the next technique in sock making? You will make a pair of patterned socks via the **Magic Loop Method**.



Classes

Braidsmaid by Martina Brehm

Session: Sunday, June 28, July 12 & 26 3-5 pm

Cost: \$35, includes pattern

Materials: ~600 yards DK weight yarn, US 6 needle

Description: There is something fascinating about reversible knitted cables - and they are just perfect to give a simple, but unusually constructed garter stitch shawlette a little twist. For this project, you should indulge and use the shiniest, softest yarn you can get your hands on. The design is such that the yarn is the star and wearing this shawlette, you will feel like one as well. You can use any amount of yarn and knit a shawlette in the size you desire, the pattern is adjustable. If you have never tried cabling before, this is the perfect project to start!

Beyond the Basics

Session: Monday, July 6, 13 & August 3 Cost: \$40

Description: You know how to cast on, knit and purl, do simple increases and decreases, and bind off. Let's move on to techniques and information that will expand your abilities as a knitter. In Beyond the Basics, you will learn how to fix simple mistakes and how to read your knitting (so you will never be lost again!). We will cover several methods of casting on, binding off, increasing, and decreasing and when to use each method. In addition, we will discuss yarn -- fiber content, weight, twist, etc -- so that you can choose the best possible yarn for your projects. Come take the next step to being an amazing knitter!

Classes

Monster Pants by Kristine Jorskogen

Session: Monday, July 13, 27 & August 10 6 - 8 pm

Cost: \$35

Materials: DK or sport weight yarn, appropriate needle

Description: AS SEEN ON FACEBOOK AND PINTRIST! These cute monster pants are knit with over stitching detail in sizes 6 months to age 4 years. Short rows allow for more room in the seat. This is a quick project using DK or sport weight yarn on size 5 or 6 needles to get gauge.

Painted by Louise Zass-Bangham

Session: Saturday, July 18 & August 1 10 am - 12 pm

Cost: \$25, includes pattern

Materials: 400 - 440 yards fingering weight yarn, US 4 and 10.5 needle

Description: This shallow-triangle scarf is perfect for Spring. Wear it loose when weather is mild. Wrap it around and knot the ends when the wind blows.

Designed to show-off a special variegated yarn, this amazing vintage stitch pattern makes a light-weight fabric. It also works beautifully in semi-solid colors.

Into the Woods by

Session: Sunday, July 19, August 2 & 16 1 - 3 pm

Cost: \$25, includes pattern

Materials: 640 yards of a fingering weight yarn (one mini-skein pack), US 4 or 5 circular needle

Description: Into the Woods is a beautiful shawl designed to use one miniskein pack. Or if you prefer, a single color would look good as well. It features a lovely leaf pattern. This class is not for the beginning lace knitter. Pattern is charted only.

Beginning Crochet

Session: Sunday, July 19, August 2 3 - 5 pm

Cost: \$35

Materials: Smooth worsted weight light colored yarn, Size G or H crochet hook Description: Are you interested in learning to crochet? This is the class for you. In this class you'll learn how to chain, single crochet, double crochet, halfdouble crochet and many other stitches. You'll come away with a project.

Stone Croft Shawl by Judy Marples

Session: Saturday, August 15, 29 & September 5⁻¹ - 3 pm Cost: \$35, includes pattern Materials: 280 - 520 yards sport or DK yarn, US5 - US 6 circulár needle **Description**: Stone Croft Shawl is shape slightly asymmetrical in and features an easy lace border on two sides. It begins at one wing tip with a few stitches, and then is simply knit into a widening triangle.

Directions are included for two different depths of lace border, and the size of the shawl is easily adjustable to any size.

Ow! My Aching Hands!

Session: Saturday, August 15 10 am - 12 pm

Cost: \$5

Description: Do your hands hurt after knitting? Are you worried about repetitive stress injury, arthritis, or carpal tunnel? Sign up for this one day class and let Chris teach you to care for your hands and extend your pain-free knitting time. Who doesn't want that?! Please bring your knitting with you.



Hours of	Operation
Monday	11:00 - 7:00
Tuesday	11:00 - 5:00
Wednesday	/ CLOSED
Thursday	11:00 - 5:00
Friday	11:00 - 5:00
Saturday	10:00 - 5:00
Sunday	12:00 - 5:00

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Like us on facebook for special discounts, last minute updates, etc. <u>http://www.facebook.com/</u> lambikinshideaway Sunday Knit-a-long - Crestline Cardigan by Laura Chau Session: Sunday, June 28, July 12, 26, August 9 & 23 1 - 3 pm Cost: Free with purchase of materials Materials: DK weight yarn, US 6 needle Description: CRESTLINE is a pretty cardigan with short sleeves, twisted ribbing, and ribbon lace. The yarn is worked at a slightly open gauge, and is lightweight but still warm and comfortable. Great for ocean breezes and office air-conditioning. Worked seamlessly as a compound raglan from the top down, with the body worked flat and the sleeves worked in the round.

"The only difference between an experienced knitter and new knitter is that the experienced knitter makes bigger mistakes faster. Be bold; there are no terrible consequences in knitting."

— Stephanie Pearl-McPhee



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