

DYED IN THE WOOL

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A wool shop and place to knit, spin, weave and crochet

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Store Hours For Spring:

Tuesday: 10am - 6pm
Wednesday: 10am - 4pm
Thursday: 10am - 6pm
Friday: 10am - 4pm
Saturday: 10am - 3pm

**Please note on
Thursday, March 27th
I will be closing at 5pm**

Sad News

It is with a very heavy heart that I have to honor a remarkable woman who left us this past week. Many of you know Becky Smith from Wine & Design or from the Thursday class. She was an inspiration to so many of us, me included. We spent many happy hours together and I know that I am not alone when I say she will be missed in a huge way.

Something New

We have been getting lots of boxes filled with the Spring/Summer yarns. I am not sure where I am going to put it all but I will find space somewhere.

From Berroco we got a fabulous worsted weight linen yarn and the colors really glow in jewel tone brilliance. There is also a sample of a Tee that you are welcome to try on. This will be a class in April. What color will you choose?

I have been looking for someone who dyes cotton with vibrant and saturated color and I have finally found what I have been looking for, to quote U2. Patty at Great Adirondack

has sent a box filled with six shades of glorious colors in both fingering and dk weights. This is a super soft cotton and the colors, well.....they have to be seen and touched. A summer scarf like the Italian Summer or a Sophie or a Taina or Reyna shawl. So many wonderful possibilities.

Yume by Isabell Kraemer

This is a really fun design that is knitted from the top down. Some nice details in the lace in the yoke and then simple knitting from there down. There is a short sleeve or long sleeve option but you can make the sleeve length to your desired length. I think that I might make the short sleeve for now and the longer sleeve in a wool for next Fall. There will be a small amount of homework for this class. Plenty of yarn options too!

Wine, Design & Mystery Box

I am so looking forward to seeing what is in the mystery box. There have been hints but no clues. Join me when the box gets opened on the 9th. I believe that Mira will be joining us via Zoom for this one. So if you have any questions get them ready. We will start at 6:30pm and the box will be opened shortly after. Remember that sign ups are important and maybe really important for one person.

Sitwell in Modern Linen

This is a simple Tee that will be a staple in your spring and summer wardrobe. The sample is still a little new but with a few washings and some abuse it will get so much softer with a lot more drape. Please sign up early and select your yarn. I will be placing an order for more yarn during the first week of April so if there is a color that you need let me know as soon as possible, a list has already been started. There will also be a small amount of homework.

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LYS Day

Join me as we celebrate Local Yarn Store Day or Love Your Yarn Store Day as some would call it. There will be some special surprises for you again this year. I can't wait to share them with you.

Spinning & Felting Fiber

Don't forget that there are always amazing fibers for our spinners. Silks, blends, corriedale, merino, lambswool, hand dyed and naturals. These fibers are also very good for needle felting.

Special Dates to Note

March 27th - Closing at 5pm

April 5th - Yume

April 9th - Wine, Design & Mystery Box

April 12th - no crochet classes

April 19th - Sitwell

April 26th - LYS Day

For the Crocheters

Kelly will be holding classes in April. As always, don't forget to let us know no later than Thursday morning if you will be attending that Saturday's class. Learn to crochet, improve your technique or learn something new, try some Tunisian or a new lace stitch

PreTeen/Teen Crochet Class

Kelly has added a 2nd crochet class to the lineup. This class is specifically tailored for the preteen/teen age group. Call for details.

Now Is A Great Time To Weave

Is weaving right for you? Try a three session weaving class with Teresa and find out. Schedule your classes and we will get a loom ready for you to sit down and begin weaving. Already weave, brush up on some finer details or try something new.

Ashford Spinning & Weaving

There are fabulous Wheels and Looms from Ashford in stock. Not sure which one you want, call ahead and I will have that equipment ready for you to sample.

BAM Fiber Tools

If you want the best fiber processing equipment I have a wonderful selection of hackles and combs from BAM