

# DYED IN THE WOOL

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

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## February 2024

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### Store Hours For Fall:

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

### Something New

There is a new sock yarn at the shop. Footloose is the latest yarn from Baah and is a lovely mixture of merino and nylon. I have decided to use this for my February Sock. I liked it so much that I actually made two pairs, one in a solid and the other in a lightly variegated color. It washes beautifully so I have the variegated sock blocked and the solid still unblocked so that you can see and feel the difference.

The SheepSoft and WoolTrace yarns from Laxtons are now on the shelf and are lovely to work with. The WoolTrace can actually be traced back to the farms that the wool came from by scanning the QR Code. There are a nice variety of jewel tones as well as soft heathered colors.

### Winter Sale

I have to make some room for the Spring/Summer yarns that are starting to arrive. So that means a sale on some of our chunkier favorites and maybe a few others. Mark your calendars for January 25th through the 31st. This sale will be on in-store yarn only, no special orders.

### February Socks

I am so excited about this sock I have already named it. It is called Chasing Escher and it is so much fun to knit. This was our surprise in our mystery box at the last Wine, Design & Mystery Box. Sign ups have already started so select your color, get it wound and sign up. There will be homework which will be announced this week.

### Blackness Poncho Class

After having completed two Blackness Ponchos in New York I am thinking about another. One was worked in a lightly variegated New York while the other one was worked in a solid New York. Are you sensing a theme here? I am having a blast seeing the differences that color has on design. This poncho takes two skeins of New York. The date for this class is the 15th of February.

### Wine & Design

Weather permitting I will be hosting a Wine & Design in February. I think this would be a really good time to talk about color and stash. If you would like to join the discussion please sign up early let me know about your favorite color.

### Special Dates to Note

Jan. 25th - 31st - Winter Sale  
Feb. 8th & 22nd - February Sock  
Feb. 12th - Wine & Design  
Feb. 15th - Blackness Poncho

### For the Crocheters

Kelly will be holding classes in February. 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

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crochet, improve your technique or learn something new, try some Tunisian or a new lace stitch

### **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

### **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.