

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:

Tues. through Fri: 10am - 4pm
Saturday: 10am - 3pm

Special Thanksgiving Hours!

Closed - November 25th & 26th

Small Business Saturday Sale - Nov. 27th

Christmas & New Year Hours!

Closed - December 24th & 25th

Closed - December 31st & Jan. 1st

Merry Christmas To All

As we celebrate the closing of our 18th year I would like to thank all of you who have supported Dyed In The Wool and me personally throughout 2021. This has been another strange year but we made it through. My wish for you and your families is peace, love and health throughout the coming year. I am looking forward to 2022 and spending time with all of you. Thanks you again for your amazing support.

I would also like to thank Teresa who has done amazing things in the stockroom with her organizational skills to keep me on track this past year. She has also taught some fabulous weaving classes throughout 2021. Cheers Teresa. What are we going to do in 2022?

New Arrivals

This past week saw many new yarns arriving at Dyed In The Wool. We have two new colors of Re:Treat. In case you don't know about Re:Treat it is a heavy Aran, light Chunky weight yarn and a delight on US 10.5 needles.

I also got in a whole bunch of colors in the ColourLab range. There is a brilliant sapphire, a Magenta, Scarlet, Hot Pink, Natural, Mossy Green, Sunny Yellow, Charcoal and a pretty Navy, Great yarns for accessories and children.

From Skacel we got a nice selection of Zauberball Crazy and Zauberball Crazy Hanf. The Zauberball with Hanf is with Hemp. The colors are gorgeous and the texture is very nice to work with. This is the yarn that surprised me in how much better it gets after blocking.

I also received some fabulous sock yarn from West Yorkshire Spinners. The glorious colors were designed by Zandra Rhodes and are really striking. I can't wait to see a pair knitted up. There are also two sparkly sock yarns, one is called Vintage Tinsel and the other is deep blues with a touch of silver. Sorry the name escapes me but it is so nice. The sparkly yarns are really soft and not like the sparkly yarns we got years ago that were so scratchy. Yarns have come a long way!

From Berroco we just received a box of Millefiori Light and Millefiori Light Luxe. The Luxe has a little sparkle to it. I couldn't wait and even though I haven't completely unboxed it I cast on a Boomerang Scarf/Shawlette. Such a nice yarn and so much fun as the colors change.

Mapping pads are also back in stock and are moving fast. Don't wait too long.

Holly Jolly Hat Kits

I will have a limited supply of Holly Jolly Hat Kits available. If you enjoyed making the Spooky Hat by RosiePosieKnitCo then you will love this hat(s). There are two hats in the pattern that is available as an "in-store" purchase. One hat features reindeer and the other has mugs of hot chocolate going around. Place your order quickly as these kits will only be around for a short while.

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Small Business Saturday

There will be a Small Business Saturday Sale from 10am until 3pm. While all forms of payment are accepted, cash or checks would be greatly appreciated.

I am going to do something I rarely do I am going to put the Rowan books on sale at 30% off. This is a great chance to get some of these amazing books.

My favorites are the Modes. I made one item from last Summers Mode but plan to make a few more this year. Ease was another favorite for summer.

If you are looking for a book with accessories I can't recommend My London by Georgia Farrell highly enough. If you haven't bought this one already don't wait I only have five copies left.

Anniversary Sale

I will officially close my 18th year on December 22nd. To celebrate there will be an Anniversary Sale. Join me on Wednesday, December 22nd from 10am until 3pm and see what's in store.

Christmas Surprise

This year I will have a couple of Christmas Surprise options.

For our beginners and advanced knitters that want a relaxing project there is a cowl made with two skeins of the buttery soft Road To China Light.

There is a slightly more difficult cowl in two balls of Rowan's Hemp Tweed.

For the more adventurous there is a scarf using Milo, Feliz or Island Blend. The scarf may have some lace as requested. Trying not to give anything away.

Demos in December

I will be hosting two demonstrations in December. One will be a basic sock repair. I told you I would do this when I had one to repair, well I actually have two pairs with holes in the toes. So I will be turning these poor socks back into something wearable again.

The second demo will be all about seaming. I have my Mahakam sweater knitted and now it needs to be put together. So join me as I seam from shoulder to underarm, hemline to underarm and then finish from cuff to underarm. If time allows I will also demonstrate the pickup for the collar and discuss how to tighten up the neckline.

If you would like to watch either of these demonstrations please register ahead of time.

Coupon in Newsletter

If you haven't already signed up for the newsletter maybe you should! This month there will be a coupon at the bottom that you might like.

To sign up go to www.ditwpa.com and click the sign up button.

I think that is all I have so say, so,
Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to everyone.