



# Three Wishes Fiber Arts

## New Year, New Skills!

It's the new year and a great time to learn a few new skills! We are offering several beginning classes that don't require any previous experience.

They include the following:

- Beginning Weaving
- Spinning with a Spindle
- Spinning with a Wheel
- Beginning Knitting
- Begin Knitting Socks
- Beginning Knitted Lace
- Felting a Scarf
- Felting a Mask
- Silk Fusion

Rug Hooking

Punch Needle Embroidery

Woven Jewelry

So as you can see, there should be something for everyone!

I especially want to mention the *Felting Scarf Class*. Nicholas Strasburg is coming from San Diego to teach this fun technique. The wet felting portion will take place on Saturday, January 23. Then he will be available on Tuesday evening the 26th, or Thursday the 28th during the day to complete the scarf with needle felting. Don't miss this rare opportunity!

Another fun unusual class is the *Silk Fusion*. This is like making paper using silk fiber. Deanna has several great examples of ways to incorporate this unusual technique into other mediums.

The *Woven Jewelry Class* was such a hit last quarter that we are offering it again. Don't miss it if you can help it! Tools and materials are provided so you can see if you enjoy the process before you invest in equipment. You will get to hammer, cut, weave, punch, stamp and torch metals, incorporate beads, wire, rocks and found items into your pieces.



*Felting Silk Scarf with  
Nicholas Strasburg*

## Birthday Parties!

Marielle and I both have birthdays this quarter so we're taking the opportunity to celebrate twice!

The first will be **January 30**, for my birthday.

The second will be **March 13** for Marielle's birthday.

As usual, there will be tasty treats for everyone and special fibery gifts with each purchase. So you don't want to miss these days!



Stay tuned for updates and info on other special events in the works!

## Guild Libraries

We are currently housing the libraries for both the Knitting and Spinning Guilds. If you are a member, come in and use this great resource!

If you're not a member, ask us, and we can get you registration info.

## Frequent Buyer Program!

On January 30, we will be introducing our Frequent Buyer Program!

We are keeping the details secret until that day. It will be worth the trip in...

## Weaving

### Weaving Help

Need to talk with someone about your weaving? Or someone to consult about your weaving plans? Come see Deanna for weaving help!

January 21, Thursday  
4:30 to 6:30 pm

February 20, Saturday  
10 am to 2 pm

March 22, Monday  
4:30 to 6:30 pm

#### Double Weave

**Date:** Tues., Feb. 16, 23, Mar. 2, 9, 16, 23, 6:30—8:30 pm

**Instructor:** Deanna Baugh

**Class Fee:** \$50

Explore double weave and learn how to weave a piece twice the width of your loom. We will cover warping from back to front, drafting for color and weave effects and using silk yarns. We will lecture and demonstrate during class time and you will do the weaving at home on your own loom, or you can arrange to rent a table loom from the store.

**Prerequisite:** Beginning class or permission from the instructor.

#### Tapestry Weaving

**Date:** Wednesdays, March 24, 31, April 7, 6-8 pm

**Instructor:** Kristine Bullock

**Class Fee:** \$50

**Materials:** Tapestry loom, beater, tapestry needles, and yarn scraps.

For novice or experienced weavers, this course will explore the techniques of tapestry weaving. Students will learn various tapestry techniques enabling them to create their own self-designed project.

#### Beginning Weaving

**Date:** Saturday, Jan 30, 10-2, Wed., Feb. 3, 10, 17, 24, Mar. 3, 10, 6:30-8:30 pm.

**Instructor:** Deanna Baugh

**Class Fee:** \$150

**Materials:** Class fee covers loom rental & materials for the first two projects. Students will purchase yarn for one project. This class starts with warping the loom. We will also cover plain weave, twills, figuring how much yarn to use and caring for cotton yarn. We will weave two samplers and a project of your design. We will use a four-shaft table loom so you will be able to work at home. All skills transfer to floor looms.

#### Rigid Heddle

**Date:** Saturday, March 20, 10 am—4 pm

**Instructor:** Deanna Baugh

**Class Fee:** \$50

**Materials:** Rigid heddle loom, yarn, if you have some you'd like to use. Rigid heddle looms are a simple and portable way to weave. This class is a great introduction to rigid heddle looms. We will cover warping the loom,

plain weave structure, and several ways to get pattern using this loom. We will also look at other resources and books available to use for pattern ideas and weaving help. You will need to bring your loom to use. If you have yarns that you would like to weave with, bring them for evaluation. We will be putting a scarf on the loom for your first project.

#### Woven Jewelry

**Date:** Saturday, February 20, 10 am—4 pm

**Instructor:** Teri Jo Mauch

**Class Fee:** \$50

**Materials Fee:** \$10+ depending on materials used.

This class is for all levels. No jewelry or weaving experience necessary.

Come learn to make gorgeous pins, earrings and pendants using wire, foil, stones, pearls and just a few basic tools.

We will provide all equipment and supplies.

Teri will cover a variety of techniques including hammering, layering, weaving and others. You will also get to play with a torch to create one-of-a-kind works of art!

## Knitting



Knitted Easter Baskets

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**Date:** Sat., March 6, 1-4 pm

**Instructor:** Kristine Bullock

**Class Fee:** \$35

**Materials:** 16" Size 13 circulars, 1 skein each 100% worsted weight wool yarn, novelty yarn. Pattern will be provided.

We will create an Easter Basket that can be felted or left plain. You will learn how to get different results using a variety of yarns. These work up very quickly and several can be done in time for Easter!

**Prerequisites:** Must be comfortable knitting, purling, casting on, and decreasing.

#### Shadow Knitting a Scarf

**Date:** Sat, Mar. 20, 10 am-1 pm

**Instructor:** Jill Dahle

**Class Fee:** \$35

**Materials Fee:** \$35 (Includes yarn and pattern.)

**Materials:** Size 6 needles, stitch markers, tapestry needle.

In this class you will learn how to shadow knit a scarf. We will cover the tricks on how to shadow knit, how to read patterns, how to finish edges and how to design your own patterns.

Must already know how to knit, purl, cast on and cast off. **Materials:** needles, yarn, stitch markers, and pattern.

#### Beginning Knitting—Free!\*

**Date:** Saturday, January 23, February 27 or March 27, 10:30 am—noon

**Instructor:** Marielle Jordan

**Materials:** Worsted yarn, size 7 needles.

Learn to knit using the English method (throwing with the yarn in the right hand). We will cover a basic cast-on, knit stitch and purl stitch. Preregistration required.

**\*Class is free if you purchase your yarn at the shop. If you bring your own it is \$15.**

## Knitting, continued...

### Multi-Colored Yarns – Design and Knitting

**Date:** Sat., March 13, 10-2 pm

**Instructor:** Sarah Marsden

**Class Fee:** \$40

**Materials Fee:** \$5

Variegated yarns, hand-painted rovings, the eye candy of the fiber world. Such potential in the skein, so many pitfalls on the knitting needles. Spend a half-day exploring the world of multi-colored yarns and ways to avoid or mitigate striping, color pooling and other disappointments. Learn how to design or select a yarn and how to bring out its full potential in a knit project. Students must know basic knitting (Cast on, knit, purl, bind off).

Please Bring: #2 or #3 knitting needles 6" or longer for knitting swatches and scissors.

### Beginning Lace

**Date:** Sat., Mar. 6, 20, 2-4 pm

**Instructor:** Marielle Jordan

**Class Fee:** \$42

**Materials:** Solid colored sock yarn, size 4 needles with sharp points

**Materials Fee:** \$18 (Includes yarn and pattern.)

Learn to make lace while knitting a gorgeous sampler scarf by local designer, Mary Tripplet! We will learn various stitches as well as how to read charts.

### Garnet Mitts

#### Beaded Fingerless Gloves

**Date:** Wednesdays, February 3 and 10, 6-8 pm

**Instructor:** Sarah Marsden

**Class fee:** \$40

**Materials Fee:** \$29 (Kits contain yarn, beads, and pattern) Knit a pair of these stylish fingerless gloves while learning the basics of mitten construction and incorporating beads into knit projects. Increase your comfort with dpns.

### Basic Socks!

**Date:** Saturdays, Feb. 6, 20, 2-4 pm

**Instructor:** Marielle Jordan

**Class Fee:** \$42

**Materials:** Sock yarn, size 2 dpns

Learn to make basic socks from the top down using double-pointed needles. Pattern will be provided.

### Dancing Stars Hat

**Date:** Thursday Feb 18 and 25, 6-9 pm

**Instructor:** Jill Dahle

**Class Fee:** \$50

**Materials Fee:** \$25 for yarn pack and pattern

**Materials:** 16" Circulars and dpns in size 3, 5, or 7, stitch markers, yarn needle

Learn how to do 2-color knitting making this hat. In this pattern Anne Carroll Gilmour has incorporated a 4-color chain. Must know how to knit, purl, cast on and cast off.



Hand Painted Yarns



Garnet Mitts

## Spinning

### Spinning With a Handspindle

**Date:** Thursday, January 28, 6-9 pm

**Instructor:** Jill Dahle

**Class Fee:** \$36

**Materials:** Bring a handspindle 0.5 to 1.5 ounces. Fiber provided.

In this class you will learn the basics of spinning using a handspindle. You will learn how to spin and ply commercially prepared fibers. We will also discuss how to prepare fiber for spinning.

### Spinning With a Wheel

**Date:** Saturday, February 6, 10 am—1 pm

**Instructor:** Jill Dahle

**Class Fee:** \$36

**Materials:** Bring a spinning wheel, lazy kate, ball winder, and bobbins.

In this class you will learn the

basics of spinning using a spinning wheel. You will learn how to spin and ply commercially prepared fibers. We will discuss how to prepare fiber for spinning.

### Plying Handspun Yarns

**Date:** Saturday, February 20, 10 am -1 pm

**Instructor:** Jill Dahle

**Class Fee:** \$35

**Materials:** Please bring several bobbins or hand spindles full of your own spun singles, an empty bobbin, a handspindle and/or spinning wheel, ball winder or nostepinne, Lazy Kate and Niddy Noddy. Learn about plying on a handspindle and spinning wheel. We will cover basic plying, Andean plying, Navaho plying and cable yarns. You must already know how to spin singles.

### Fiber Preparation

**Date:** Saturday, February 27, 10 am –4 pm

**Instructor:** Deanna Baugh and Jill Dahle

**Class Fee:** \$50

**Materials:** Bring a spinning wheel or handspindle, Lazy Kate, and bobbins for wheel. Several different types of wool will be provided.

Six different stations will be set up with tools to prepare wool. We will include: 1) hand held combs, 2) attached combs, 3) dog combs, 4) handcards, 5) a drum carder, and 6) flick carders. You will receive instructions on how to use these tools and what type of spinning method will work with each preparation. We will cover long draw, short draw and spinning from the fold. You must already know how to spin.

## Spinning Help

Need help with your spinning?  
Or your wheel?  
Come see Jill for spinning help!

Tuesday, February 9

6-8 pm

Tuesday, March 16

6-8 pm





*Stitch Markers*

### **Make Your Own Stitch Markers**

**Date:** Sat., February 27, 1-3 pm

**Instructor:** Tabitha Jordan

**Class fee:** \$25

**Materials fee:** \$1.25 per marker, limit 12

Learn to make those fancy beaded stitch markers that add sparkle to your knitting! Indulge yourself or make them for gifts. You will get to choose from our vast bead collection and all the other tools will be available for your use.

## *Felting and Other Classes*

### **Beginning Rug Hooking**

**Date:** Sat., Feb. 27, 1-4 pm

**Instructor:** Angela Anderson

**Class Fee:** \$35

**Materials Fee:** \$50

Rug hooking is increasingly popular and easy to do! Come learn how to make beautiful wool rugs that can be used on the floor or as wall hangings or table toppers. We will get you started with a complete kit, including the wool, hook, pattern, and backing!

### **Needle Felting a Mask**

**Date:** Saturday, February 6, 10 am-2 pm

**Instructor:** Kristine Bullock

**Class Fee:** \$40

**Materials Fee:** \$8

You will create a mask using a variety of needle felting techniques. You will learn to create 3-dimensional pieces using wool fleece, locks, and other materials.

### **Beginning Punch Needle Embroidery**

**Date:** Sat., March 6, 1-3 pm

**Instructor:** Angela Anderson

**Class Fee:** \$30

**Materials Fee:** \$15

**Materials:** Punch needles and hoops will be provided for use in class. You will need to purchase these to complete your project.

Similar to rug hooking, but on a much smaller scale, you will use a punch needle, floss and a pattern on weaver's cloth to create a beautiful little masterpiece. Come learn this new technique!

### **Silk Fusion**

**Date:** Sat., Mar. 27, 10 am-4 pm

**Instructor:** Deanna Baugh

**Class Fee:** \$50

**Materials Fee:** \$20 for 2-3 sheets

Learn to make and use silk fusion! This wonder fabric can be used as a base to sew and stamp on, shaped in 3-dimensional objects or applied

to a smooth surface. It can be as slight and delicate as a fairy's wing or as heavy as leather. Materials and basic equipment for making 2 sheets of silk and a candle holder are included. Wear grubby clothes and bring a tub or bucket to take home your silk. Bring a sack lunch.

### **Felted Silk Scarf**

**Date:** Saturday, January 23, Tuesday evening or Thursday afternoon

**Instructor:** Nicholas Strasburg

**Date:** Saturday, January 23, 1-3 pm, One hour on Tuesday evening or Thursday during the day.

**Class Fee:** \$35

**Materials Fee:** \$20

**Materials:** Felting tools

Come learn to make a gorgeous scarf using a silk scarf as the base, wet felting with wool roving and embellishing it with locks, Angelina, and handspun yarns. Create a masterpiece!

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