

# November/December / January 2015/2016

## Christmas is coming are you Ready?

We have some New classes to help.

### Special points of interest:

- \* Gift ideas
- \* New classes
- \* Christmas Cheer
- \* PRIZE Basket

### Regular hours

Mon 10 - 6

Tues 10 - 6

Wed 10-8:30

Thurs 10 - 6

Fri 10-6

Sat 10-4

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As most of you know on Wednesday nights we have a drop , it's free but you have chosen to give a small donation every week. The donation grows all year long and in December we give to the *Christmas Cheer Fund*. Last year you raised \$700 and filled 3 donation boxes.

Once again this year we have a collection box at the front of the store for you to drop off any donations . This years box is starting to fill up with Afghans, hats, bibs, and so much more.

Knowing how generous you have all been I thought it would be nice to add a second charity, *The Women's and children's crisis center*.

So I approached my suppliers and some other stores and friends and they have all generously donated to a basket of goodies that is unbelievably exciting. The value is over \$500 of goodies.

We will have the basket on display by November 14th.

The draw will take place on Dec 21st. Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5.

**I would like to thank:** Estelle Yarns, Cabin Fever, Shelridge Yarns, Old

Mill Yarns, Diamond Yarns, Betty Lou hair Styling, Earth's Emporia, Berroco, for all their wonderful donations to make this basket so appealing and help with such a worthy endeavor.



**THANK YOU.**

Have you been following the Facebook page. [facebook.com/Eliza's-Buttons-and-Yarn](https://www.facebook.com/Eliza's-Buttons-and-Yarn).

Andrea has been posting some amazing free patterns that are great for gift giving this holiday season.

*This beautiful slouchy beret is such a wonderful beginner hat pattern. The pattern is easy to follow, the hat is easy to knit, and it's stylish too!*

*The stars don't need to align for you to knit this hat - drop by to pick up some yarn and get started this week!*



*We have received some fantastic new buttons and closures. Great for those garments that you don't want to make a button hole for or as an alternative to stick pins.*

## Gifts for the knitter

**\$10.00 & under**

- Super Sharpe scissors
- Button tins
- Fancy stitch markers
- Small bottle of Soak
- Soak foot or hand cream
- Coffee mug



## Gifts for the knitter

**\$25.00 & under**

- Hand woven baskets
- Sweater stone
- Large bottle of Soak
- Stitck pins and closures
- Hat books
- Cowl books



Debbie and I have been very busy coming up with *New* and *Innovative* classes based on your suggestions. Please have a closer look at the next few pages to see what projects you can make and take before **Christmas** or to start off the **NEW Year**.

## "incorporate the increases into your stitch pattern". **Nov 21st, 10:00 - 2:30**



This special all day class will teach you how to we are tackling those confusing words "**incorporate the increases into your stitch pattern**". Don't you just love to read that? You will have completed or almost completed **Cowl** by the end of the day. Chunky weight wool and 5.5 mm needles.

### You will learn

- 1 how to read a chart
- 2 choices of cast on / cast off
- How to increase in pattern.

It's way easier than it looks. **Cost \$45.00**

## **Mosaic mittlets — Dec 5th 10:30 - 12:30**

Learn the ease of Mosaic knitting. We suggest using the Liberty multi coloured light worsted yarn and a solid coloured yarn. 3.75mm needles straight or circular **Cost \$30.00**

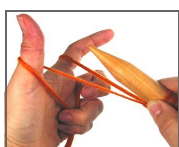


### You will learn

- how to read a Mosaic chart
- Three needle bind off.

## **Edges and trims — January 9th 10:00—12:00**

Don't get stuck in a rut try some different and fun cast ons to make your knitting unique.



**Cost \$30.00** Please bring some yarn and needles.



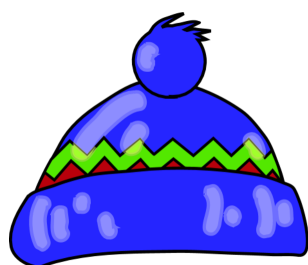
### You will learn

- 3 -4 different ways of casting on
- Picot edge
- 2-3 different cast offs.

## January 16th Short rows 10-12:00

SHORT ROWS, Let Me Count The Ways

Add Short Rows to your knitting know-how. We'll try several different methods and take a tour around the short row world with Japanese and German Short Rows. One of the many methods we'll try will become your favourite. Why do we use short rows? Where do we use short rows? Find out. Cost \$30.00 bring worsted weight yarn and 4.5 or 5 mm needles.



### Gaugeless hat.

January 30th 10-12:00

**Any yarn... any size ...** Grab your favorite yarn and Cast on. No swatch necessary. Work your Hat from the top down for a perfect fit every time. Bring any yarn and corresponding 16" circular needles and DPN's. Cost \$30

### Drop in Classes

Monday, Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday

You tell me what you want to learn; it could be a different style of casting on, Entrelac, Button Bands, Finishing, knitting with Beads, Crochet or maybe you just want to learn how to knit. Classes run from 1-3 cost \$10 per 2 hour session. Come as often as you like.

### Sock of the Month Club

Jane is here the 1st & 3rd Monday 6:30-8:30 to help.

### Tuesday toppers Night

Join Deb for a top down no Sew class.

Custom make your 1st or 31st sweater.

1st and 3rd Tuesdays  
6:30-8:30 cost \$10



January is selfish knitters month do something just for you.

We're on the web



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