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Hours:

Tues. - Saturday 10am – 5pm
Thursday 10am – 8pm
Sunday 1pm - 5 pm(2 - 4pm sit 'n knit)

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

The New Year ushers in resolutions, cold weekends at home by the fire and a time to relax after all the holiday rush - the perfect combination for lots of quality knitting time! Here at Cloverhill Yarn Shop, we're all looking forward to treating ourselves to some deadline-free knitting for ourselves!

If one of your resolutions is to learn a new technique, take a look at the classes on the new schedule. There's a series of classes featuring different techniques from increases & decreases to short rows. Maybe you've always wanted to learn how to knit socks. There's a class for making them on double-pointed needles, as well as another for the Magic-Loop method. Perhaps you're ready to try your first sweater, or check out spinning. Then pull it all together with a class on finishing.

Many of us have spent the last month or two knitting gifts for our friends and families. How about treating yourself to a special sweater? Join me January 17th to begin a Knit-Along (see below for details) for Cassidy, designed by Bonne Marie Burns of ChicKnits fame. I'm planning mine in our January yarn of the month, Berroco's Inca Gold. It's lovely blend of Merino & Silk, in a worsted weight. This yarn was chosen by Lyn, and a portion of the proceeds will go to a charity she volunteers for, Neighbor Ride. As always, (and best of all) it will be 10% off all month!

Also, Cloverhill Yarn Shop will be offering another way to spread the love of fiber arts – Skeins to You - a new program where we'll come to your office with yarn, needles and all your group needs to be knitting in no time!

As always, keep an eye on our website, www.cloverhillyarn.com, to keep up with the latest happenings at the shop, and I hope to see you soon!

SIT 'N KNIT

*Stop by to sit 'n knit with us
2 - 4 pm on Sundays*

*Spinning Group meets the second and last
Friday of the month at 6pm*

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KNIT - A - LONG



A Knit-Along is a group of people working on the same project with the help, guidance and encouragement of all the other participants. We will be meeting the 1st and 3rd Saturday from 12pm – 2pm starting 1/17/2009. This is a free class open to anyone using supplies purchased at Cloverhill. Space is limited, so be sure to pre-register! The Cassidy sweater is made from a worsted weight yarn, such as the Inca Gold. When you register, we'll be happy to show you the colors available, or alternative choices.

CLASSES

Remember... when our classes don't fit into your schedule, or you need help with a particular project, the staff at Cloverhill offer **PRIVATE LESSONS**. Call the shop (410-788-7262) to set up an appointment!

ELEMENTS OF KNITTING I - A basic class to help you start knitting! Learn to cast on, knit, purl and bind-off. Project includes a button hole scarf (one skein project).

Instructor: Lyn McCormick
Choose ONE of the following:
Saturday Jan 17th, 2:30pm - 4:30pm
Wednesday Feb 18th, 5-7pm
Friday March 20th, 5 -7pm
Class Fee: \$20

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ELEMENTS OF KNITTING II - A basic class to help you start knitting! This class is an extension of Elements of Knitting I for those who would like further instruction on the beginner level.

Instructor: Lyn McCormick

Choose ONE of the following:

Wednesdays Feb 25th, 5 - 7pm

Saturday April 25th, 2:30 - 4:30pm

Class Fee: \$20

THE NEXT STEP - HAT - A basic class to help you continue to learn knitting skills. Now that you have learned to cast on, knit, purl and bind off; this class will teach you to decrease and seam. Project includes a one skein baby hat project.

Instructor: Lyn McCormick

Thursday March 5th, 12th, 7-9pm

Class Fee: \$40

TECHNIQUE CLASS ~ This class will take an in-depth look at a different technique each month. These techniques include short rows, increasing/decreasing, picking up stitches/YO, cast on/cast off and button holes.

Instructor: Jolene Mosley, Bonita Perry or Lyn McCormick

1st Wednesdays 6- 8 pm

Class fee: \$20

BLOCK OF THE MONTH ~ A perfect way to increase your knitting skills and keep on track with a project. This class will go over two afghan blocks per month, and you can work at your own speed to eventually complete an afghan!

Instructor: Lyn McCormick

Saturday: 2nd Saturday's of the month 2:30 – 4:30pm

Class fee: \$20 (each class meeting)

SIMPLE SOCKS~ For the beginning sock knitter - socks are fun to knit and make a great portable project! Using DK weight yarn, learn how to make a heel flap, turn a heel and pick up stitches for the instep.

Instructor: Bonita Perry

Friday January 9th, 16th, 23rd, 5 -7pm

Class Fee: \$60

TOE UP MAGIC LOOP SOCKS~ Think double pointed needles are too fussy for you? This class will get you going working your sock on one long circular needle using a magic loop method for a toe up sock. Try it, it is fun.

Instructor: Coleen Foley

Saturday January 17th, 24th, 31st, 10:30 - 12:30pm

Class fee: \$60

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TWO SOCKS ON TWO CIRCULARS~

Having both socks completed at the same time is very appealing to many knitters. This class will get you on your way to doing two socks at the same time.

Instructor: Kellie Nuss

Tuesday April 14th, 7:30 - 9:30pm

Class fee: \$20

SWEATER TECHNIQUES~ This class will go in-depth into the construction of a sweater. The class uses a small sized sweater so that the concentration is in the construction and not the knitting of the piece.

Instructor: Lyn McCormick

Tuesday January 13th, 20th, 27th, February 3rd,

5:30 - 7:30pm

Class fee: \$75



BUENOS AIRES~ This jacket uses yummy Manos yarn and is knit from the side to side. By using different combinations of Manos yarn colors you can explore how the yarns work together to create a jacket that is just right for you.

Instructor: Bonita Perry

Thursday February 12th, March 5th, 26th, April 16th,

7:30 - 9:30PM

Class fee: \$75



EINSTEIN JACKET~ Sally Melville's famous Einstein Jacket is back again. This jacket is great for all stages of knitters. It can be done in many sizes and lengths to keep you warm into spring. The classes are

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spread out to give you ample time to knit before the next class meeting.

Instructor: Bonita Perry

Saturday February 7th, March 7th, 28th, April 18th,
10:30am - 12:30pm

Class fee: \$75

FINISHING SWEATER~ This class will cover the basics of sweater finishing. Bring along a sweater that has been waiting for finishing and learn how to get it done.

Instructor: Jolene Mosley

Saturday March 21st, 2:30 - 5pm

Class fee \$35

BABY PANTS~ Longies or Shorties? You can pick with this class. There are many options to cover that cute diapered baby. This class will explore working in the round, short rows and grafting to create nice fitting pants.

Instructor: Jolene Mosley

Saturday February 21st, 28th, 11 - 1pm

Class fee \$40

RAVELRY~ Ravelry is a popular website for fiber enthusiasts. On Ravelry you can keep track of your projects, stash, queue and what your friends are liking. There are many aspects to explore and Jody will open them up for you. Please take time to join before the class as there is a slight wait to become a member on Ravelry.

Instructor: Jody Scofield

Saturday February 21st, 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Class fee: \$30

NEEDLE FELTING~ Join Dawn for an intro to needle felting. You can use all sorts of our fibers in different colors to make a felted gift for yourself or others.

Instructor: Dawn Doran

Sunday February 22nd, 2 - 4pm

Class fee: \$20

FELTED FLOWERS~ These flowers are so beautiful on a bag or a jacket. You can pick the colors and you can even embellish them with different beads and sequins to your liking.

Instructor: Dawn Doran

Sunday March 22nd, 2 - 4pm

Class fee: \$20

GARTER STITCH ENTRELAC SCARF~

Come learn the exciting entrelac techniques to complete a simple yet striking scarf that makes the most of self-stripping yarns like Noro.

Instructor: Kellie Nuss

Tuesday February 10th, 7:30 -9:30pm

Class fee: \$20

KNIT ONE BELOW SCARF~ This variation of a brioche stitch has been getting lots of attention lately and is a wonderful way to make complex-looking color patterns with only one color per row.

Instructor: Kellie Nuss

Tuesday March 10th, 7:30 - 9:30pm

Class fee: \$20

USING STITCH PATTERN BOOKS TO DESIGN~

Books such as The Harmony Guides, Barbara Walker's Treasuries, or other stitch dictionaries are incredible resources for learning new techniques and adding original elements to your knitting. Come and design a simple scarf and learn some basic techniques for plugging a stitch pattern into an existing sweater, sock or other pattern.

Instructor: Kellie Nuss

Tuesday March 31st, 7:30-9:30pm

Class fee: \$20

ELEMENTS OF CROCHET ~ Are you interested in learning crochet? This class will show you the basics to get you on your way.

Instructor: Coleen Foley

Saturday January 31st, 1:30 - 3:30pm

Class fee: \$20

BROOMSTICK LACE~ Also called Jiffy Lace or Peacock Eye Crochet, this technique uses a large dowel (or broomstick) to create a row of loops which are then joined across the top by a row of crochet stitches. This creates an open, airy fabric with wonderful drape, and the quickest scarf you will ever make.

Instructor: Adrienne Via

Thursday TBD 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Class fee: \$20

BEGINNING SPINNING ~Have you had an interest in using spinning wheels? This class will teach the basics to wheel spinning.

Instructor: Jill Friedman

Sunday February 15th, 1-4pm

Sunday March 15th, 1-4pm

Class fee: \$35