

Terri's Yarns & Crafts

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9 am - 5:30 pm Mon - Sat

Winter 2019 Newsletter & Class Schedule

News From Ava

January has come and gone. We've had the first snow and cold spell of the year. Maybe the rest of the winter won't be too bad.

I've been working on some new knitting and crocheting patterns. I have three scarves, a cardigan, a pullover, felted purse, and a felted pad pocket in the works. Keep an eye out for the patterns in the spring.

Sometimes the cold, dreary weather causes us to suffer from a restlessness or even the "blues". If you are interested in creative writing or book discussions, stop by and I'll give you the information about the groups I belong too. These and many others meet at the King Family Library throughout the month. They are free to join and all people are welcome.

Keep an eye on Terri's Facebook page for updates on classes, sales and other information.

And remember, Happy Crafting!



Class Schedule

Painting Together!

Free

Wednesday, February 13, 27, March 13, 27
10:00 am to 5:30 pm

Bring your paints, something to work on and join us for a day of fun and art! Everyone works on something different but it is a great way to get help and inspiration.

Advanced Knitting

\$5.00 per class

Monday, February 11 and March 11
5:30 pm to go out to eat or 7:00 pm for class.

We are working on felted items (bears and purses). After the knitting and felting process we will be adding embellishments. Come join us!

Beginning Knitting

\$60.00 (includes all

materials and tax)

4 sessions: February 26, March 5, 12, 19 7:00 pm

You will learn to knit, purl, increase and decrease, and read a pattern. Each class lasts roughly 1.5 hours.

Projects simple dishcloths, a scarf and a stuffed ball.

Please sign up and pay 3 days before the first class.

Any classes missed need to be made up before the next regularly scheduled session.

Individual Class Sessions

\$10 per hour plus materials if needed

Call to schedule a private session in crocheting, knitting, or sewing. This is a great way to get help with a specific project or technique.

Dates To Remember

- 2/12/19 Lincoln's Birthday
- 2/14/19 Valentines' Day
- 2/17/19 National Act of
Kindness Day
- 2/18/19 President's Day
- 2/20/19 Cherry Pie Day
- 2/22/19 Washington's Birthday
- 3/3/19 Caregiver Appreciation Day
- 3/6/19 Ash Wednesday
- 3/10/19 Daylight Saving Time
Begins
- 3/12/19 Plant A Flower Day
- 3/17/19 St. Patrick's Day
- 3/20/19 1st Day of Spring



March is National Craft Month!

A whole month dedicated to creative people everywhere!

Studies have shown that crafting has numerous health benefits. Spending time regularly with any hobby can help reduce stress, improve concentration and brain function, and boosts self-esteem.

Knitting and crocheting are especially helpful since they involve repetitive motions while requiring a level of concentration (depending on the pattern). I know from a personal standpoint that I set aside worries as I knit along.

Craft classes and groups provide an opportunity to get together with people who are interested in the same hobby as you. Seeing what others are working on and bouncing ideas around can give inspiration as well as camaraderie.

Starting a new project is always fun. There is excitement in choosing the color and type of yarn or paints. Learning a new technique and stretching our skills keeps the brain active. But finishing a project brings a well deserved sense of accomplishment. Plus then the cycle starts over with the next project!

I wonder if knitting needles and other craft supplies will ever be deductible on income tax as a medical expense?