



Classes

Spring 2010

Class listings and registration are also available online. Class levels are indicated. To help determine your level, consult the chart below.

- >Beginning- no prior experience necessary.
- >>Intermediate level 1- must know how to cast on, knit, purl.
- >>>Intermediate level 2- must also be comfortable with double point needles.
- >>>>Advanced- comfortable with most instruction.

Class listings this quarter include crochet, lace, stitch patterns and knitting with beads. And, as always, beginning to advanced classes are offered on a monthly basis.

>Knit Nights- all are welcome! We've got a pretty good sized group meeting on Thursday evenings from 6 to 8 pm.

>Great American Afghan Block of the Month- We'll work on a block each month from the XRX, Inc. book "the Great American Afghan". There is no charge for the class as long as the book and yarn are purchased at Wildflower. This is a great chance to learn new stitch patterns and techniques. Many of the blocks also have charts so you will have a chance to learn chart reading as well.

Join us the 4th Saturday of every month from 3pm to 5pm.

>Beginning Knitting-Learn to knit a headband and hat in this 4-session class. You will learn the basic stitches, 3 different cast-ons and various shaping techniques in these two class projects. Materials can be purchased for the class the first night. You will need size US10.5 needles and a bulky weight yarn. A materials list for the second project will be provided at the first class.

Tuesdays, 7:00 to 8:30 pm,
Begins Jan 26th or April 20th OR
Wednesdays, 7:00 to 8:30 pm,
Begins Feb 17th or March 24th \$30.00

>>Real Time Socks- Have you always wanted to knit socks, but need someone to step you through the process? This class is for you! Knit a whole sock over the course of this 3-session class. Materials needed: worsted weight yarn, size US6 double-point needles and Knitting Pure & Simple pattern #9728.

Saturdays, 9am to noon beg Jan 23rd \$40.00

>Beginning Crochet-Learn to crochet over the course of a 3-session class. You will learn the basic stitches and how to increase and decrease. Materials needed for first class: worsted-weight cotton yarn and size J crochet hook. Pattern and materials list for second project will be provided at first class.

Sundays, 3 to 5 pm, begins Jan 31st \$35.00

>>Log Cabin Knits- No purling necessary!!! Learn to love picking up stitches! This technique is great for using up scrap yarns. Bring an assortment of yarns in the same gauge and appropriate size needles. Pattern will be provided.

Wednesday, February 3rd, 6 to 8pm \$25.00

>Finishing Day- We're setting aside this day to get together and finish up your Wildflower projects together. So dig out those projects that have been accumulating and bring them down to the shop and we'll have a finishing party. There is no charge but please call as space will be limited.

Saturday, February 13th, 11am to 4pm.

>>Reversible Cabled Scarf-Cables add wonderful texture to knits, but have a distinct right and wrong - or front and back- side. Learn how to create reversible cables as you get started on this fun scarf to knit. This scarf can be knit in any weight of yarn with appropriate size needles. Sample scarf is knit with two strands of sport weight yarn and size 11 needles.

Saturday, February 13th, 9-11am \$25.00

*If you have a special technique or project you'd liked to see offered and have 3 or more people interested, give us a call and we can arrange a special class just for your group!
Private one hour sessions are also available at \$25/hour/person.*



>>Intermediate Knitting- This is designed as a continuation of beginning knitting. Students will make a hat knit on circular needles and a small felted bag. Techniques covered will be reading a pattern, knitting in the round, picking up stitches, stitch patterns and increasing- meets 4 times.

Tuesdays, 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm, beg Feb 23rd OR
Saturdays, 9am to 11am, beg March 27th OR
Wednesdays, 6:30 pm to 8:30pm, beg April 21st \$40.00

>Domino Knitting - Join the mitering craze and learn to use up your leftover yarns. This is a fascinating and addicting form of knitting, first popularized by Horst Schulz, and later by Chris Bylsma - with endless possibilities for design. We will learn how to knit the basic square, add on to it, and get started on a small project. Please bring an assortment of worsted weight yarns and appropriate size needles.

Sunday, February 28th , 2:00 to 5:00pm \$30.00

>>Beaded Scarf- Many have admired the beaded scarf on display. Take this class and learn how to knit with beads! Materials necessary include size 6 seed beads, sport weight yarn and size US6 needles.

Sunday, March 21st, 3 to 5pm \$25.00

***Join us for our spring fashion
show at the Manhattan Arts Center
on Poyntz Ave.
Date to be announced.***

>Design/Knit Your First Vest-Design your own vest! You will learn how to knit and measure a swatch and how to work from your own measurements to write a pattern. Various shaping and finishing techniques will also be discussed. We will pick out your yarn for the vest in the first class and discuss design elements. Homework will be to knit a swatch before the second class at which time we will write the pattern.

Tuesdays, March 23rd and 30th, 6:30 to 8:30pm, \$40.00

>Learn to Knit Lace- Learn to knit lace as you work through various stitch patterns, techniques and learn to interpret lace charts. Please bring sport weight yarn and size US6 needles.

Saturday, March 27th, 1 to 4pm \$25.00

>Reading Charts- Take the mystery out of all those symbols as we break through the "code". Bring a smooth knitting yarn and appropriate size needles.

Tuesday, April 13th, 3 to 5 pm \$25.00

**Advance registration required for all classes.
If materials are not included in class fees,
they can be purchased at Wildflower.
Online registration available.
Please register and pay for classes one week
in advance.**

wildflower hours:
10am to 6pm Tuesday, Wednesday
10am to 8pm Thursdays
10am to 4pm Fridays
10am to 5pm Saturdays