



# Cowgirl Yarn

*Yarn, Books, Notions, Patterns, Classes & Gifts*

## **Where to Find Us:**

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## **Shop Hours:**

Mondays	7pm-9pm (Community Knitting)
Tuesdays - Fridays	10:30 am - 6 pm
Saturdays	10 am - 5pm
Sundays	by Appointment

## *Class & Workshop Information*

To sign up for any of the classes or workshops, contact Cowgirl Yarn at 307-755-YARN (9276). Payment in advance is essential and is not refunded unless we cancel the event. We order supplies and make a commitment to the instructor based on your registration.

Minimum of four people per class is required for class to be held unless otherwise noted.

In consideration of the reasonable price charged for classes, we request that all materials be purchased from Cowgirl Yarn. Enjoy 10% off materials bought at Cowgirl Yarn for class projects.

Our knowledgeable employees are always happy to help you with brief questions on your project. In order to better serve all of our customers, if you require further help, we suggest that you schedule a private session with one of our staff. This will give you the individual attention you would like, and save time in the long run.

### **Individual Instruction - Knit & Crochet**

Perfect for help with patterns, learning to finish garment's or a quick refresher

1 person, 1 hour \$15; 1 person, 2 hours \$25

2 people, 1 hour \$25; 2 people, 2 hours \$45

## *Class Schedule*

### ***Knitting with Katie***

#### **Beginning Knitting**

4 sessions \$50, 1 session \$15

Begins Tuesday, January 26, 5:30 - 7:00 pm

Knitting is a great way to have fun and relieve stress. And, you get something yours and unique at the end of each project. If you have been thinking how much you would love to create your own treasures for yourself and others, now is the time to learn this ageless craft! Join Katie each Wednesday evening and learn the skills you need to tackle any project. Below is the schedule of skills we will cover each week. If you've got some of the basics down, just drop by on the evenings you need.

**January 26** – Getting started. We will cover casting on and knit stitch, and will select our project for week 3.

**February 2** – Taking it to the next level. We will learn purl stitch, yarn overs (yo), knit two together (k2tog), make 1 (m1), slip slip knit (ssk), and pass slip slip over (psso)

**February 9** – Getting knitty with it. We will start our project and learn how to read a pattern. We will also discuss gauge, yarn weights, and how to modify patterns.

**February 16** – Finished! We will learn how to cast off and finish our projects. We will also discuss blocking, sewing seams, and answer any final questions.

### **Winter Workshops:**

Beat those winter blues! Learn new techniques while creating fun and functional projects. Stash them up or keep them for yourself. All prices for Katie's workshops include yarn and pattern.

#### **Double Knit Hat**

Sunday, January 24, 1 pm – 4 pm

\$35

This workshop will teach the art of double knitting, giving you a completely reversible, very warm finished hat. Choose any of your favorite two Galway, Lanaloft worsted, or Lambs Pride colors. We will work with double points & circular needles on a versatile double knit pattern that can be modified for endless possibilities. For the extra adventurous, the magic loop technique will also be taught. Please bring #8 16" circls, #8 dpns, and if you are interested in learning Magic Loop. please bring a 32" or longer #8 circular.

#### **Baby Sweater**

Sunday, January 31, 1 pm – 4 pm, and

Sunday, February 28, 1pm – 4 pm

\$60

In this workshop we will learn the basics of sweater making by knitting and constructing a sweater in miniature. In the first session we will begin knitting the sweater out of Crofter and discuss blocking and ways of adapting patterns to make construction easier. At the second session knitters will bring completed and blocked pieces and the workshop will be devoted to construction techniques and finishing. Please bring #6 needles.

### **Technique Tutorials**

Do you want to expand your knitting expertise but don't have a lot of time? Sign up for a technique tutorial! Please bring scrap yarn and appropriate needles to learn the new technique.

#### **Two Color Knitting**

Monday, January 25, 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

\$20

This tutorial will be devoted to learning the basics of Fair Isle knitting, and time permitting, intarsia. Please bring 2 skeins of different colored yarn of the same weight.

#### **Entralac**

Monday, February 1, 5:30 – 7:00 pm

\$20

This tutorial will introduce the basics of entralac. This challenging, two colored technique uses short rows to produce a stunning "woven" finished look. Bring all your scraps and ends that you just don't know what to do with and double pointed or circular needles.

### **Cables**

Monday, February 8, 5:30 – 7:00 pm

\$20

Become a master of cables and add depth to any project. Feel intimidated by those raised up embellishments to knitting? Don't be! Come join Katie for this tutorial and master the art of cables.

### ***Knitting with Stephanie***

Learn new techniques while creating a gorgeous project. Stash it up to give away or keep it for yourself. Check with Cowgirl Yarn for supply list.

### **Felting Party**

Friday, February 19, held in the evening

We are going to gather for a fun night of felting and more. More details to follow.

### **Mistakes and How to Fix Them**

TBA - 2 hours, \$25

Special Supplies: Please bring projects that you need to get fixed!! This will be an open forum class. We will cover many basic mistakes but would love for you to bring your more challenging fixes to work through with the class.

### **Felted Slipper – the classic Fiber Trend Pattern**

TBA – 2 sessions

### **Basic Sock Class**

TBA – 3 sessions

### **Lace – the basics**

TBA – 3 sessions

### ***Knitting with Bruce***

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Wednesday, Every week from 12:15 – 2:00 pm

Join Bruce for knitting down at Cowgirl Yarn. Ask a question or just knit with others.

### ***Hold That Date!***

**1st Tuesday of the Month – Laramie Fiber Guild meeting 7 pm** – held at various locations. Cowgirl Yarn can get you more information if you are interested.

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**2nd Wednesday of the Month** – Stephanie Anesi is at Cowgirl Yarn from 5 – 7 pm to answer any knitting questions you have or just come down and knit with Stephanie. You never know what she will have on her sticks!

**May 9 & 10th – Nuno Felting Workshop** – Jill Gully of Texas will be teaching an amazing 2 day workshop.