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Midsummer Greetings Fiber Friends,

I hope you're all enjoying the longer days and temperate evenings and mornings of the season. Finding time to relax is so important to overall health and happiness and I hope you're knitting and crocheting are helping with that. Summer projects are in full swing right now but many of you are coming in to get a start on cooler weather garments as well as getting ahead of those gift ideas for the holidays just 6 months away. The fall lines are starting to arrive from all our companies. As I'm writing this newsletter a box from Malabrigo has arrived. Inside is their newest yarn Verano a 100% Pima Cotton with 205 yards in 100 grams in 15 colors. Following us on facebook or Instagram is the best way to see the newest arrivals daily. We're looking forward to some exciting new yarns and needles over the next 2 months.

## What's new?



Plymouth Yarns continues to bring wonderful new yarns into their collection including Electra Lite in 12 colors

Berroco Yarns has a new format for their patterns. It's more compact and better quality.



You can find the newest magazines on our shelves.





New yarns in our  
Shades of Fair Oaks Collection



Pattern suggestion for Plymouth Angora Luks  
Check out the latest Plymouth Blog for pics of mine.

## Yarn Dyeing Workshop with Gustine

Aug. 17 from 10am to 12 or Aug. 18 from 10am to 12

Pre-registration \$50 includes materials


Class size limited



An Afternoon With Designer  
Peter Franzi

*The Ubiquitous Double Crochet  
Tips, Tricks and Shortcuts  
The Foundation Stitch*

August 24, 2019 10am-5:30pm



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Signups are open for returning  
crochet designer Peter Franzi's  
workshops.

This all day event is comprised  
of three 2 hour sessions with  
breaks including refreshments  
and lunch provided.

Class size limited

Registration \$75 You'll receive  
a coupon for 10% off regularly  
priced items.

<https://www.ravelry.com/patterns/sources/chain-male-design>

## Classes for August 2019 at Babetta's

*In our project classes you can learn to knit anything from scarves to socks to felted purses to lace shawls to hats to sweaters. Pick your project and join in the fun. Our knitters inspire each other to try new things by sharing ideas and showing off their latest creation. Sign up for one of our classes and you will receive a coupon for 10% off.*

Pre-registration is required as class sizes are limited. Please choose your dates carefully. Because of scheduling conflicts and complications, make-up classes will only be allowed under special circumstances and individual consideration.

Our project class knitting teachers Maya & Gustine have been teaching at Babetta's for 14 years and can help you make your fiber dreams come true in a fun and patient atmosphere.

### **Tuesdays 8/6, 8/13 & 8/20**

Knitting Project 10am – 11:30am fee \$50

Knitting Project 6pm – 7:30pm fee \$50

### **Wednesdays 8/7, 8/14 & 8/21**

Knitting Project 1pm – 2:30pm fee \$50

Knitting Project 3:30pm- 5pm fee \$50

### **Thursday 8/8, 8/15 & 8/22**

Knitting Project 6pm – 7:30pm fee \$50

### **Saturdays 8/10, 8/17 & 8/24**

Knitting Project 4pm – 5:30pm fee \$50.

### **Private Lessons**

Knitting or Crochet \$20 an hour

Group Knitting or Crochet Private lessons

\$15 an hour per person.

Spinning or weaving \$25 an hour

Group rates are \$20 an hour per person.

50% deposit required when scheduling.

Cancellations with less than 24 hour notice

will forfeit deposit with exceptions for

emergencies. Other cancellations can be

transferred to rescheduled lessons or store

credit.

### **Charity Knitting Group**

How would you like to do some charity knitting/crocheting with a lovely group of people? *“The Purls of Fair Oaks”* meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday every month from 10am to noon here at **Babetta's**. This wonderful group of knitters makes newborn hats for local hospitals. If you'd like to come join the group there's always room for more.

There won't be a free pattern in this issue as I have been working on free patterns for some Mini Kits. They're easy to pick for road trips, plane rides, or gifts for knitting friends.

## Babetta's new mini kits!



Baby Sock

Doodoodoodoodoo

Mosaic Linen Washcloth



Easy Baby Hat

I'll be working on some Crochet Mini Kits this week. You'll find these kits right up front in the shop.



Over the remaining weeks of summer Babetta's will be featuring a yarn each week. For 7 days that yarn will be 10% off. From 7/22-7/28 **Mirasol Kancha** <https://www.ravelry.com/yarns/library/mirasol-yarn-kancha> will be our first feature. Next week from 7/29-8/4 will be **Anzula Vera** <https://www.ravelry.com/yarns/library/anzula-vera> . I'll be posting the next yarn every Monday on Instagram & facebook.