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Holiday hours-December 24 8am-3pm and December 25 we will be closed December 31 8am – 4pm and January 1 from 10am-4pm



December Greetings Fiber Friends,

This publication is a little late. I always get behind in December. We've been busy helping get those handmade gifts done. Hope you're all enjoying this time of year and not stressing too much. I look forward to ending my day with some knitting or crochet so I can center myself after being pulled in many directions all day. Yes I am addicted to my yarn and my projects!

We have lots of fun yarns for those last minute gifts. There's still time to make fingerless mitts, hats, scarves, slippers, coffee cozies, headbands, washcloths and potholders. It's always been a tradition in our family to handcraft at least some of our presents to each other. I'm sure I won't get them all done but I really enjoy the process.

What's new?

Many Bags & Baskets, Lots of Ruffle yarn, Smooshy from Dream in Color, Sundae, Links, Lacey and Blackstone Tweed from Berroco, many colors of DMC size 10 crochet thread, wool batting, 12"x12" sheets of wool felt in different colors, 4 new Hand Painted Araucania yarns, Ball winders, Swifts and Interchangeable needles from Denise, Clover, HiyaHiya, and Addi Clicks in Lace and original points.

Coming soon...

Arroyo DK from Malabrigo in 20 colors and 35 colors of Madelintosh DK

Classes for January 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 teacher Maya Gardner has been teaching at Babetta's for 6 ½ years and can help you make your fiber dreams come true in a fun and patient atmosphere.

Tuesdays Jan. 3, 10 & 17

<u>Knitting Project</u> 10am – 11:30am fee \$40 <u>Knitting Project</u> 6pm – 7:30pm fee \$40

Wednesdays Jan. 4, 11 & 18

<u>Knitting Project</u> 1pm – 2:30pm fee \$40 <u>Knitting Project</u> 3:30pm-5pm fee \$40

Thursday Jan. 5, 12 & 19

Knitting Project 6pm – 7:30pm fee \$40

Saturdays Jan. 7, 14 & 21

Knitting Project 4pm – 5:30pm fee \$40.

Private Lessons Knitting or Crochet \$15 an hour and Group Knitting or Crochet Private lessons \$10 an hour per person.

Spinning or weaving \$20 an hour and group rates are \$15 an hour per person.

Pre-registration required.

Babetta's Sit and Knit or Crochet Saturdays

You're invited to come and sit in our little living room and share your love of handwork with other Fiber Friends. We're open from 8am to 6pm on Sat. Come by anytime throughout the day.

How would you like to do some charity knitting/crocheting with a lovely group of people? "The Purls of Fair Oaks" meets the second Thursday of every month from 10am to noon here at Babetta's. This wonderful group of knitters makes newborn and preemie hats for local hospitals as well as other local charity groups. If you'd like to come join the group there's always room for more. This month's date is Jan. 12. If you'd like to drop off any knitted or crocheted donation items you can do that at any time and I will pass them on.

BABETTA'S ONGOING FOOD DRIVE

Unfortunately over the summer the need for food donations in our neighborhood has increased. Help fight hunger in our own backyard and bring an item of non-perishable food next time you're at Babetta's. You will be entered to win a \$25 gift certificate.

Need a place to get away for a few minutes?

Need a place to get away for a few minutes? Come relax with your Fiber friends at Babetta's. We'll be serving Refreshments all day

End of year SALE! Dec. 26 - Dec. 31

You'll find savings throughout the shop from 10% to 50% off.

Spend \$20 or more and receive a coupon for 15% off a purchase in January 2012.

Discount sales are final and no other discounts apply.

Our family wishes you all Peace and Happiness for the Holidays and for the New Year
Be well dear Fiber Friends,
Babetta, Maya, & Gustine