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March greetings Fiber Friends,

First of all I'd like to thank all of you who stopped in to help us celebrate our Sweet 16<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Hope you had fun and if you haven't checked the winning numbers for our Gift Certificate giveaway they are listed on the last page and also on our website.

It's been almost a year since the world changed because of Covid 19. What a year it's been. Each of us has learned to cope with all the changes in our routines in different ways. I think it's very important to continue any self-care mechanisms you've embraced while we learn to navigate the world again as things return to something close to "normal" over the next few months. Babetta's will continue to be here to help you make your fiber dreams come true. Yarn is a beautiful tonic.

What's new?

Our Berroco Yarn Tasting kits Spring 2021 have arrived. Pick one up for \$15. I'll be adding minis of some of their continuing yarns along with the new lines for you to try.



Yarn Tasting Kits



New Berroco Sox colors



New Ultra Wool Hand Dyes





New from NORO Yarns and coming soon NORO Enka & Kakigori



Lotus Stitch markers



Lana Grossa Hand-dye Sock



Huasco Cotton fingering weight

Cotton Supersocke



Queensland Cairns



Coastline



My Little Sunshine





## Coming soon...

Rowan Felted Tweed & Kid Silk Haze  
Malabrigo Rasta, Rios, Mechita, Sock & Mecha  
Noro Enka & Kakigori



### Malabrigo Temperance Shawl KAL Begins 04/01/2021

Babetta's carries the 3 newest colors of Malabrigo Sock suggested for the project. #347 Jasmine, #344 Myths, #358 Gingly Follow the link to read more about it. The pattern is a free download.

<https://blog.malabrigoyarn.com/blog/malabrigo-kal-2021>

## Classes for March 2021 at Babetta's 916-965-6043

*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 has been teaching at Babetta's for 16 years and can help you make your fiber dreams come true in a fun and patient atmosphere.

### **Tuesdays March 9, 16 & 23**

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

Knitting Project 12pm-1pm fee \$50

## **Wednesdays March 10, 17 & 24**

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

Knitting Project 12pm-1pm fee \$50

## **Saturdays March 13, 20 & 27**

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

Knitting Project 12pm-1pm fee \$50.

### **Private Lessons**

Knitting or Crochet \$20 an hour. Call or stop by to schedule.

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

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.

### ***Feather & Fan Crocheted Scarf***

Materials: 1 ball Lana Grossa Linello, size H hook.

Finished measurement 6" x 75"

Chain 27, turn

Row 1 - dc in 4<sup>th</sup> ch from hook, 2 dc in next ch, (sk 1 ch, dc in next ch) 4times, ( 2 dc in next ch) 4 times, (sk 1 ch, dc in next ch) 4 times, (2 dc in next ch) twice, ch 3 , turn

Row 2 – dc in first st, 2 dc in next st, (sk 1 st, dc in next st)4 times, (2 dc in next st) 4 times,(sk1 st, dc in next st) 4 times, (2dc in next st) twice, ch 3, turn.

Repeat row 2 throughout. Last row do not ch 3 at the end, draw up tail through last st and weave in ends. Wet or steam block to finish.

Stitches used-ch=chain, dc=double crochet, sk=skip, st=stitch



## *Babetta's Big Noro Shawl*

Materials: 1 ball Noro Bachi, 1 ball Noro Kanzashi, size 11 24" circulars or straight needles. Gauge not critical. Finished size 11" x 9'

This pattern is worked in 4 row repeats in each yarn carrying the yarn not being used up the side. It's a good idea to twist the yarns around each other at the beginning of each right side row to keep a neat edge.

Cast on 30 sts with Bachi, and work Bachi pattern for 4 rows.

Row 1: (k2, p2) across to last 2 sts, p2

Row 2: (p2, k2) across to last 2 sts, k2

Row 3: repeat row 1

Row 4: repeat row 2

Switch to Kanzashi and knit 4 rows

You will now alternate between 4 row with Bachi in pattern and 4 rows with Kanashi in garter stitch. You can repeat the 2 sections 41 times and end with a Bachi repeat before you bind off loosely or stop at desired length. Wet block for a nice finish.



Remaining numbers to win a gift certificates are;

039529, 039619, 039598, 039578, 039546, 039543, 039554, 039555, 039587, 039596,  
039573, 039526, 039594, 039615, 039582, 039560, 039585, 039563.