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**KATHY'S KREATIONS**  
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**MAY 2021 UPDATE**

Dear Stitchers,

"Starting our engines" for the Maryland Road Trip last month has us thinking that a bright and colorful new project is a happy travel companion, whether your destination is to the beach, the mountains or anywhere in between. No matter where you find yourself, upbeat knitting and crocheting styles are sure to uplift your mood and help you to enjoy every moment. Garment silhouettes are going to be boxy and cropped, evoking a 50s and 60s design aesthetic. The cutest thing to knit yourself this summer is a short-sleeved, cap-sleeved, or entirely sleeveless tank or cardi. Think: *The Birdwatcher* design by Casapinka!

Warmer weather stitching has us dreaming of lightweight lace patterns. Summer garments are typically more open and airy, and this season is no exception. Full-on lace, lace details, lace sleeves, and yokes with lace – they're all heavily featured this summer. Lace looks a lot more intimidating than it actually is. The combination of decreases and increases creates beautiful surface texture, but it's surprisingly logical and orderly. Try starting with something small and working slowly. Ideal "starter" knitting projects are *CHURCHMOUSE Lace-back Fingerless Gloves* (little hand warmers) or *Diagonal Lace Wrap & Scarf* (in two gauges), while crocheters might enjoy *BERROCO Anemone* with its easy shell pattern stitch.

Whatever your stitching pleasure as we welcome summer, Kathy's Kreations can help you find an appropriate pattern for your skill level and interest. Let's dive in!

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### \*\*\* GREAT NEW STUFF \*\*\*

Knitwear is a perennial wardrobe staple year-round. However, in warmer weather, we see brighter palettes, lighter fabrics, and sunnier accessories. Knitwear is the No. 1 most important fashion trend for spring/summer 2021. Maybe it is the influence of Taylor Swift's *Cardigan* single from her *Folklore* album, but pretty cropped cardigans are having a huge fashion moment. Here's what else is trending...

In case you {May} be wondering, EMMA'S YARN Crazy Beautiful Club selection for May 2021 is a shade that will make you feel instantly happier and ready to take on summer projects! We've got it in base "Practically Perfect Sock" (\$26.95, 100 grams, 400 yards, 80% merino wool/20% nylon, CYCA #2, shown upper left). Other recent arrivals from EMMA include *Noncho* kits for our May 2021 Casapinka knit along on base "Simply Spectacular DK" (kit price varies by size; \$132.50 for sizes medium to XL) and rainbow shades of black shadowed "Beautifully Basic" (\$26.95, 100 grams, 100% superwash merino, CYCA #2)...

We found a great new gadget that is a must-have for any knitter's project bag! Ann Budd's *Handy Gauge Ruler* (\$5.00) features outlines of black (for light-colored yarn) and white (for dark-colored yarn) knitted stitches in 11 gauges, ranging from 4 stitches/inch to 9 stitches/inch in one-half-stitch-per-inch increments. Simply move the ruler across your knitting until you find the markings that match the stitches in your knitted fabric to get a good estimate of your stitch gauge! Use it to determine whether you're on track with a work in progress or to check the gauge of something you've already completed. This ruler will help you figure out your stitch gauge quickly and efficiently. Perfect for knitters who hate counting stitches...

There seems to be a baby boom going on in southwestern PA. If you're looking for a gender-neutral idea, we recommend *Brooklyn Rib Baby Blanket* (\$5.99, Ravelry Pro download, shown page 8 upper left) designed by DOUBLE THE STITCHES DESIGNS. Knit with our soft-as-a-cloud cotton worsted JUNIPER MOON FARM "Cumulus" (\$20.50 solids / \$23.50 variegated, 100 grams, 248 yards, 94% cotton/6% nylon, CYCA #4). Available in either car seat or crib blanket sizes, this is a simple design filled with knits and purls in an easy-to-remember pattern stitch. This beautifully textured blanket is perfect for any recipient...

Warmer weather signals that it's time for knitting and crocheting with cotton. One of our favorite patterns that looks great on everyone is the *Lourdes* top from BERROCO YARNS (\$8.00, Ravelry Pro download, shown page 5, upper right). This simple tee gets a lift from an eye-catching stitch pattern. The boxy shape is flattering to every figure. *Lourdes* is knit with the ultimate yarn for summer garments, "Pure Pima Cotton" (\$11.50, 100 grams, 219 yards, 100% pima cotton, CYCA #4). This 4-ply yarn has the perfect amount of twist and a matte finish, loved for its superior softness and exquisite stitch detail...

There's a fresh new design from our own Kathy Zimmerman, *Flamingo Road* (\$4.00, shown lower right). Kathy was inspired by SKACEL COLLECTION's HiKoo "Simpliworsted" Color Of The Year, fabulous flamingo. The pattern features a ridged slip stitch pattern that resembles tiny flamingo legs crossing a road, with bobble "nests" at each end. The scarf is worked in two pieces, then joined at the center back with a 3-needle bind-off technique. The pattern is also available for download purchase at the Kathy Zimmerman Store on Ravelry...



\*\*\* MORE GREAT NEW STUFF \*\*\*

The last selection of the DREAM IN COLOR spring Pop-Up Club season is here, and this gorgeous shade was inspired by ocean creatures and the Kelp Forest (shown right). We love seeing the photo inspirations behind Veronica Van's color schemes, especially on the "Smoochy Cashmere" base (\$34.50, 100 grams, 400 yards, 70% superwash merino/20% cashmere/10% nylon, CYCA #2). We still have some previous colorways available, and the Pop-Up Club series will start up again coming in September...



©Dream In Color Yarn

The Maryland Road Trip Mystery Knit Along with Cynthia Spencer and Valerie Reed kicked off on April 17, 2021 for LYS Day. We have a few kits remaining from BAAH Yarns in their splendid "La Jolla" fingering weight superwash merino wool (\$125.00 per kit). Hurry in to see them before we sell out or view them at [roadtripmystery.com](http://roadtripmystery.com). They are so pretty! Warning — it's hard to pick just one, the vibrant colors are all spectacular! Speaking of BAAH YARNS "La Jolla" shades, we also have received some beauties like Seashell, Marigold, Pink Sand and Orange Amber that would look stunning in this project...

Stretchy, vibrant and colorful, self-patterning UNIVERSAL YARNS "Bamboo Pop Sock" (\$9.50, 100 grams, 492 yards, 37% cotton/8% PBT/55% bamboo, CYCA #2) is wool-free, making it an ideal choice for those who are wool-sensitive. Light and breezy, it is great for cheerful socks, accessories, baby knits and more! Our shopgal Marian recommends this yarn for yoga and pedicure socks...

PLYMOUTH YARNS "Done By Mondays Afghans" Book 638 (\$7.50) is a collection of 15 full-size afghans for knitters of any skill level. Each of the designs uses exactly 10–100 gram balls of PLYMOUTH "Encore Worsted" and a US #13 32" circular knitting needle. The yarn is used double stranded throughout for speedy knitting. Each afghan is approximately 45" X 50" in size...

The KATRINKLES mini-tool 1" acrylic gauge rulers with our custom logo RULE! These handy square tools on a keychain (\$10.50) are used for a quick gauge swatch measure in knit or crochet in any type of yarn. Simply hold the tool up against your work and count how many stitches fit inside the cut out square (along the bottom edge for stitches and the side edge for row gauge). The bottom measurements are in inches and centimeters are marked on the left side, making this ruler universal for all fiber artists..

We tend to choose small accessories for our warmer weather "take-along" or porch knitting. *Dust Devils* by designer Laura Aylor (\$6.00 Ravelry Pro download, shown lower left, stitched by our knitting friend Gail G) are ideal portable projects. These unique mitts are worked in the round, back and forth, in the round, back and forth, and in the round again — making shaped mitts with thumb gussets without ever cutting your yarn. Gail tells us that they are not difficult, but it is very important that you pay attention and read carefully!



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Gail chose our NORO "Kureyon" (\$12.50, 50 grams, 110 yards, 100% wool, CYCA #4) and suggests standard double-pointed needles for this project. Other self-striping yarns suitable for this projects include PLYMOUTH "Gina" (\$6.95, 50 grams, 109 yards, 100% wool, CYCA #4), BERROCO YARNS "Millefiori" (\$15.50, 100 grams, 186 yards, 50% wool/50% acrylic, CYCA #4) and BERROCO YARNS "Sesame" (\$16.95, 100 grams, 230 yards, 43% wool/39% acrylic/9% cotton/9% nylon, CYCA #4)...





\*\*\* MAY 2021 KNIT ALONG (KAL) \*\*\*

Designer Casapinka is once again supporting Local Yarn Stores this month with a free (with yarn purchase) pattern! The *Noncho* pattern is written for 7 sizes and will be released on National Bubble Tea Day, April 30, 2021. You'll receive a code from us to download the pattern from Ravelry which can be redeemed ONLY from April 30–May 2, 2021.

Casapinka designed the *Noncho* in EMMA'S YARN "Simply Spectacular DK" on US 6 needles, with the "Securrrity" combo for her model (shown photo, upper left). We will have several options from EMMA's YARN, BAAH YARNS, and DREAM IN COLOR, plus "Boba" stitch markers from HDC (\$10.95, set of 5). Sizes are based on the chest circumference and required yardage will vary with each size. The pattern is also written for fingering weight yarn using US size 4 knitting needles. It may also be worked in a two-color option.

Join us in person every Friday during May 2021 (rsvp please, occupancy limited) to work on the new Casapinka release, or any other project purchased here from 10:00 am–2:00 pm or follow along on our May 2021 Ravelry thread on "We Love Kathy's"...

\*\*\* UPCOMING CLASSES (please call 724-238-9320 to register for all classes) \*\*\*

**PLEASE NOTE: CLASS IS SCHEDULED TENTATIVELY AND WILL BE DEPENDENT ON HEALTH SAFETY CONCERNS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMONWEALTH OF PA DEPT OF HEALTH**

*Let's Knit A Hat!* is a fun skill-building opportunity offered by instructor Karen McCullough on **Tuesday, May 4, 2021; 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**. This month's topper is a spiral openwork *Top-Down No Math Hat*, designed by Suzyn Jackson Gonzalez. Class supplies include one ball of chunky or worsted weight yarn and two corresponding knitting needles in 16"-20" length. Karen will demonstrate working in the round with two circular needles, beginning at the crown. Pattern is included with the class registration fee of \$20.00.

Our *Building Blocks* class series continues on **Tuesday, May 18, 2021; 1:00 pm -3:00 pm** with instructor Karen McCullough. This knitting series was designed by Michelle Hunter specifically to help grow your skills while you navigate through major knitting techniques and principles while knitting sampler squares to eventually make an afghan. Each class will focus upon a technique to broaden your understanding. This month's topic is *Cables*, dramatic twisted stitches that are the result of knitting stitches out of order. Registration fee is \$20.00 per session plus purchase of book and yarn from Kathy's Kreations. Want to learn more? Please give us a call at 724-238-9320 for information on any of our upcoming classes or to schedule a private knit or crochet lesson...

Always been a little curious about brioche knitting? Or, maybe you know just a little, but not quite enough? We've got two classes coming up with instructor Marian Lech that are just the answer. *Let's Do Brioche, Part 1* on **Saturday, May 22, 2021, 12 noon–3:00 pm**, is an introductory class for those who have never done brioche or need a refresher. In this class, you will learn about terms, stitches and basic brioche techniques. Student supplies include swatching yarn in worsted weight and US 7 or 8 knitting needles (straight or circular), or purchase supplies here before class. Class fee \$20. Limit 4 students...

*Let's Do Brioche, Part 2: Channeled Colors Brioche Cowl* is scheduled for **Saturday, June 5, 2021, 12 noon–3:00 pm**. This beautiful two-color cowl (shown right) is worked in the round with two colors of yarn. Purchase worsted weight or light bulky yarn from Kathy's Kreations for this project (500 yards main color, 500 yards contrast color; suggested yarns HiKOO "Kenzington" and MANOS "Maxima"), plus bring US size 10 24" circular needles for a scarf length or 40" for an infinity loop. There is pre-class homework; a working knowledge of brioche is need to take this class. Class fee \$20. Limit 4 students...



### \*\*\* READING LACE KNITTING CHARTS \*\*\*

Interweave Knits tells us: “Lace is the perfect fabric for unpredictable spring weather. It’s so lightweight and lovely, and it adds just a touch of warmth. Not to mention, lace motifs are full of florals and leaves; perfect for this time of year!” The lovely *Lourdes* top from BERROCO is shown at right and is suitable for a first lace or first sweater knitting project.



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Lace charts can be challenging, whether it’s what a symbol means, how to read the chart, or what technique is being described. For example:

- What is a “no stitch”? Some charted patterns have changing stitch counts, so a “no stitch” symbol is a space holder on the chart. When you come to a “no stitch” symbol on the chart, just ignore it and skip over that square. Go to the next stitch that has a square and work that instead. Sooner or later, the square will be filled in.
- Does the chart have a box around some stitches? That’s a pattern repeat box. The stitches within that box are to be repeated.
- Pay attention that you are working in the correct direction. If you are working back and forth in rows, read right-side rows from right to left and read wrong-side chart rows from left to right (just as you are knitting them). Usually, the odd-numbered rows are right-side rows, and the even-numbered rows are wrong-side rows. When working in rounds, EVERY chart row is read as a right-side row, from right to left.

### \*\*\* COTTON FOR SUMMER \*\*\*

This just in! SCHOEPPPEL “Cotton Ball” (\$22.50, 100 grams, 459 yards, 100% cotton, CYCA #2) yarn has arrived on our shelves! This long-staple cotton, sourced from Greece, is dyed in Shadow Colors through the use of a new water and environmentally friendly technology. This yarn features a cool hand and superior drape. Ask to see our shop model, *Pebble Beach Shawl*, a design by Helen Stewart (\$6.91, Ravelry Pro). This crescent-shaped wrap is perfect for keeping off chilly evening breezes. It drapes beautifully across the shoulders and the picot bind off gives a polished finish. *Pebble Beach* is the perfect travel knitting project!

### \*\*\* KNITWEAR TRENDS FOR SUMMER 2021 \*\*\*

According to the website *Brunette From Wall Street*, here are key knitwear trends for Summer 2021. Feminine pink and lilac are very popular shades to choose.

- “Strappy knitwear” is a new trend that is rising fast — probably faster than you can tie the tie of a fashionable cardigan around your waist...
- Vests — a cropped, pretty vest is a must-have you’ll want to add to your wardrobe
- Cardigan Set — although popular for a while, knitwear designers keep making them pretty; cropped cardigans are the biggest trend; puff sleeve cardigan
- Short cardigan with a collar (exaggerated collar, lace collar, sweetheart neckline)
- Knitted athletic top
- Knit polo shirt
- Classic fitted tank top

### \*\*\* SUCCESS STORIES \*\*\*

We love customer success stories and love receiving their photos! Warren M recently sent this one, of his completed *Windowpane Scarf* (\$5.00, Ravelry Pro download available through Kathy’s Kreations, shown lower left), crocheted with our MANOS DEL URUGUAY merino/silk blend in colorway cactus flower. Stunning — thanks for sharing!

The *Windowpane* is the perfect spring or fall scarf to keep the chill off your neck without being bulky. It was designed by Adrienne Lash to showcase the color shifts in gradient yarns, but you’ll also get a beautiful scarf using solid, semi-solid or variegated yarns...



© Warren Mitchell

\*\*\* LYS DAY \*\*\*

Thanks to all our customers who stopped by during LYS Day, April 17, 2021. We appreciate your support throughout the year. Don't forget to mark your calendars! Next year and all future Local Yarn Store Days will be the LAST Saturday in April...

\*\*\* LIGONIER NIGHT MARKET DATES \*\*\*

For a second year, the Ligonier Country Market and the Ligonier Valley Chamber of Commerce are teaming up to bring the experience of the Saturday morning market to the Ligonier Diamond Park. Market goers can look forward to visiting their favorite producers and processors, delighting in local restaurants, and exploring merchant shops. Kathy's Kreations will be open extended hours on the third Thursday of the month during the summer of 2021. The 2021 scheduled monthly dates are Tuesdays, June 17, July 15, August 19, and September 16. Kathy's Kreations will be open 10:00 am–7:00 pm on those dates, allowing shoppers to join us after work...

\*\*\* FORT LIGONIER DAYS \*\*\*

Yes, Fort Ligonier Days are on! This premier fall festival is scheduled for October 8, 9, and 10, 2021. Commemorating a key battle of the French & Indian War, Fort Ligonier Days draws many visitors each year to our quaint, picturesque town. With a backdrop of spectacular fall foliage as its setting, a variety of activities are found around the beautiful Ligonier Diamond, throughout the historic town, and at the authentical reconstructed Fort Ligonier. Kathy's Kreations will be running both indoor and outdoor sales all weekend long!

\*\*\* FALL FLING 2021 \*\*\*

Kathy's Kreations invites you to join us for our 12th annual "Fall Fling" Knitting Workshop, hosted by Kathy Zimmerman. We are delighted to announce that the lovely and talented Jolie Elder will be back by popular demand.

Jolie will be teaching a nine-hour workshop at the Ramada Inn in historic Ligonier, PA. Jolie will share her techniques for *Easy Reversibles Cables* in a six-hour session on Saturday. Featured project is a special treat, the Legerdemain Scarf (shown lower left). Yarn for this project will be included with registration (six skeins of Berroco Ultra Alpaca Light). On Saturday morning, we'll work our way through the basics of reversible cables. On Saturday afternoon, we'll look at a center-out cast-on and a Y-increase. Participants will be able to design their own hat with a reversible cabled brim. On Sunday, we'll cover a special technique called *Knit Faster With Combination Knitting*.

Decription from Jolie: "We'll enjoy a weekend of working reversible cables and knitting faster. On Saturday morning, we'll learn how to make easy reversible cables. You'll be surprised you haven't seen this technique before, it is so simple and satisfying. On Saturday afternoon, we'll design our own top-down hat with a reversible cabled brim. This is a great way to use single skeins; perfect if you make hats for charity. The finished hat is warm and fits a wide variety of head sizes. On Sunday, we'll learn tricks for knitting faster while improving our tension at the same time. To see the projects, go to Ravelry and look at *Legerdermain Scarf* and *Casquerade Hat* and *Jolie's Cable Helmet Hat*.

The weekend package includes an after-hours boxed meal and special shopping time at Kathy's Kreations (Friday evening); an informal meet & greet on Friday evening to get acquainted; an optional Friday evening knit along; morning coffee breaks and two lunches at the Ramada; classes Saturday and Sunday; extended lunch break on Saturday with time to shop in the pretty town of Ligonier and goodie bags.

Registration is \$250 per person. Overnight lodging is not included and is optional for local participants. For more information, please contact Kathy at 724-238-9320 or by e-mail, [kathyknitz@gmail.com](mailto:kathyknitz@gmail.com)



\*\*\* MARYLAND ROAD TRIP MYSTERY SHAWL \*\*\*

This year, knitting friends Cynthia Spencer and Valerie Reed are on the road again, this time to Valerie's home state of Maryland. We are so excited to share with you our mystery knit along and invite you to join the fun!

The 2021 Road Trip Mystery is a beautiful shawl with an unusual shape. The final shape is a bit of a mystery, but we're told that it's a cross between a triangle shape and a scarf, and very wearable. The pattern is divided into 8 sections, an introduction, a conclusion, and six legs featuring different stitch patterns inspired by various regions, landmarks, and natural wonders found in Maryland.

Like last year, each leg of the journey will include two different stitch patterns to choose from (Cynthia's or Valerie's), opening the door to a grand choose-your-own knitting adventure. The pattern is being released on Ravelry and is available to purchase through Kathy's Kreations as a Ravelry Pro yarn shop. The sections are being released one at a time, running now through the end of July, and the pattern will be updated as the pattern clues are revealed.

Cynthia Spencer was with us for the kick-off during our Spring Break. Special color packs from BAAH YARNS, who have created eight colorful combos of their "La Jolla" yarn, some are still available but selling out quickly. No worries, we can put together "one of a kind" kits for you from our fingering weight collection...



\*\*\* STEEL VALLEY YARN CRAWL \*\*\*

The Steel Valley Yarn Crawl has a new look this year. This 8th annual event is a Pittsburgh-area happening and will be held July 30–August 8, 2021. Six shops are participating: Kathy's Kreations; Kid Ewe Knot, McWalker Yarns, Raggz, Sewickley Yarns, and Yarns by Design. For general information, please visit the new website, [thesteelvalleyyarncrawl.com](http://thesteelvalleyyarncrawl.com) or contact [thesteelvalleyyarncrawl@gmail.com](mailto:thesteelvalleyyarncrawl@gmail.com)

Rules of engagement include:

- Passports must be purchased from one of the participating yarn stores.
- Each participant must have their own passport with only ONE passport per person.
- Each participant must fill out the contact information on the passport. Please print clearly – we need the information to be able to contact you!
- Each participant must be present at each yarn shop to receive their stamp (i.e., no proxy crawling).
- Each participant must be at least 18 years of age.
- All completed passports must be turned in by the end of business on August 8, 2021 to the last store your visit.
- All prize winners will be posted online at our Ravelry and Facebook pages and will be contacted within 30 days of the end of the crawl.
- Winners who have not claimed their prizes in 30 days will forfeit them and alternate winners will be chosen.

- Please be respectful and comply with Health and Safety precautions at each shop.

Kathy's Kreations will have extended hours for the crawl:

Fridays and Saturdays 7/30, 7/31, 8/6 & 8/7 open 9:00 am–4:00 pm

Sundays 8/1 & 8/8 open 11:00 am–4:00 pm

Monday through Thursday 8/2–8/5 open 10:00 am–4:00 pm

Passports will be available later this summer. In addition to a new logo (shown left), there are a few new surprises in store. Save the Date – we'll keep you updated in future newsletters!







### \*\*\* CALENDAR OF EVENTS \*\*\*

Your safety and well-being are our utmost concern. All in-shop events are slowly resuming in compliance with the extended social distancing and health safety guidelines. We are limiting the number of attendees at our Friday knit-alongs and all classes, so please call ahead for space availability. For everyone's health safety, a face mask covering both nose and mouth is required, as well as the use of hand sanitizer upon entry. Please check in with our Facebook page (Kathy's Kreations; Ligonier, PA) and Instagram (#kathyknitz) for updated information.

### \*\*\* NATIONAL BUBBLE TEA DAY \*\*\*

Purchase one of our ready-to-go kits (or customize one of your own) for Casapinka's latest "Noncho" design on Friday, April 30 or Saturday, May 1, 2021 and receive a free download code for the pattern on Ravelry (see photo upper left page 4). You must purchase yarn for this project from a local "brick and mortar" yarn store to qualify. You must redeem this offer before 11:59 pm on Sunday, May 2, 2021. Offer and kits are limited – hurry!

### \*\*\* MAY KNIT-ALONG (KAL) \*\*\*

Stop by on Fridays during May 2021 from 10 am - 2 pm (rsvp please, as occupancy is limited) to work on our newest KALs with your stitching friends to cheer you on. This month, we feature a new Casapinka project, the *Noncho*, and are continuing on with the Maryland Road Trip Mystery Shawl. Not working on the KAL? **You are still welcome to come -- simply bring any knit or crochet project purchased at Kathy's Kreations and join the group (free!).** Follow us on "We Love Kathy's" Ravelry group May 2021 thread...

### \*\*\* FUN FRIDAY, March 21, 2021; 10:00 am - 2:00 pm \*\*\*

Come in for the yarn and leave with friendships! Join our "knitting community" for fellowship, stitching, and how-to's for projects purchased here. Whether this is your first project or your hundredth, this is the place for you to learn, grow and enjoy being with other knitters and crocheters just like you. RSVP please, as occupancy is limited.

### \*\*\* "LET'S KNIT A HAT!"; Tuesday, May 4, 2021; 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm \*\*\*

### \*\*\* "BUILDING BLOCKS"; Tuesday, May 18, 2021; 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm \*\*\*

### \*\*\* "LET'S DO BRIOCHE PART 1: The Basics"; Saturday, May 22, 2021, 12 noon–3:00 pm

### \*\*\* "LET'S DO BRIOCHE PART 2: Channeled Colors Brioche Cowl"; Saturday, June 5, 2021, 12 noon–3:00 pm.

Private knitting and crocheting lessons available by appointment. Learning to knit or correcting mistakes are not the only reasons to have a one-on-one tutoring lesson. Learn specialized skills like lace or short rows, or get help with a pattern before starting -- our instructors can do it all! Additional group classes are forming -- ask us for details. We would be glad to do a specific class topic for groups of 4 or more. Kathy's Kreations has been the helpful hands of experienced knitting for more than 41 years!

Knitting and crocheting are joyful mediums for creativity, innovation and expression that should be celebrated!

KEEP STITCHING! Kathy