

Knitting with Gay Hansen

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Tuesdays, 2:30 -4:30 in the United Church Parlours

8 weeks starting on January 19, 2010

Maximum 10

Storm Policy: No classes when schools are closed in Sackville.

Session 1. - Determine everyone's skill level. Anyone who is working on a knitting project should bring it along. Those without a current project can search my pattern collection and choose an appropriate project. I will have materials available for cotton dishcloths. Materials for other projects will have to be purchased by the participants before the second class.

Subsequent classes - This course will be project based. Participants will knit in class and at home between classes. Any difficulties encountered will be handled either individually in class or between classes by phone, email or drop in visit. I suggest small knitting projects so that participants can complete several items during the term. Possibilities for beginner projects include useful cotton dishcloth, scarf, toque, baby sweater, baby hat, and wrist-warmers. Final class will include a show and tell of our projects

Knitters will have to purchase enough yarn and possibly needles to complete their knitting project(s). I have a supply of needles I can loan if need be.

Instructor's Bio

I started knitting as a young child and developed a serious knitting habit by the time I reached adolescence. I always have at least two knitting projects on the go - one portable, the other not so. Besides being useful, it is a great way to take it easy and still look busy. It also has a way of turning tedium (waiting rooms, bus trips and cues) into opportunities for uninterrupted knitting. I would love to help anyone interested in knitting ... to learn from scratch or to improve existing skills.

Some people are very sensitive to perfumes and other scents. Please respect a scent free environment by not using scented products. Thank you.

A note to seniors about class attendance and absenteeism....

As you know, our instructors are all volunteers, who work very hard at putting courses together. Your cooperation is appreciated in letting them know if you are unable to attend any of the classes as most instructors plan weekly classes that are appropriate to the number of registered students in the course.

If circumstances change between registration and the first class, or if you decide to withdraw after the first or second class, please email tscoordinator@nbnet.nb.ca or call 364-2780. Many courses have a wait list and this could allow someone else to take your place.

Sometimes, seniors have travel plans or medical appointments made in advance. It would help instructors to know this at registration, if possible, so that class material may be adjusted accordingly. Illness, as well as other unanticipated and unavoidable conflicts can occur. If you are able, please let your instructor know as soon as possible if you will miss a class.

Thank you!