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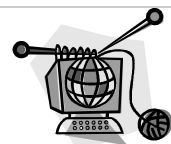
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If you have information you'd like to place in the October Newsletter, please call, email, or snail mail it to me by Oct. 20th. Thanks, Amy

Knitting On the Web



Looking for cute, new patterns or gifts? Check out some of these sites next time you need a project for kids or even a special item for yourself:

- Booga Bag Pattern - a free pattern for a precious felted purse!
Natural Dyes from Edible Items - offered by Lions Brand Yarn, this site provides recipes to dye wool and cotton yarns.
Drop Stitch Wrap - I found this pattern on AC Moore's website.

Know of a great site? Please share it!

Knit Happens

AC Moore: Join Gail and the Girls at AC Moore any Thursday from 10 am - 2pm.

BAM KnitWits: Join the KnitWits every Wednesday at Books-A-Million on Laurens Road from 6:30pm-8pm (at least). Sit & Knit!

Cast-Offs: Join Trudy and the girls at the Yarn & Frame Peddler in Taylors. They meet on Saturdays from 10 am-12 pm. Plenty of Room, Plenty of Fun!

Thursday Morning Knitters Join these girls at Coffee Station on South Buncombe Road in Greer on Thursday mornings, from 10am until 12pm. Bring a Chair!

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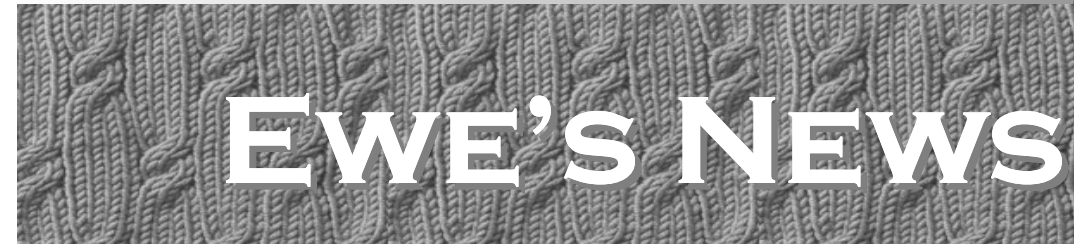
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Upcoming Events:

- Sept. Guild Meeting Junior League Building Sept. 10, 6:45 pm
Evening w/ Yarn Harlot Knitch, Atlanta, GA September 19th, 7pm
St. Mary's Knit Inn October 6th, 10am-4pm
SAFF Fletcher, NC Oct. 26-28
Knitters Cruise Bermuda October 28, 2007

President's Place

Amy has done an excellent job with the newsletter and we thank her for all her efforts. As her term ends, she will be turning it over to Carolyn Freshour and Pat Blackwood. They will begin with the November newsletter.

Fall and the holidays are fast approaching. Our guild will decorate a tree for the Festival of Trees, sponsored by St. Francis and held at the Hyatt. Marilyn Blackwell has agreed to chair the committee. Please think seriously about joining the decorating committee for the tree, or at least knit some items to decorate the tree.

Our Knit Inn is scheduled for early February. Last year it was a rousing success. As many of the attendees left, they asked about reserving a spot for the 2008 Knit Inn. So now is the time to begin planning for Knit Inn 2008.

Lainy Haule

September Meeting

This month plans to be extra special! Becky Witt, of knitting fame in the Southeast, will be here from Northwoods Yarn (formally Goodwins). She will be teaching a class on knitting patterns: yarn weights, gauge, how to make changes to patterns, and mostly how to pick out yarn.

The class will start at 6:30, so plan to be there a bit early to get a great seat and to take advantage of all of her knowledge.



Hope to see you all there!

Welcome!

We had several guests join us in August: Caroline Froturo, Patti Maloy, Lee Quinn, Sue Renault

And we have several new members: Pat Blackwood, Judy Klotzback, Kim Mahaffey, Lee Mitchell

And we have one renewal: Stephanie Young

We are thrilled to have you all join us!

# LOVELY LACE CAPELET OR BED JACKET BY: CAROL PAUL

This pattern is made using short rows; explanation is shown below (W&T).

Three sizes: S/M, M/L, L/XL

Supplies: Worsted weight yarn 700 yds (850, 1050), 3-4 buttons, one stitch marker, size 10 needles

Hint: Start and end all threads at the top (neck) edge.

Explanation of W&T: Wrap and turn: Knit to # of sts remaining in the pattern row, then move the yarn to the front and slip the next st purlwise, leaving the slip stitch on the right-hand needle; bring the yarn to the back then return slip st to left hand needle; bring the yarn back to the front, turn the knitting, and knit back to the lace end.

All sizes: Cast on 65 sts. Knit rows 1-5.

Left front section is as follows, repeat 3 times (3, 4):  
 Row 1: Knit 44 sts, place marker, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog K1, turn.  
 Row 2: K3, P1, Knit until 12 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 3: Knit to marker, K1, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 4: K3, P1, Knit until 16 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 5: Knit to marker, K2, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 6: K3, P1, Knit until 20 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 7, 8, 9: Knit all sts (68 all sizes).  
 Row 10: Lace end (bottom of capelet): bind off 3 sts, knit to neck edge (top of capelet).  
 Start again at row 1 and repeat 3 or 4 times for size.

Shoulder section is as follows, repeat 5 times (6, 7):  
 Row 1: Knit 44 sts, place marker, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog K1, turn.  
 Row 2: K3, P1, Knit until 12 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 3: Knit to marker, K1, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 4: K3, P1, Knit until 16 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 5: Knit to marker, K2, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 6: K3, P1, Knit all to neck edge.  
 Row 7, 8, 9: Knit all sts (68 all sizes).  
 Row 10: Lace end (bottom of capelet): bind off 3 sts, knit to neck edge (top of capelet).  
 Start again at row 1 and repeat 5, 6 or 7 times for size.

Back section is as follows, repeat 5 times (6, 7):  
 Row 1: Knit 44 sts, place marker, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog K1, turn.  
 Row 2: K3, P1, Knit all sts.  
 Row 3: Knit to marker, K1, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.

Row 4: K3, P1, Knit all sts.  
 Row 5: Knit to marker, K2, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 6: K3, P1, Knit all to neck edge.  
 Row 7, 8, 9: Knit all sts (68 all sizes).  
 Row 10: Lace end (bottom of capelet): bind off 3 sts, knit to neck edge (top of capelet).  
 Start again at row 1 and repeat 5, 6 or 7 times for size.

Last shoulder section is as follows, repeat 5 times (6, 7):  
 Row 1: Knit 44 sts, place marker, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog K1, turn.  
 Row 2: K3, P1, Knit all sts.  
 Row 3: Knit to marker, K1, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 4: K3, P1, Knit until 16 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 5: Knit to marker, K2, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 6: K3, P1, Knit until 12 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 7, 8, 9: Knit all sts (68 all sizes).  
 Row 10: Lace end (bottom of capelet): bind off 3 sts, knit to neck edge (top of capelet).  
 Start again at row 1 and repeat 5, 6 or 7 times for size.

Right front section is as follows, repeat 3 times (3, 4):  
 Row 1: Knit 44 sts, place marker, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog K1, turn.  
 Row 2: K3, P1, Knit until 20 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 3: Knit to marker, K1, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 4: K3, P1, Knit until 16 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 5: Knit to marker, K2, \* YO K2Tog \*, repeat to last 3 sts, YO YO K2Tog, K1, turn.  
 Row 6: K3, P1, Knit until 12 sts remain, W&T.  
 Row 7, 8, 9: Knit all sts (68 all sizes).  
 Row 10: Lace end (bottom of capelet): bind off 3 sts, knit to neck edge (top of capelet).  
 Start again at row 1 and repeat 3 or 4 times for size.

Final four rows, starting at the neck:  
 Row 1: Knit, place 3 or 4 buttonholes as you choose.  
 Row 2: Turn, going back to top, knit, adding the omitted sts where the buttonholes lie in the previous row.  
 Row 3: Knit all.  
 Row 4: Bind off all sts to top (neck edge).  
 Top edge can be finished with crochet, applied I-cord, or picking up the sts and binding them off neatly, or left as is if you prefer.

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**This pattern is a perfect charity knitting item for a nursing home. If you have some spare time, grab some charity yarn & knit one up today!**

# Good To Know

## An Evening with the Yarn Harlot

Knitch, a yarn shop in Atlanta, will be hosting an evening with the Yarn Harlot, Stephanie Pearl McPhee. This is Stephanie's first and only Atlanta appearance as she reads from her latest book, Stephanie Pearl McPhee Casts Off! This knit in and book signing will be by reservation only. Tickets are complimentary but are limited. Call 404-745-YARN Deborah Douglas and Regina Randolph already have tickets, you may want to contact them about carpooling if you are planning on attending.

## Knitters Cruise

It's Time Again...to start thinking of the annual Knitters Cruise! Please join Sue Esser for the "NCL Knit Inn". It's a six day Bermuda Cruise beginning October 28, 2007 on Norwegian Majesty. If you have any questions or are interested in booking your stateroom, call Tammy at AAA Vacations at 864-240-3010 ext. 6446 or email tssharpes@mailaaa.com *Bon Voyage!*

## St. Mary's Charity Knit Inn

Come join us for a day of charity knitting, fellowship, fun, and FOOD! What more could you ask for?! It will be held October 6th, from 10am until 4pm, at St. Mary's Catholic Church on Washington Street. Drop in or stay the day! We only ask that you RSVP Carol at 282-0982 so we can make sure we have enough food for everyone! We hope to see you there!

## Southeastern Animal Fiber Fair

SAFF 2007 will take place on Friday, Oct. 26th 9am - 6pm, Saturday, October 27th 9am - 6pm, and Sunday, Oct. 28th 9am - 4pm. The event is located at the WNC Ag Center in Fletcher, NC, across HWY 280 from the Asheville Regional Airport. Admission is free on Friday and is \$2/person for Saturday and Sunday. Visit <http://www.saffsite.org> for more information.

## Decorations for Festival of Trees

Don't forget, we will be decorating a Christmas tree at the Hyatt this season for the St. Francis Festival of Trees. We are focusing on embellishments. Keep your eye out for patterns that might make a perfect ornament! Last month we placed several patterns in the newsletter that can double as ornaments and charity knitting items if you can't find a pattern that works.

## Charity Corner



Carol & Robin Paul

We received over the past month  
From Guild Members:

- 1 shawl
- 3 children's blankets
- 12 premie hats
- 1 premie blanket
- 2 fetal demise pouches
- 1 scarf
- 4 children's sweaters
- 5 adult hats
- 1 baby sweater & hat set
- 2 snowmen for the Christmas tree
- 6 washclothes

*It was lovely to see that Ruth Nortman's family set up a chair with a few of her favorite knitting supplies and projects at her funeral. She was a charter member of our Guild. Perhaps as we knit a charity item, Guild members can remember Ruth and say a little prayer for her.*



## TREASURER'S REPORT

Item Deposit Debit Balance

Item	Deposit	Debit	Balance
July Balance Forward			1401.42
July Newsletter		116.37	1285.05
August Newsletter		70.48	1214.57
Wine for Xmas in July Party		49.76	1164.81
September Balance Forward			1164.81