



# NCW Knitters Guild Newsletter

## August 2015

### Business Meeting—August 4, 2015

The meeting opened at 6:30 p.m. with 26 members and guests present. Judy Marsalis and Sue Cawley were thanked for providing the evening's refreshments. We had one guest, Susan.

**Treasurer's report:** Sally reported we have a current balance of \$3110.42. We had an in/out expense of \$50 for Applesox tickets as well as \$66 for our post office box rental.

Stitch-n-Pitch outing had 10 guild participants. It was an adventure with the heat, a brief rainstorm and game delay because of it. It was suggested to schedule an earlier outing next year because of the heat.

**Program:** After some discussion, it was voted not to amend or change the Guild By-Laws, but to simply conform to what is currently written. The motion passed.

The By-Laws state operating year is to be January 1—December 31, instead of August 1—July 31. We opted to move back to the calendar year and not charge a dues assessment for the extra five months the move involves. All current members of the Executive Board have agreed to continue their office until the end of the calendar year.

Our tax status is inactive; Vic and Sally Thompson will research and get us back to active status.

**Next meeting: September 1st**, program will be preparation for the Fair and Quilt Shows.

### Slate of candidates for 2016:

President	Victoria Bosche
Vice Pres	Ardella Edwards
Secret/Newsltr	Jane Peak
Treasurer	Sally Thompson
<b>Events</b>	<b>Open</b>
Refreshments	Judy Marsalis
Door Prize	Lisa Graves
Membership	Tracy Gausman
Charity	Mary Ann Corning
Website	Jackie Gabaldo
Library	Sue Enright
Programs	Martha Battrell, Judy Marsalis, Marcia Janke

*Cute yarn bomb idea*



Marilee moved and Kathy Jo seconded a motion that we accept the above slate. Motion was carried. This slate will be voted on by membership in November, with new officers beginning terms January 1st.

**Events/Projects:** Victoria spoke of the now completed Guild Sampler Afghan. It still needs to be fitted with a way to hang it, but will be ready by September for Fair or Quilt show display.

The Chelan County Fair is encouraging us to enter items in the fair.

**Volunteers are still needed** at the Fair Sat afternoon, and Sunday morning into early afternoon. Guild will cover your reduced entry fee of \$5 if we have your name by Aug 15th. Anyone signing up after the 16th will have to pay an entry of \$8 -\$10. Quilt show sign up still has mid day openings. Copy and paste the links below to sign up online. **Our guild is 90 members strong—please help out with these events!**

**Fair:** <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0549afaf29a4fa7-2015>

**Quilt show:** <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0549afaf29a4fa7-ncwquilt1>

**Tips/Tech/Tools/Misc:** When working with black or dark yarn, use light colored needles, a magnifying light, or put a white cloth on your lap to more easily see the stitches.

Use dental floss as a 'life line' in your knitting.

**Door Prize:** Two skeins of variegated grey alpaca yarn donated by Mary Ann Corning, won by Joyce Fisher.

### **\*SHOP TALK\***

#### **MAC's Studio**

Mary Ann brought some half price books and new magazines. She shared a new Cascade yarn called Sateen. Watch for a big shop sample sale in August or September. Studio is located at 130 Riverview Road, East Wenatchee, west of highway 28 past Hobby Lobby. Call before you visit 669-3099.

#### **Cashmere Cottage Yarn**

Summer sale continues! 25% off select cotton/cotton blend yarns through August, 25% off Clover knitting needles. Knit Happy totes on sale for \$10 (reg \$20). 'Scoreboard Cowl' KAL kicks off Sept. 3rd, follow your favorite team and create a scarf using team colors. Scarf workshop in October. Check for details on Facebook. Call 509-782-0382 for info or to register for classes. Knit at the shop on Wed 1:00-3:00 or 5:00-8:00, Thurs 1:00-3:00.

#### **K1P2 Yarn**

**Are you interested in some occasional part time work?** K1P2 is searching for fill-in personnel, to help on an occasional basis - some week days and some Saturdays. Interested? Contact Cody at 509-630-1248.

K1P2's Annual Knitting Retreat, October 9-10 (Friday 3pm - Sunday 11am) Conconully, Washington at the Shady Pines Resort. Call to reserve your cabin 509-630-1248.

Upcoming classes: Scarves, beginning lacework, felted flip-flops, fingerless gloves and knitted skirts. Visit the website for upcoming classes at [k1p2yarn.com](http://k1p2yarn.com), or the shop at 1012 Springwater Street in Wenatchee. Shop hours Tues-Sat, 11:00-5:00, Thurs 11:00-7:00. Knit-ins on Thursday!

#### **Twisted Fine Yarn and Wool**

SUMMER SALE ALL OF AUGUST! 30% off all Cascade Superwash 220, 128, Longwood and Quatro, and Ella Rae Classic Superwash. 20% off Cascade Fixation, Highland Duo; Juniper Moon Zooey and Findley; Debbie Bliss Eco Baby, Eco Baby Prints, and Angel; Be Sweet Bamboo; Knit One Crochet Too Batiste, Ty-Dy, Ty-Dy Sock, Baby Boo; Ella Rae Phoenix DK prints; Appalachian Baby Organic Cotton.

**Mention you're a member of guild and get an additional 10% off!**

Shop hours are Mon – Sat 10:00 to 5:00, Thursday 10:00 to 6:00. Located at 210 E. Woodin Ave in Chelan. [www.twistedyarnandwool.com](http://www.twistedyarnandwool.com)

#### **Current officers:**

President: Victoria Bosche  
Vice Pres: Alicia Caouette  
Secretary: Jane Dunbar  
Treasurer: Sally Thompson

#### **Current chairpeople:**

Newsletter: Tracy Gausman  
Membership: Tracy Gausman  
Refreshments: Judy Marsalis  
Charity: Mary Ann Corning  
Website: Jackie Gabaldo  
Door Prize: Lisa Graves  
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Show & Tell

*Joyce's shawl*



*Kara's sweater cowl*



*The Guild sampler afghan*



*Judy's hat with wire brim*



*Sue's sweater, knit top down*



*Sally's Seahawk hat*



*Kathy Jo's shawl and scarf*



*Marcia's Seahawk  
Fingerless gloves*

