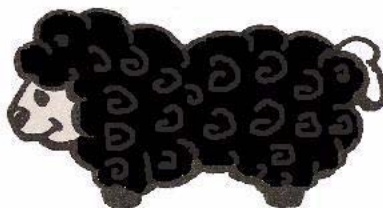
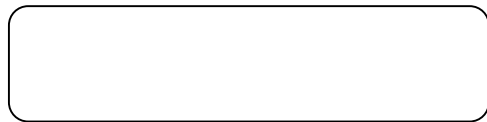
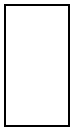


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Make sure you get the next copy of the Capital Caper as fast and conveniently as possible. Stop by or call with your email address so you can get the newsletter before the snail mail even gets stamped. We don't sell or distribute the email addresses. You will receive a message with a link that will direct you to the website.

Knitting Sighting

If you have seen the movie "Princess Diaries 2" you may have noticed the poncho that Mia Thermopolis (played by Anne Hathaway) wears in the secret corridor scene. We DO have a list of poncho patterns available.

Rewards for Bringing a Friend

Bring a friend that has never been to Capital Yarns before and get a free gift! (Don't expect a new car)

Old is New! Same great yarns, MORE colors.

Cleo	Fizz
Optik	Opulent
Quest	Splash
Zen	



SEASON END SALE

It's that time!!

We've re-organized and now the Close-Out Bin is filled to the brim and we have a Bargain (really) Bin that has runneth over. Don't miss this great opportunity to get some of the yarns you have been eyeing at a price you can't beat (\$1.50 - \$6.00) Note: limited to stock on hand and does not apply to special orders.

Other items on sale:

40% off Ott-Lite with Magnifier

25% off Kits (except Debby Ware, Beaded Scarf & Disney)

Select Books

45 Fine Fancy Hats to Knit (30%); Anchor Manual of Needlework (30%); Knitting for Babies & Kids (30%); How to Exchange (30%); Book of World Knits (30%); 1000 Sweaters (10%)

Stressed?

Come join us at our own Happy Happy Yarn Hour Sip & Stitch - It might be QUIET, it might be CRAZY, but come sit, stitch, sip, and RELAX as the stress slips away. M - F from 10 am - Noon and Monday evenings from 5 - 7 pm.. Refreshments served. \$5 per person per session

Wish List

Come in & fill out your wish list card to help your family & friends pick-out the perfect gift. As always, we have gift certificates.

Fiber Artists' Fantasy Clubs

Do you enjoy working on projects? Capital Yarns is pleased to announce the first of several knitting and crocheting clubs. These clubs will feature different types of fiber along with a fun pattern for a set cost. No minimum commitment ~ sign up for the fiber fantasy fun. To sign up or cancel, please email us with your choice of versions: knitting or crocheting. Billing will be done on a pay-as-you-go-basis. Cancellations must be received by the first of the month of shipment.

The clubs that are in their infancy stage are the SCARF (monthly) club and SHAWL (quarterly). The cost of the first SCARF kit to be released is \$29.99 per kit, which will be shipped on the 15th of each month. The cost of the first SHAWL kit to be released is \$39.99 per kit, which will be shipped on the 15th of the month of the quarter (i.e. Oct, Jan, Apr, July).

Watch for our other clubs that will be starting soon: Square-a-Month Afghan (monthly); Sweater (quarterly); Sock (monthly); Poncho (quarterly)

Finishing Service Available

Hate finishing? Bring it in and we'll finish it for you or ✓ the class schedule! to learn how

Gadgets

The Queen of Gadgets is at it again. Come by and see the latest collection.

Mystery Stitches

Can you guess what the mystery stitches are? Try it out and see. Watch for a new knit & crochet stitch in each edition of the Caper. Make a 12" square and before you know it you will have an afghan.

Knit Stitch

Multiple of 4 + 3

Rows 1(rs): K3, *sl 1 wyib, K3; rep from * to end.

Row 2: K3, sl 1 wyif, K3; rep from * to end.

Rows 3: K1, *sl 1 wyib, K3; rep from * to last 2sts, sl 1 wyib, K1.

Row 4: K1, *sl 1 wyif, K3; rep from * to last 2 sts, sl 1 wyif, K1.

Rep these 4 rows for patt.

Crochet Stitch

Multiple of 3 + 2

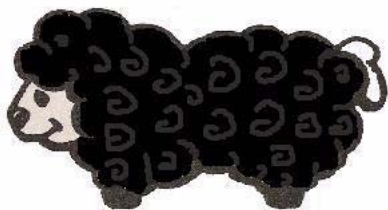
Row 1: All in tr

Row 2: 3ch, * (2tr, 1ch, 2 tr) between 2tr, miss 3tr *; 1tr.

Row 3 & following rows: 3ch, *(2tr, 1ch, 2tr) in 1ch sp *; 1tr in 3ch at beg of previous row.

Needlework Tip

Knitting or crocheting without knowing your gauge in most patterns is like sailing a boat without a compass. You'll get somewhere, but it might not be where you wanted to go. It's better to take the few extra minutes to make a swatch than to later regret not making one.



Fancy & Fun New Yarns!

Stardom is a Capital Yarns EXCLUSIVE done by a local fiber artist. Come see this new glitzy yarn for yourself. Perfect for that unique scarf or shawl for the person that has everything.

Suede, (Berroco) is here! Come check out the new colors.

Fabu (Muench)

Lucky (Muench)

Fling (Crystal Palace)

Venezia (Lang)

Tosca (Lang)

Oakmont (Plymouth)

Yukon Print (Plymouth)

Sizzle Bright (Berroco)

Furlana (merino wool & possum)

Crystal FX (Berroco)

Squiggle (Crystal Palace)

Outback Mohair (Plymouth)

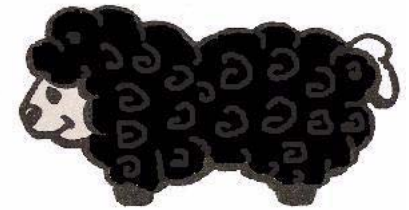
Outback Wool (Plymouth)

Forever Jacquard (Lane Cervinia) new sock yarn.

Charity Knit & Crochet

Each 3rd Tuesday of every month (except September & November) from 7 - 9 pm, come have fun! If you can't join us and would like to participate, patterns for items are located on the following websites: www.bevscountrycottage.com and www.hood.edu/carewear. Drop off your donations anytime during store business hours. **All Care Wear items are given free to infants, children and their parents.**

Even MORE Knitting Needles



Class Schedule

Knitting

Basic Beginning Knitting - Three 2-hour classes - \$60 Learn the basics: knitting; purling; binding off; needle sizes; yarn weights and gauge. **Projects: hat. Purchase supplies.** (SB)

- Oct 1, 8, & 15 ~ 10 - Noon (Fri)
- Nov. 5, 12, & 19 ~ 10 - Noon (Fri)
- Dec. 6, 13, & 20 ~ 10 - Noon (Mon)

Kids Beginner Knitting - Three 2-hour classes - \$60 **Project: Poncho** Purchase supplies. (MB)

- Oct. 11, 18, & 25 ~ 3 - 5pm (Mon)
- Nov. 5, 12, & 19 ~ 5 - 7pm (Fri)

NEW Refresher Knitting - Two 2-hr - \$50. Did you stop knitting and are eager to start again? Knitting is like riding a bicycle, you never forget how ~ you just need a push. Well, come with needles and a project and we will give you the push you need. **Purchase supplies.** (TM/MB)

- Oct. 7 & 14 ~ 7 - 9pm (Thur)
- Nov. 11 & 18 ~ 7 - 9pm (Thur)

Beginner Sock Knitting - One 3-hour class - \$40 **Pre-requisite: beginning knitting skills & comfort using double point needles.** Learn the basics: shaping the heel; decreasing; form the toe. **Homework:** Come with 3" of ribbing & 4 rnds of K on dp using sock yarn. **Purchase pattern.** (MJ)

- Oct. 9 ~ 12 - 3pm (Sat)

- II. Oct. 20 ~ 4 - 7pm (Wed)
- III. Nov. 16 ~ 5 - 8pm (Tues)

Teddy Bear Sweater - Three 2-hour classes - \$60 If you can cast on, knit, purl, rib and bind off, you can make a sweater! **Purchase supplies (SB)**

- I. Oct 15, 22, & 29 ~ 1 - 3pm (Fri)
- II. Nov 5, 12, & 19 ~ 1 - 3pm (Fri)



Comprehensive & Definitive Class Series:

This comprehensive & definitive class series of knitting covers over twenty different techniques from learning to cast on to designing your own pattern will be learned. (MB) **Project: Cardigan. Purchase supplies.**

Knitting Level 1 - Four 2-hour classes - \$80

- I. Oct. 3, 10, 17, & 24 ~ 2 - 4pm (Sun)
- II. Oct. 4, 11, 18, & 25 ~ 5 - 7pm (Mon)
- III. Oct 14, 21, 28, & Nov 4 ~ 2 - 4pm (Thur)
- IV. Nov. 11, 18, Dec. 2, & 9 ~ 2 - 4pm (Thurs)

Knitting Level 2 - Three 2-hour classes - \$60

- I. Oct. 31, Nov 7, & 14 ~ 2 - 4pm (Sun)
- II. Nov. 1, 8, & 15 ~ 5 - 7pm (Mon)
- III. Dec. 16, 23, & 30 ~ 2 - 4pm (Thur)

Knitting Level 3 - Three 2-hour classes - \$60

- I. Nov. 28, Dec 5, & 12 ~ 2 - 4pm (Sun)

- II. Nov. 29, Dec. 6, & 13 ~ 5 - 7pm (Mon)



Knitting Specialty Classes

NEW Crayon Box Sweater - One 7-hour class - \$75 Do you have multiple balls of gorgeous yarns and just have not been able to find the right project for them? In this class you get to use all those exotic yarns to make a beautiful sweater! **Purchase pattern \$6.50.** (MJ)

- I. Oct. 2 ~ 11am - 6pm (Sat)
- II. Nov. 26 ~ 11am - 6pm (Fri)
- III. Dec. 18 ~ 11am - 6pm (Sat)

NEW Raccoon Jacket - Two 2-hour class - \$55 You have probably seen the "raccoon" and "silver fox" jackets on display in the store. Take this class and see how easy it is to create one of these jackets on your own! **Homework:** Come with worsted or sport weight yarn with 40 sts and 6 rows of garter (knit all) and 4-5 rows stockinette and appropriate needles for sample. Second class will be scheduled during the first class. **Purchase supplies.** (MB)

- I. Oct. 16 & TBD ~ 2 - 4pm (Sat)
- II. Nov. 17 & TBD ~ 5 - 7pm (Wed)

Bead Knitted Scarf - Two 2-hour class - \$35. **Pre-requisite: beginning knitting skills.** Add beads to your knitted projects. Start by making a scarf with a beautiful beaded design. **Purchase kit (\$32).** (BP)

- I. Oct. 10 & 24 ~ 1 - 3pm (Sun)
- II. Nov. 4 & 18 ~ 5 - 7pm (Thur)

Knitted Wire Bracelet - One 2-hour class - \$30. \$8 supply fee paid to instructor. (SB)

- I. Oct. 5 ~ 1 - 3pm (Tues)
- II. Nov. 17 ~ 1 - 3pm (Wed)
- III. Dec. 10 ~ 10 - Noon (Fri)



Techniques

Finishing - One 3-hour class - \$75 (MB) Let's finish your WIPs (Works in Progress) before the holiday. **Bring garment to finish.** (MB)

- I. Nov. 14 ~ 10 - 1pm (Sun)
- II. Nov. 21 ~ 10 - 1pm (Sun)
- III. Nov. 28 ~ 10 - 1pm (Sun)
- IV. Dec. 5 ~ 10 - 1pm (Sun)
- V. Dec. 12 ~ 10 - 1pm (Sun)
- VI. Dec. 19 ~ 10 - 1pm (Sun)

Knitting in the Round - One 2-hour class - \$25 (SB)

- I. Oct. 18 ~ 10 - Noon (Mon)
- II. Nov. 14 ~ 3 - 5 pm (Sun)
- III. Dec. 11 ~ 10 - Noon (Sat)

NEW Cable Knitting - One 2-hrclass - \$40 **Pre-requisite beginning skills.** Ever look at those lovely Aran sweaters and want to make them but afraid to take the plunge. This is the class to help you set aside your fears. Bring a pattern of cable sweater to begin. **Purchase supplies.** (MB)

- I. Oct. 5 ~ 3 - 5pm (Tues)
- II. Oct. 13 ~ 5 - 7pm (Wed)
- III. Nov. 8 ~ 3 - 5pm (Mon)
- IV. Nov. 22 ~ 5 - 7pm (Mon)



Crocheting

Beginning Crochet - Three 2-hour classes - \$60. Learn the basics: increasing; decreasing; color changing; finishing and how to follow a pattern. *Project: granny squares.* (MJ)

- I. Oct. 15, 22, & 29 ~ 1 - 3 pm (Fri)
- II. Oct. 26, Nov. 2, & 9 ~ 5 - 7 pm (Tues)

NEW Refresher Crocheting - Two 2-hr - \$50. Did you stop crocheting and are eager to start again? Crocheting is like riding a bicycle, you never forget how ~ you just need a push. Well, come with needles and a project and we will give you the push you need. *Purchase supplies* (MJ)

- I. Oct. 12 & 19 ~ 2 - 4 pm (Tues)
- II. Nov. 3 & 10 ~ 3 - 5 pm (Wed)



NEW Mystery Classes

Pre-requisite: beginning knitting/crocheting skills

Do you enjoy make and take projects? Well, we have add a twist - MYSTERY. Come and join us and make a quick project. We supply everything you need except the needles. One 1½-hour class - \$20 (MJ/JC)

Knitting

- I. Oct. 9 ~ 11 - 12:30 pm (Sat)
- II. Nov. 5, 12, & 19 ~ 5-7pm (Fri)

Crocheting

- I. Oct. 11, 18, & 25 ~ 4 - 6 pm (Mon)
- II. Nov. 5, 12, & 19 ~ 5-7pm (Fri)

Classes not working with your schedule? Need extra help with a project? or Interested in other classes that are not offered? Call the shop for more details. We offer private lesson by appointment \$40/2-hr.

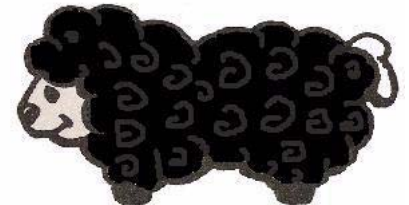
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Register by faxing/mailing the Class Registration form or stop in

Look for the next issue in 2005. Don't forget to check out www.capitalyarns.com for updates☺



Have a Safe & Happy Holidays From the Capital Yarns Staff



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Class Registration Form

Fax # 703-263-9745

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

email: _____

Class Title: _____

Cost: \$ _____

Class Date: _____

Class Time: _____

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Payment Method:

Cash

Check

MasterCard

Visa

Discover

Card #: _____

Exp Date: _____

Signing below means I've read and understand the above cancellation policy disclaimer and/or have authorized payment to be made by credit card.

Signature: _____