

MARIN KNITTERS GUILD

JULY 2019

JUNE 8, 2019 MEETING MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 10:05 am. Minutes of prior meeting were unanimously approved.

OLD BUSINESS

Treasurer Position: Joanne Arauzo, duly elected treasurer, will take over from Elaine, interim treasurer, as soon as they can meet with Redwood Credit Union. Resolution was passed to add Joanne's name be added to the checking account as a signer.

County Fair: Fair table has been arranged. Volunteers will be needed, a few have signed up. Walk through will be June 28th or 29th. Elaine and Ariane will participate.

Shawllette made with Diane's yarn has been finished and will be raffled at Marin County Fair on 7/3/2019.

Fair entries will be accepted until 5 p.m. today (June 8th). Members are requested to show fair entries at the July 13th meeting.

Pickleweed Knitting Classes will be held for 6 sessions, starting 6/20/2019 at 6:00 pm. (Thank you for making this happen!)

TREASURER'S REPORT

Elaine reported a discrepancy of \$85 in checking account, which she will review. Balance currently of \$1,374.27. Elaine has offered to handle reporting the taxes to the Franchise Tax Board. Consider knitting a thank you gift to the agency that assisted with filing for non-profit.

Thank you to Elaine for all her work and service as Treasurer!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Knit in Public Day – members from the Guild will be participating.

Beverly's Fabrics in Rohnert Park is closing – 20% off all yarn.

Martha will be moving to Arizona – The Guild members thank you for her wonderful service. She will be missed.

MEDIA

Nazee shared a NY Times article regarding coding and knitting, posted on our Ravelry link.

Elaine will follow up on getting T-Shirts and a banner for publicity.



Kate's Shawl



Ruth's Colorful Hat

SHOW & TELL

Many items were shared by the present members at the meeting. Below are a few samples of presented items with their photos

Arlene: Arlene's cables hat

Barbara: Barbara's whimsical hat

Celia: Celia's Shawl

Dana: Dana's scarf for her daughter

Kate: Kate's shawl

Kathy: Kathy's shawl for her daughter

Martha: Martha's Shawl

Ruth: Ruth's colorful hat

JUNE PROGRAM

Vintage Patterns – a collection of patterns were passed around and discussed.

Knit in Public – knitters sat in public areas of the Corte Madera Town Center and knit.

JULY PROGRAM

Marin County Fair recap and introducing Prizewinners

Respectfully submitted by,
Eve Cooper



Dana's Scarf



Kathy's Shawl



Martha's Shawl



Arlene's Hat



Celia's Shawl



2019-20 OFFICERS

Co-Presidents:

Ariane Hurley & Christine Bo-Lin

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Volunteers

Marin Fair Liaison – Elaine Johnson

Website & Ravelry – Nazee Fard



MEMBER INFORMATION

MARIN KNITTERS GUILD NEWSLETTER:

Reminder: Please email information for the 2017-2018 *Newsletters* to Radhika Sitaraman. She will publish information on websites, pod casts or blogs on knitting or other related crafts.

MEMBERSHIP: The only requirement for joining our Guild is an interest in knitting and crocheting. New and experienced crafters are equally welcome.

RAVELRY GROUP: Marin Knitters Guild has a group on Ravelry. You can join us by going to our website www.marinknittersguild.org or join directly from Ravelry by searching for "Marin" in the group section.

PHOTOS: Members may access additional Guild photos on our website www.marinknittersguild.org.



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ABOUT OUR ORGANIZATION...

The Marin Knitters' Guild was formed in 1987 as the local chapter of The Knitting Guild of America (TKGA) to promote craft and workmanship of knitting. Today we are an independent organization of over 25 enthusiastic knitters, crocheters and other crafters. While our name states Marin Knitters' Guild, today our membership hails from the counties of San Francisco, San Mateo, Solano and Sonoma as well as Marin.

Knitters with all levels of experience are welcome to participate. We encourage beginners to join and learn from the experienced. The Guild draws on talent and expertise of its membership and the knitting and fiber-arts community at large for programs and workshops.

Visitors are welcome to all Marin Knitters' Guild meetings. We ask that you join us with your paid membership on your second meeting, so that we may continue to support our programs. Dues are \$30 annually, payable at the September meeting, and include a monthly newsletter containing the previous meeting's minutes.

We have mini-workshops in most meetings offered by experienced guild members or local knitting teachers. In addition, we work for charitable causes, group projects and go on fun field trips. From time to time, we invite National teachers to have workshops for us. These workshops allow for a more intensive study of design or technique.

We meet at every Second Saturday at Corte Madera Town Center, 770 Tamalpais Drive, Room 201 (Community Room).