



# Marin Knitters Guild Newsletter

## February 2022

### January Meeting Minutes

The Guild members gathered for the December meeting at 10:10 am at the Hill Community Room at the Margaret Todd Senior Center in Novato.

Lisa presided over the meeting. Since the December meeting was our Annual Christmas potluck, there were not prior minutes to approve.

#### Treasurer's Report

Joanne A., treasurer, stated we have \$2,295.75 in checking and \$10.00 in our savings accounts.

#### Charity Report

Radhika dropped off the donated scarves and hats to St. Anthony's Foundation in December. The scarves were gratefully accepted by the St. Anthony's staff. Check out the photo on our "Charity" page on our website.

#### New Business

Nazee and Joanne have approached management at Margaret Todd to continue renting the space. Rental is \$49/month. The guild would like to reserve and pay for the space annually.

Elaine shared the progress on obtaining yarn and design ideas for the Marin Knitting Guild Banner project. She will follow up and report back.

Ideas about promoting the Guild through Next Door, The Patch, Newspaper announcements were considered.

*Respectfully submitted,  
Eve Cooper, Acting secretary*

#### Programs

Nazee led a lesson on short rows. Below is the link to Short Rows YouTube video:

[Short Rows Wrap + Turn Tutorial | Purl Soho - YouTube](#)

#### Show & Tell

All members shared their projects and here are some photos of the projects.

Nazee	Green & black pullover; coral shawl for Knit Picks
Bonnie	Cloud slippers, full length mohair sweater, woven scarf
Tracy	VanGuard cardigan; big brown polar bear blanket
Katherine	Tulip Fingerless Gloves
Ruth	Colorful cardigan; hats
Elaine	Hooded sweater; Gold/mustard cardigan
Shelley	Advent cowl (Helen Stewart pattern); Land of sweets cowl; shawl using short rows
Joanne	Scarf Gradient Triangle
Janie	Gradient Scarf Elongated
Toni	Pinking Shears scarf; Diagonal scarf in blue & variegated yarn
Danielle	Brioche in black
Eve	Blue Shawl

**Future Programs**

- February Other types of Short Rows
- March Brioche
- April Curvy Brioche
- May Different ways of knitting
- June Spinning and Knitting
- July Make your own buttons
- August Mystery Project



*Eve Blue Shawl*



*Katherine – Fingerless Mitts*



*Tracy's VanGuard Cardigan*



*Ruth's Colorful Cardigan*



*St. Anthony's Donations of Scarves/Hats*



*Elaine's Gold/Mustard Cardigan*



## 2021-22 OFFICERS

**Co-Presidents:** Lisa & Nazee

**Programs Chairs/VPs:**

Nazee

Sandee

Kathryn

**Secretary:** Marilyn

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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 2021-2022 *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](http://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](http://www.marinknittersguild.org).



### *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 every Second Saturday.

