



# Marin Knitters Guild Newsletter

## June 2022

### May Meeting Minutes

The Guild members gathered for the May meeting at 10:00 am at the Rose Garden at the Bocci Courts in San Rafael. Lisa presided over the meeting.

**Treasurer's Report:** Joanne reported that the current balance is \$2,252 total in checking which will grow from \$5 tickets. The Guild received \$400 deposit back from Margaret Todd senior center.

**Old Business:** Banner Project: Lisa will be the coordinator for the Banner Squares project. Phyllis will put the squares together when done.

**Announcements:** 3 Green Sisters donated two project bags to the guild for raffle. They also offered Coupons for 15% off to guild members (coupon code MarinKnittersGuild). Their store is located on [www.etsy.com/shop/3greensisters](http://www.etsy.com/shop/3greensisters)

Diane's shawl was set up for a raffle. Nazee and Christine each won a project bag and Sally won Diane Sack's shawl.

Guild will purchase the book (Knitting comfortably), which can be left to Guild members between meetings.

Since Tracy, our secretary, moved to Southern California unexpectedly, we did not have anyone to take notes. Kathryn's friend (don't remember her name) who was visiting took the notes.

New Secretary: Sally has volunteered to be the new secretary. She will start next month.

New Treasurer: Christine will take over treasury from Joanne.

**Newsletter:** The Newsletter seems to be redundant when there is a web page, Ravelry and Facebook page. This will

be our last newsletter. We will post minutes because of non-profit requirements.

Decision was made that Sally will take notes and then send them to Nazee to post.

**Marin County Fair:** Members are invited to enter virtual competition for Marin County Fair – Website [Marinfair.org](http://Marinfair.org) \$2 per entry.

**New Business:** Update on New Location search – Goal is to search for alternative places to choose from for a permanent home. Town Center will have a decision by the end of the month. Elaine talked to Village Shopping Center business office. Through them we got the lead for the Marin Policy Authority meeting room for June 11. It has parking area and costs \$60 for 2 hours. Probably won't allow dogs, service dogs are okay. NO FOOD because they are right by the water, they have a vermin problem.

**Next meeting.** Saturday, June 11: Central Marin Police Authority, 250 Dougherty Drive, Larkspur

### Future Programs

June	Different ways of knitting
July	Make your own buttons
(If we are permitted to use a toaster oven)	
August	Mystery Project



**Keep eyes peeled for a toaster oven (not food safe after polymer clay use).**

## Show & Tell

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

Ayalla	Shawl, Baby Hat and bootie
Beth	Felted Bag
Bonnie	Top
Elaine	Cardigan
Joanne	Summer Top
Ruth	Hat
Sally	Wearing Diane Shawl
Sandee	Prayer Shawl
Shelley	Socks



*Joanne - Summer Top*



*Ayala - Shawl*



*Ayala - Baby Hat & Bootie*



*Beth - Felted Bag*



*Sally wearing Diane's Shawl*



*Sandee - Prayer Shawl*



*Bonnie - Top*



*Ruth - Hat*



*Shelley - Socks*



*Elaine - Cardigan*



## 2021-22 OFFICERS

**Co-Presidents:** Lisa & Nazee

**Programs Chairs/VPs:**

Nazee

Sandee

Kathryn

**Secretary:** Tracy Wolf

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We are on the Web!

[www.marinknittersguild.org](http://www.marinknittersguild.org)

### Volunteers

*Marin Fair Liaison* – Elaine Johnson

*Website & Ravelry* – Nazee Fard

**DANGER**



WEAPONS OF MASS  
CONSTRUCTION

## **MEMBER INFORMATION MARIN KNITTERS GUILD NEWSLETTER:**

**Reminder:** Please email information for the 2021-2022 *Newsletters* to Radhika Sitaraman. She will publish information on websites, podcasts 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.

