

Workshop List

Kathryn Alexander Workshops

Knitting Energized Knit Surface with Commercial Yarns

Saturday, October 3, 2009 from 10am – 1pm

\$60

Don't spin, but want to be able to get these great knit surfaces? I will provide the yarns, you do not even need any new skills, just be willing to think about how you work in new ways. These energized S and Z yarns are designed by me and spun by Green Mountain Spinnery for me. Knitters will learn how to handle these yarns, I will talk about how to dye them if they want color. The energy in these yarns is not visible, but it is definitely present, just in an "at-rest" state. When these yarns are knit up and the sample washed!! The work will migrate, moving left to right, twisting, tilting all sorts of wonderful things will happen to traditional stitch combinations and the surface will re make itself before your eyes. Be brave, have fun, and learn so much about energy, yarn and finishing, both as yarns and cloth.



Kathryn will supply energized yarns to work with, booklet with color graphics and directions and lots of instruction on how to work with these yarns, and postcards of her work for inspiration.

Materials Fee: \$8. [register here](#)

Doo Dads and Finishing in Knitting

Saturday, October 3, 2009 from 2 pm – 5pm

\$60



In this class participants will learn how to knit and attach short row shapes, over lapping layers of squares, triangles and I-cord variations using 15 colors of hand dyed yarns. Whimsy and color become the focal point in this class adding a new breadth and depth to the end of a project.

Kathryn will supply directions with color graphics, 12 colors of hand dyed yarns, darning needle on knitted cord to wear around your neck, and post cards of work.

Materials Fee: \$8. [register here](#)

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Kathryn Alexander Workshops *cont.*

Knit Surface with Entrelac's Shapes

Sunday, October 4, 2009 from 10:00 am – 4:30 pm

\$100

Entrelac in its traditional form—rows of rectangles knit on opposing bias is a fun and engaging surface to knit. But why not make it impossible to put down by using endless amounts of color, re-arranging the rows of rectangles, squares and triangles, stack these shapes in new ways, make them three dimensional, change their size, the choices are never ending, intriguing and playful all at once. This workshop lets you learn the traditional surface as well as some of the more whimsical surfaces.

Kathryn will supply 12 colors of hand dyed wool yarns, booklet with color graphics and directions, and postcards of her work for inspiration.

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Materials Fee: \$15

***Note:** This class will take a lunch break mid-day. Please plan to bring something or get lunch at the festival.

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