Reversible Intarsia

Level: Intermediate/Advanced. Students should be able to knit traditional intarsia.

Students: 9

Class description: Long used to form color patterns in knitting, intarsia has been considered unsuitable for two-sided items due to unsightly yarn strands on the back of the work. This new intarsia technique hides strands within 1 by 1 ribbing, making it possible to create beautiful scarves, blankets, and other reversible items. Participants will knit the Glenwood Scarf, Janeen Puckett's argyle design featured in the new book American Gift Knitting. Basic and advanced reversible intarsia techniques will be discussed, as well as pointers for creating reversible intarsia designs.

Materials fee: \$8 (collected by instructor at class) includes a printed copy of the Glenwood Scarf pattern. After the class, a digital copy will be e-mailed or gifted through Ravelry at the participant's request.

Students to Bring: Worsted weight yarn in four colors: 1 light and 1 dark (for background and contrast stripe), 2 medium (for diamonds), Size US 6 needles or size needed to achieve gauge (36 sts and 31 rows = 4" in k1p1), scissors, and tapestry needle. Intarsia bobbins optional.



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Level One Master Knitter Janeen Puckett brings over 20 years of both knitting and teaching experience to the Wool Market. At The Recycled Lamb in Lakewood, CO, she shares her expertise with knitters of all ages and abilities. Along with homemaking and homeschooling her two young daughters, she enjoys creating her own knitting designs and sharing them on Ravelry. Her reversible intarsia Glenwood Scarf is included in the 2013 publication American Gift Knitting. This is Janeen's second year teaching at the Wool Market.

Knitting on the Edge

Level: Intermediate/Advanced. Students should be able to knit a swatch with confidence.

Students: 9

Class description: What bind-off matches this cast-on? What's the right selvedge treatment for this project? Should I do a provisional cast-on? What about those super-stretchy bind-offs? Two needle? Sewn? Toe-up or cuff down? It can all get a bit confusing. Take your knitting to the next level with the perfect edges for each project. In this workshop, participants will knit several swatches learning various techniques along with the advantages and disadvantages of each. Is there is a specific technique you want to learn? You may e-mail the instructor your request.

Materials fee: \$15 (collected by instructor at class) includes a syllabus with instructions for class swatches and techniques.

Students to bring: 1 skein of worsted weight yarn (Solid, non-heathered, light-colored yarns are best). Two sets of size US7 circular needles (16-24 inch), scissors, tapestry needle. Also, one set of 4 or 5 size US 7 (4.5mm) double-pointed needles.