

KNITTING GUILD OF GREATER BUFFALO
SPRING SEMINAR – Fri-Sat-Sun May 1-3, 2020
HYATT PLACE HOTEL, 5020 Main Street, Amherst, NY 14226

We are very excited to welcome Kate Atherley and Tina Turner to Buffalo for our annual weekend seminar. Classes are \$35 each for members (\$45 for non-members).

1. Registrations postmarked or received by February 15, 2020 from Guild Members will be registered in order of receipt for as many classes as you wish.
2. All registrations postmarked or received after February 15, 2020 by Guild members or non-members will be registered in order of receipt.

REGISTRATIONS WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL.

Class Descriptions:

Fri. 9-12: Two-color Brioche Stitch (Tina Turner)

Level: Advanced Beginner & Up

Want to learn how to diversify your knitting by integrating color and contrast - making even the most average knitted item new and exciting? Learn two color brioche with this small hat project that will help you learn the basics of two color brioche. No need to be familiar with single color brioche. Pattern will be provided in class.

Supply List

- 125 yds each, of two contrasting colors DK (#3) weight yarn
- US #2, 16" circular needle
- US #4, 16" circular needle

Fri. 1-4: Short Rows (Tina Turner)

Level: Intermediate and up

Learn 4 different short row techniques. You will learn how to apply them to your current short row project.

Supply List

100 yds of DK or worsted weight yarn
US #5 circular needle no shorter than 16"
removable stitch markers

Sat. 9-12: Introduction to Toe-Up Socks

A step-by-step guide to making to-up socks.

Supply List: US size 6/4mm double pointed needles and scrap medium weight yarn in a light color

Sat. 1-4: Elizabeth Zimmerman's Baby Surprise Jacket

This legendary garment design is a highly unusual construction, made more challenging by the rather unconventional style of pattern instruction; this project builds many skills, including increasing, decreasing and picking up stitches, and provides an introduction to seaming.

Supply List: Baby Surprise: 50gm of a medium-weight yarn and 4-5mm/US #6-8 needles – a short circular is easiest. Note that this class does not include the pattern. Students wishing to work the project after class will need to purchase their own copy.

Sun. 9-12: Garment Smarts & Simple Alterations

How to analyze a pattern before you start knitting to determine which size to knit; a discussion of ease; and approaching making adjustments. Suitable for the math-averse.

Supply List: No specific requirements. Students are invited to bring any patterns they have questions about, or are considering making.

Sun. 1-4: Next Steps for Lace

Exploring a variety of more complex lace stitch patterns: one- and two-sided patterns, patterns with changing stitch counts, Nupps, Shetland bead stitches, and attached edgings. (2-3 hours.)

Supply List: 4-5mm/US #6-8 needles - straight or short circular, light-coloured medium weight scrap yarn, a second set of needles in the same size – short circular or DPNs – and any lace patterns you have questions about.

Last Name

First Name

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Mail or Deliver your registration to: **Sharon Gerstman, 116 Brantwood, Amherst, 14226**

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Checks should be made payable to Knitting Guild of Greater Buffalo

To register for classes, enclose a check for \$35.00 per class (\$45.00 per class for non-members). One check for all classes is desired.

___ Fri May 1, 9-12: Two-Color Brioche Stitch (Tina Turner)

___ Fri May 1, 1-4: Short Rows (Tina Turner)

___ Sat. May 2 9-12: Intro to To-Up Socks (Kate Atherley)

___ Sat. May 2 1-4: Elizabeth Zimmerman's Baby Surprise Jacket (Kate Atherley)

___ Sun. May 3: 9-12: Garment Smarts & Simple Alterations (Kate Atherley)

___ Sun. May 3: 1-4: Next Steps for Lace (Kate Atherley)

Number of classes _____ x \$35 (\$45 for non-members) = _____ (Amount enclosed)

*Name: _____

*Email Address (Please Print Clearly!!!) _____

*Daytime Phone number (Cell is preferable) _____

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* **Information Required.** Note: for class registration you must have an email address to receive confirmation. **If you do not have an email address of your own, please list the email address of someone who will forward this information to you.**

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Hyatt for seminar participants at the rate of \$139/night plus taxes and fees.