

KNITTING GUILD OF GREATER BUFFALO
SPRING SEMINAR – MAY 20-21, 2023
MARRIOTT HOTEL, 1340 Millersport Hwy, Amherst, NY 14221

We are excited to announce our Spring Seminar with Michele Lee Bernstein (pdxknitterati.com). Since she began her designing and teaching gig in 2008, she has proven to be one of the most popular teachers at fiber events, primarily on the west coast. Her patterns are beautiful and clever, and she has just published her book on Brioche, “Brioche Knit Love,” to introduce Brioche to the world. Her classes routinely sell out at rates of \$100 or more. The guild is bringing these classes to you at \$35 per three hours of class (\$40 for non-members). Don't miss out on this great opportunity.

Spaces in the classes will be limited.

There are 4 classes: You may register for as many classes as you like. We will register Guild members in order of receipt of your registration as follows:

1. All registrations postmarked or received by Friday, March 31, 2023, from Guild Members, in order of receipt.
2. All other registrations from Guild Members or Non-Guild Members in order of receipt.

REGISTRATIONS WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL

PLEASE NOTE LOCATION: Marriott Hotel, 1340 Millersport Highway, Amherst 14221

Class Descriptions: (Each class is limited to 25 participants)

Saturday, May 20, 9am - 12n Petite Brioche

This is the perfect intro or refresher class for two color brioche. You will work two color brioche in the round, to make a cowl or headband, while learning brioche rib and how to correct mistakes.

Saturday, May 20, 1pm - 4pm: Syncopation

Next step in brioche – two color brioche knit flat, with simple increases and decreases—plus “syncopation” which changes the dominant color for each side. When you are done with this class, you will be ready to cast on Michele’s gorgeous shawl, with the pattern included in your registration fee. <https://www.ravelry.com/patterns/library/syncopation-7>

Sunday, May 21, 9am - 12n: Yo? Yo! Fun and Fancy Elongated Stitches

In this class, you’ll work a sampler of novelty stitches, including the elongated stitches in Aloha Shawlette, Sophie’s Rose Shawlette, Go Tell the Bees, Lucky Star, and Half the Knit Sky. Double and triple wrapping stitches gives you long stitches so you can create lacy effects that are impressive to the eye, but not as hard as they look.

Sunday, May 21, 1pm - 4pm: Favorite Shawl Shapes

Shawls and shawlettes are a great way to show off one or two skeins of very special yarn. This class will tackle how they are constructed by knitting small versions of favorite shapes: Top down triangle, asymmetric triangle, top down elongated crescent, and sideways crescent. Learn these shapes and make up your own shawl!

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Mail (or deliver) your registration with a check made payable to:

The Knitting Guild of Greater Buffalo

to:

Sharon Stern Gerstman
116 Brantwood Road
Amherst, NY 14226

Member Registrations received or postmarked by March 31, 2023 will be given first preference

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Payment enclosed: For Guild Members: \$35 x _____ number of classes = _____

For Non-Guild Members: \$40 x _____ number of classes = _____

*Name: _____

*E-mail Address (please print clearly): _____

*Phone number day of seminar (Cell number preferable): _____

Address: _____

*** Information Required. Note: you must have an email address to receive confirmation and homework/supply list. 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. If you want a printed homework/supply list sent to you, please enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope.**