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JANUARY 2018 UPDATE



Here's to another wonderful year of knitting --
the best is yet to come!

Dear Stitchers,

It's officially "Bundle Up" weather! From sweaters to scarves to mittens to shawls to socks to afghans, winter is the perfect season for knits! Let the rhythmic movement of your knitting needles or crochet hook take you through the longest, coldest, darkest months of the year in cozy happiness. Warm up this winter with hot knitting patterns and gorgeous yarns. Whether you're stepping out or staying in, we'll help you put together head-to-toe looks that are perfectly suited for winter's chill.

We may say it every winter, but it always rings true -- tweedy knits and wooly accessories are delightful to make and to wear. There's something about the warmth, softness and wonderfully unique depth of color and feel of fiber that conjures up being curled up knitting or crocheting by the fireside glow with a mug of hot cocoa (or your favorite beverage). It makes us cozy just to think about it!

Hand-dyed yarns are one of stitching's greatest luxuries. These yarns are distinctive and one-of-a-kind (often abbreviated as OOAK), providing an amazing creative knitting and crocheting experience. Today's dyeing processes are creating beautiful hand-dyed yarns in trendy speckles, half and half, and tonal effects. You will want to explore our large selection from DREAM IN COLOR, DELICIOUS YARNS, and DRAGONFLY FIBERS, with new color palettes arriving almost every week. If you are like us, you will find it hard to pick just one favorite!

Knitting and crocheting helps us escape the weather, kick the doldrums, and get out of a rut. Let's make some winter warmth! Stop in to see us to find out how...

"JANUARY IS WARM UP YOUR WINTER MONTH!"
10% off all purchases of in-stock, regularly-priced
bulky and super bulky weight yarns
throughout January 2018
Hours: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Monday through Saturday

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*** GREAT NEW STUFF ***

The weather outside may be frightful, but keeping warm with our favorite past time is so delightful! It's the year of you and improved -- prepare for re-launch with these goodies...

OK, we've got a lot of winter to go, but now is the time to start working on projects to be done in time to wear transitional knits. Knitscene Spring 2018 (\$7.99, shown upper left) has arrived, with clean, modern, everyday wearable eclectic knits and reliable spring pieces. This is the "Throwback Issue", filled with slammin' 90s knits. The Nostalgic Knit Story revives and re-thinks fashion trends of the late 1980s and early 1990s, looking to pop culture for inspiration. Or, as the editors say: "The 90s called! They want their knits back!" These designs bring back to life bright, fun knits that propels them into today. In the Spring Layers Story, you'll find fiber blends for warmer weather (it *will* happen again and you want to be prepared), light and airy pieces in traditionally feminine colorways, and beautiful lace patterns. "Because spring is a transitional season, it is always nice to have some options for layering that are light enough to carry with you during the day and warm enough to wear after the sun dips below the horizon and the chill sets in". In this issue's technical article, there is fantastic information with excellent illustrations for substituting the magic German short-rows for wrap-and-turn short-rows that makes this particular issue a keeper. It's time to refresh your wardrobe with 16 knits for spring...

Taking its name from the Norwegian word for happiness, LYKKE INTERCHANGEABLE CIRCULAR NEEDLES standard sets are now available in weathered styling indigo (denim blue) and umber (light golden brown) sets (\$125.50). LYKKE uses high quality materials and thoughtful design to produce great-looking, durable, hard-working and impeccably detailed products. These needles are made of smooth, polished hard birch with a beautiful glossy finish that varies with the wood grain. The wood quickly adjusts to your body temperature, so yarn slides smoothly, without much friction or sticking. The tapered tips are long and slender for precise stitchwork, with the needle sizes etched into the black metal endcap. There is a smooth join to the cables, which are very flexible. The standard set includes 5" tips in 12 sizes US 4 - US 17, and comes in a matching denim-look fold-up case with elastic that's perfectly matched to the size of each needle pair. The large storage pocket contains 5 cords (two 24", two 32", one 40"), 4 keys, 2 cord connectors and 4 stoppers. Spare cords are also sold separately. New 24" fixed circulars in gray have also arrived...

ROWAN "Cashmere Tweed" (\$14.50, 25 grams, 96 yards, 80% virgin wool/20% cashmere, CYCA #3) is made of a premium wool and cashmere blend, making it extra special and absolutely stylish. The classic color palette and versatile DK weight make it the perfect choice for classic winter sweaters and accessories (we love it for CHURCHMOUSE CLASSICS Welted Fingerless Mitts and Cowl). It creates an incredibly soft fabric, unlike any other...

The new DREAM IN COLOR green color palette is here! It is a well-known fact that green is the favorite color of Veronica Van, the dye-master genius behind DREAM IN COLOR. These glowing, living, shining greens inspire, and fill us with joy! These shades jump out at you and command attention. They shimmer and dance with the essence of the natural world around us. Our latest arrivals are shown at lower right in "Jilly" (\$22.50, 113 grams, 440 yards, 100% superwash merino wool, CYCA #2). Designed with shawls and accessories in mind, several of our customers are choosing shades from this palette (and the previously-introduced teal and blue palettes) for shawl projects like "Find Your Fade" and "The Girl From the Grocery Store". We're in love with these colors, and are sure that you will be, too...



*** MORE GREAT NEW STUFF ***

With winter's wicked post-holidays blast of frigid weather, we look forward to cozying up in our favorite chair to indulge in some constructive stitching time. It's the perfect time to learn a new knitting technique. Let's tackle the Fair Isle trend! This month's DREAM IN COLOR "Dream Club" is one of everyone's favorite yarns (and our best-selling yarn of 2017), "Jilly With Cashmere"! The great thing about this month's kit is that it is two skeins of contrasting "Jilly With Cashmere" (speckled gray & berry Chesley and solid black plum) that will look great in any shawl or hat pattern. This month's suggested project, and our January 2018 knit along, is a super cute Fair Isle hat and mittens set designed by Rachel Coopey (shown upper right). These accessories "combine geometric colorwork and a stylish cable rib detail with stunning results". Add some colorwork skills to your knitting repertoire this winter!



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Rachel Coopey

We hope that you will join us every Friday in January here at Kathy's Kreations from 10 am - 2 pm for this group project, the continuation of previous KALs, or any other works in progress purchased here. If you can't join us in person, please follow us on the January 2018 shop thread at "We Love Kathy's" on Ravelry...

Our top-selling knitting gadget of 2017 hands-down was FIBER TO FABRIC "Needle Keepers" (\$8.50). Simply insert your circular knitting needle tips into this "magic wand" -- the silicone end will protect your needles, joins and stitches. This device is safe to shove into your knitting bag and move on. Incredibly strong yet lightweight, it holds up to two US size 9 needles. We are among the first yarn shops to introduce the new teal color, just in ...

Our best-selling patterns of 2017 were from CHURCHMOUSE CLASSICS, everything from their "First Projects" knit and crochet collections to a variety of ponchos and accessories. A new arrival for us is the "English Mesh Lace Scarf" (\$6.50), featuring a simple but lovely stitch. A four + four-row repeat and easy-to-see centered stitch alignments make this the perfect pattern for learning to "read" your knitting. It's a relaxing and satisfying knit for accomplished lace knitters, too. You might like to know that this scarf pairs beautifully with the Beaded English Mesh Lace gloves from the "Lace-Back Fingerless Mitts" pattern (\$8.50). A pleasant knit, they make great gifts for feminine and sporty friends alike. These patterns are also both ideal for learning to read stitch charts. A little beading gilds the lily, another new technique to learn. Have you seen our new MIYUKI 6.0 bead selection? They look great on a variety of accessories and especially "enchanted evening" shawls...

New from DELICIOUS YARNS is the "Two-sided Lacy Cowl" (\$64.00 kit, includes pattern and two skeins of yarn), the perfect accessory for any occasion. Splashes of color shine through the lace pattern creating an unusual effect. This simple knit creates such a unique and stylish color, while the clever construction is so much fun to knit. The kit comes in a cute bakery-style box that makes it perfect for gift giving, or to make as a gift...

Grab your needles and hooks and dig into the exclusive new flavors of DELICIOUS YARNS Fresh Baked Yarn Club Winter 2018 (\$99.95, includes three yarns and kit backpack bag). This scrumptious stuff is made up on the coolest new yarn base -- Superwash Merino & Bamboo! You will want to cozy up to "Glazed" in Boysenberry Frosting, as well as brand new "Vanilla Speckles Plus" styling in Snowcone (blue & purple specks) and Popsicle (pink & purple specks). The two suggested patterns for this trio are "Heartland Brioche Cowl" by Linda Stellick (\$6.50 Ravelry Pro download, shown lower left with yarns) and "Echo Cowl" (\$6.00, Ravelry Pro download, shown upper left page 8). Life's just more delicious in the Club...



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*** LITTLE HATS, BIG HEARTS ***

Kathy's Kreations is joining volunteers from around the country and the American Heart Association, in connection with the Children's Heart Foundation, to celebrate American

Heart Month by knitting and crocheting tiny red hats for babies born in February 2018 at participating hospitals. "Little Hats, Big Hearts" honors babies, moms and heart healthy lives in a very special way. Supporters are knitting and crocheting red hats to be given out to thousands of babies during American Heart Month in order to empower moms to live heart healthy lives and to help their children do the same. Together, we are working to raise awareness, provide resources and inspire moms to take their family's heart health to heart while also raising awareness about congenital heart defects.

If you would like to participate, Kathy's Kreations will be collecting hats from now through January 10, 2018. You may use a knit or crochet pattern of your choice. The only specifications are that the hats be made of acrylic or cotton yarn, in a medium to heavy weight, and be machine washable and dryable. Hats will be donated to the Excelsior Westmoreland Hospital Women's Auxiliary, who will send them to the American Heart Association for cleaning, tagging and distribution...

*** KAREN'S RED MOCK CABLE BABY HAT ***

Our thanks to Karen McCullough for sharing her original design hat to raise awareness for congenital heart disease and patients with heart valve problems...

SIZE: to fit newborn 12" head circumference

MATERIALS: US Size 4 & US size 6 knitting needles; approx. 100 yards worsted yarn (Berroco "Comfort" suggested); tapestry needle

GAUGE: 5 sts = 1"

ABBREVIATIONS: K - knit; K2tog - Knit 2 together; P - purl; P2tog - Purl 2 together; pssso - pass the slipped stitch over

MOCK CABLE PATTERN (as seen in Michelle Hunter's *Building Blocks* book)

Row 1 (right side): P2; *k3, p2; repeat from * across row.

Row 2: K2; *p3, k2; repeat from * across row.

Row 3: P1; *slip 1 as if to purl, k2, pssso, p2; repeat from * across row.

Row 4: K1; *p1, yo, p1, k2; repeat from * across row.

Repeat rows 1 - 4 for pattern stitch.

INSTRUCTIONS (worked flat and seamed):

With smaller needles and using long-tail cast-on, cast on 62 stitches -- do not join.

Row 1: K1, *K1, P1; repeat from * across row to last stitch, K1.

Rows 2-7: Repeat Row 1.

Rows 8-11: Change to larger needles and keeping the first and last stitches as K1, work Mock Cable Pattern Starting with row 1.

Repeat rows 8-11 four times.

Decrease rows:

Row 1: K1, *K10, K2tog; repeat from * across row to last stitch, K1.

Row 2: K1, *P 9, P2tog; repeat from * across to last stitch, K1

Repeat Rows 1 & 2 working one less stitch between decreases on every row until 6 stitches remain. Cut yarn leaving 10 inches, thread tapestry needle and pull through the remaining 6 stitches. Fasten tightly. Sew seams using mattress stitch. Weave in ends.

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*** SPRING BUDS HAND TOWEL ***

This handy and useful kitchen accessory was designed by Mary Anne Showers, who graciously shared her pattern with us. Thank you, Mary Anne!

MATERIALS: 100% cotton worsted weight yarn, 2½ - 3 oz.; US Size 7 knitting need ¾" button

ABBREVIATIONS:

Kfb: Knit front and back in same stitch.

KLP (knit, lift & pass): K3, lift first st & pass it over sts 2 & 3.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Cast on 43 sts.

Knit 4 rows. NOTE: Slip 1st st after row 1.

Row 5 (RS): Sl 1, k3 (edge sts), k3, kfb, (k8, kfb) 3 times, k4, (edge sts) k4. (47 sts)

Row 6 (WS): Sl 1, k3, p39, k4.

Row 7: Sl 1, knit across.

Row 8: Sl 1, k3, p39, k4.

Row 9: Sl 1, k3, k2, *KLP, k5; repeat from *, end last rep k2, (edge) k4. (42 sts)

Row 10: Sl 1, k3, p1, *k1, [p1, yo, p1] in next 2 sts, k1, p3; rep from *, end last rep p1, (edge) k4. (47 sts)

Rows 11-14: repeat rows 7 & 8 twice.

Row 15: Sl 1, k3, k6, *KLP, k5; repeat from *, end last rep k6, (edge) k4. (43 sts)

Row 16: Sl 1, k3, p5, *k1, [p1, yo, p1] in next 2 sts, k1, p3; repeat from *, end last rep p5, (edge) k4. (47 sts)

Rows 17-20: repeat rows 7 & 8 twice.

Repeat rows 9-20 until towel measures 12" from cast-on, ending with a WS row.

TOP:

Row 1: Knit 2 tog 12 times, k1, k2 tog 11 times. (24 sts)

Row 2: [K1, p1] 3 times, k2 tog, [p1, k1] 3 times, p1, k2 tog, [p1, k1] 3 times, p1. (22 sts)

Rows 3 & 5: P1, k1 across.

Row 4: K1, p1 across.

Row 6: K2 tog, *p2 tog, k2 tog; rep from * across. (11 sts)

Row 7: K1, *p1, k1; repeat from * across.

Repeat row 7 until narrow part of top measures 3", ending with a WS row.

SHAPING & BUTTONHOLE:

Row 1: K2 tog, p2 tog, k1, yo, k2 tog, p2 tog, k2 tog. (7 sts)

Row 2: K1, *p1, k1; repeat from * across.

Rows 3 & 4: repeat row 2.

Row 5: k2 tog, k1, p1, k1, p2 tog.

Bind off.

Sew button to center of the bottom of wide seed st area.

*** CAPS FOR KIDS UPDATE **

Thanks to everyone who contributed hand-knitted or crocheted hats for our Caring Tree during the holiday season. Our hats were distributed through the Laurel Highlands Knitting Guild who collected 192 items for the Ligonier Service Unit of the Salvation Army. We will continue to accept cold weather items throughout the year like hats, mittens, scarves, socks, cowls, slippers and blankets -- keep 'em coming! Your talents and generosity are greatly appreciated!

*** WHERE'S KATHY? ***

Saturday, January 20 - Sunday, January 21, 2018: Ligonier Ice Fest will feature over 50 ice sculptures on the Diamond / around town, horse-drawn carriage rides, and merchant indoor sales -- it's Ligonier transformed into "Winter Wonderland"! Admire the ice carvings, then stop in at Kathy's Kreations to warm up and shop. Check out our latest yarn arrivals, cute knitting and crocheting tools and other fiber-related pleasantries -- join us for this fun-filled winter event!



Friday, April 6 - Sunday, April 8, 2018: Creative Arts Festival (formerly known as The Pittsburgh Knit & Crochet Festival), the area's premier needlearts Conference and Market, will be held in Hall A at David L. Lawrence Convention Center. Look for Kathy in the Market!

Friday, April 20 - Sunday, April 22, 2018: Kathy's Kreations invites you to join us for our 7th annual Spring Break knitting weekend, hosted and taught by our own accomplished knitter, designer and nationally-recognized instructor Kathy Zimmerman. This workshop is a unique way for knitters to come together, learn from a nationally-recognized knitwear designer and enjoy the camaraderie of fellow devotees. The weekend workshop will feature "Knit To Fit", previously taught at Stitches events by Kathy plus added information on adapting commercial patterns, sizing, and more! If you are not sure how to adapt that beautiful sweater you love to fit your body, Kathy shares her professional designer tips and her "worksheet method" for getting a custom fit worthy of your time and effort! Now, you can truly make it your own! For information on the weekend, please contact Kathy at 724-238-9320 or kathy@kathys-kreations.com to request a flyer and registration details.

*** LOCAL YARN STORE DAY ***

Do you know about the first annual Local Yarn Store (LYS) Day, April 21, 2018? This coast-to-coast event is designed to drive yarn buyers into the brick-and-mortar shops. Think of it as a nationwide yarn crawl. Think of all the benefits that a LYS offers that an on-line store cannot. Touching the yarn, seeing the colors, seeing sample garments and projects and getting personal assistance are in-store experiences that you can't find on the internet. Stay tuned for more information on our plans for this upcoming event, which happens to coincide with our Spring Break 2018!

*** INQUIRING KNITTERS WANT TO KNOW ***

Linda C asks: "Do I start working a stitch pattern chart with the numbers on the right side of the graph?"

Kathy answers: "Stitch charts give a visual impression of how the finished pattern will appear, enabling long, complicated directions to be represented clearly and concisely. Each square represents a stitch and each horizontal line a row. Row numbers are shown at the sides of the chart and represent the BEGINNING of the row. Charts are worked from bottom to top, exactly the way the knitting is formed, and the sequence of the rows is repeated. Symbols are used for each knitting action and appear as they will be on the PUBLIC side of the work. Since symbols are not standardized, ALWAYS refer to the written explanation of the technique, also known as a key or legend.

When knitting flat (back and forth), right-side (RS) rows are always read RIGHT TO LEFT. Wrong-side (WS) rows are always read LEFT TO RIGHT. Please be aware that in a flat knitting chart, the symbols have two meanings -- one for the right side of the work, and another for working the wrong side. When working in the round (circularly), the numbers always are on the right side of the chart and the knitting is worked RIGHT TO LEFT for all rounds. It is a good idea to always review the chart before you begin knitting to become familiar with the symbol meanings...



*** UPCOMING CLASSES ***

Our Building Blocks class series with instructor Karen McCullough continues on **Tuesday, February 6, 2018, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm**. It's not too late to join in on the group. Each month, Karen introduces you to a new skill with a new block from Michelle Hunter's *Building Blocks* book. This month's pattern stitch is mock cable, which inspired Karen to design a tiny red hat for our *Little Hats, Big Hearts* project (see page 4)...

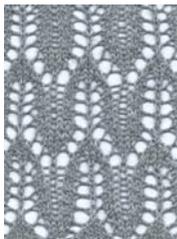
Did you make a New Year's resolution to learn how to crochet? We've got a great "First Project" class for you! Karen Voshall will teach "Crocheted Hand Warmers" on **Saturday, January 27, 2018, from 12 noon to 2 pm**. This class is intended for newer crocheters wanting to get a solid understanding of the basics. The basic mitts pattern is worked in one simple little stitch --single crochet -- and students will learn how to turn a row and keep edges straight as well as finishing. Registration fee is \$20 per class plus student supplies: 150 yards worsted weight yarn (Karen recommends HiKOO "Simplinatural"), crochet hook H/8 (5.0 mm), and purchase of CHURCHMOUSE CLASSICS "Crocheted Handwarmers: 1 Stitch 3 Ways" pattern (\$8.50, shown upper right includes three fingerless mitts projects in one, all using single crochet). Please call 724-238-9320 to reserve your place.

Fingerless mitts are very popular -- what a wonderful accessory to keep your hands warm when working on the computer or texting! Learn to knit cables, working in the round with two circulars at a time and fingerless mitts all in the same class! Marian Lech will be teaching "Fingerless Mitts, With or Without a Cable" on **Saturday, February 3, 2018, from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm**. Registration fee is \$20 per class plus student supplies: 100 yards worsted or lightweight chunky yarn; two circular knitting needles US size 9 in 16" length; US 9 double-pointed needles; pattern will be provided. Please call 724-238-9320 to reserve your space.

*** LACE CLASS SERIES ***

If you love lace, Michelle Hunter's latest installment in her book series, *Building With Lace* (\$20.50), is the perfect next project for you, designed to take the casual knitter to an experienced level. In this book, named one of the top 10 knitting books published in 2017, Michelle has designed a beautiful sampler shawl with nine carefully chosen lace stitch patterns and a beaded border. These lace patterns illustrate essential lace skills such as the provisional cast on, reading charts, increases, decreases, lifelines, afterthought yarn overs, Japanese lace, Russian join, cabling without a cable needle, smocking stitches, Estonian nupps, applied borders, and adding beads. Join our instructor Kathy Erhard as she demonstrates these skills and work along to make your own gorgeous lace shawl as a wearable showcase of your skills. Classes begin **January 20, 2018 from 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm** at Kathy's Kreations, beginning with lace basics (swatch shown lower left) and will be held the third Saturday of each month from **January through October**. The mastery of each skill builds one upon another in subsequent patterns.

Michelle recommends SKACEL HiKOO "Rylie", a gorgeous blend of baby alpaca, mulberry silk, and linen for this shawl. The baby alpaca's inviting softness with mulberry silk's attractive luster and drape combines with linen's distinctive stitch definition to make your shawl stunning. Please choose Michelle's book and your favorite color of HiKOO "Rylie" from Kathy's Kreations (or one of her other select yarns) for this class and bring size US 6 24" circular needles. We now have a large selection of Miyuki glass beads for the border accent (two packs of beads needed for project). Together, we can take your knitting to a whole new level. Registration fee is \$20 per class. Please call 724-238-9320 to reserve your place.





***** CALENDAR OF EVENTS *****

Join the "First Mondays" Club for an evening of knitting, crocheting and fellowship, at Panera Bread Greengate in Greensburg, PA. Next meeting dates are Monday evenings **January 8, 2018 (second Monday)** and **February 5, 2018; 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm.**

***** "KNITTING IN THE AFTERNOON" AT KATHY'S KREATIONS Tuesdays, January 9, 2018 and February 13, 2018; 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm (rsvp please) *****

Join us for stitching & lots of fun conversation. All skill levels of knitters & crocheters are welcome! Please call ahead to rsvp in case of a scheduling change...

***** SATURDAY SIT-N-KNIT January 13, 2018 and February 10, 2018; 10:00 am - 2:00 pm; (rsvp please) *****

Join us at Kathy's Kreations for fellowship and stitching for projects purchased here. Open to all skill levels...

***** FUN FRIDAYS, January 19, 2018 and February 16, 2018; 10:00 am - 2:00 pm *****

Come in for the yarn and leave with friendships! Join our "knitting community" for fellowship, stitching, and how-to's for projects purchased here. Whether this is your first project or your hundredth, this is the place for you to learn, grow and enjoy being with other knitters and crocheters just like you. Please call ahead to let us know you will be coming, as space is limited.

***** JANUARY KNIT-ALONG (KAL) *****

Stop by on Fridays in January from **10 am - 2 pm** (rsvp please) to work on our newest KALs with your stitching friends to cheer you on. This month, we feature DREAM IN COLOR Dream Club project "Divelish" Fair Isle hat and mittens -- as well as WIPs from previous KALs. Not working on the KALs? You are still welcome to come -- simply bring any knit or crochet project purchased at Kathy's Kreations and join the group (free!). Follow us on "We Love Kathy's" Ravelry group January 2018 thread...

***** "BUILDING BLOCKS" TUESDAY February 6, 2018, 10:00 am - 12 noon *****

***** "BUILDING WITH LACE" Saturday, January 20, 2018, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm *****

Master lace knitting one technique at a time! Join instructor Kathy Erhard on the third Saturday of each month beginning in January 2018 for a skill-building series based upon Michelle Hunter's phenomenal book *Building With Lace*. Each class will focus upon a technique to broaden your understanding. The sessions include classic favorites, original designs, and even some beading. See details on page 7...

***** "CROCHET HANDWARMERS" SATURDAY January 27, 2018, 12 noon- 2:00 pm *****

***** "KNITTED FINGERLESS MITTS, WITH OR WITHOUT A CABLE" SATURDAY February 3, 2018, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm *****

Private knitting and crocheting lessons available by appointment. Learning to knit or correcting mistakes are not the only reasons to have a one-on-one tutoring lesson. Learn new techniques like lace or short rows, or get help with a pattern before starting -- our instructors can do it all! Additional group classes are forming -- ask us for details. We would be glad to do a specific class topic for groups of 4 or more. Kathy's Kreations has been the helpful hands of experienced knitting for more than 37 years!

Best wishes for a happy, healthy New Year filled with lots of yarn, projects on gauge and happy stitching, of course! **KEEP KNITTING AND CROCHETING!** Kathy