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OCTOBER 2013 UPDATE



Dear Stitchers,

Here in Ligonier Valley we have officially crossed into autumn. If there is one thing to look forward to every year around this time, it's the slowly falling temperatures giving way to the changing leaves. That period of time when the leaves change is so brief, so magically impermanent, and yet it defines the season in color and mood -- long shadows, seasonal foods & flowers, and a rainbow of burnt colors supplying the richest of palettes. The local landscape is ablaze with majestic, vivid foliage -- Mother Nature is providing us with some beautiful color inspiration. This is the prettiest autumn in recent memory -- come visit us and experience the beauty first-hand! Fall stitching is calling YOU!

What's new for fall? Our current collection embodies the feeling of the season so perfectly, there's truly no better way to usher in the Fall! Think interesting stitch patterns and techniques, colorwork, cables and lace in various shapes and silhouettes; oversized to fitted, cropped to long. Some of the popular current and upcoming trends in the fashion world include geometric and animal prints, chevrons, stripes of all kinds, sheer and mesh stitches, as well as colorblocking. Hand-knit and crochet home decor items are also a hot trend right now.

We hope that you will stop by soon to see our new stuff, to explore, to try, to learn, to ooh and to aah. It's fall again -- a great time to be a knitter or crocheter!

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*** GREAT NEW STUFF ***

It's fall again -- time to update your wardrobe with rich colors, fresh designs and hand-crafted details that are as one-of-a-kind as you are! Enjoy knitting and crocheting cozy comforts -- scarves, sweaters, shawls, hats, mitts, socks, and home decor. Bright, colorful yarns and notions can bring moxie to your stitching. Beads and sequins shine this season in some glamorous yarns, while a rich blend of materials keep things on the sophisticated side. Shimmers and metallics are tastefully done this season, understated and elegantly wearable...

Twice a year, INTERWEAVE publishes a special issue, *knit.wear*, which aims to feature innovative and thoughtful knitwear -- sweaters that fit a clean, contemporary aesthetic while also pushing the edge of technique. What can they do with the same stitches, the same movements, that's new? You'll be pleasantly surprised with the fall/winter 2013 issue (\$14.99). These designs take a dramatic element and arranging it in a dramatic way, while also designing garments that are modern and wearable. The knits reflect relaxed luxury, interesting shapes, intriguing stitches and innovative techniques -- cast-ons, short-rows, double knitting, and more.

We also enjoyed the article on how to handle pilling problems with yarns -- did you know that alternating knits and purls such as in seed stitch will help defend your fabric against pilling? Our favorite project is perhaps the simplest. The textured garter stitch shawl (shown upper left) with its semi-circular construction shape and luxurious drape caught our eye. Other features include color blocking for every body -- lessons in color theory, proportion and placement. Luckily, by following a few simple rules, you can make this hot trend work for you, no matter what your body type may be...

INTERWEAVE *Crochet* Fall 2013 (\$6.99) explores new paths in gorgeous crochet cables, stoles, colorwork tricks, surface single crochet and crochet buttons to help you create 19 instant favorites. There is the cozy boyfriend cardie, and accessories such as bags, cowls and shawls to keep you in the loop. Enhance your crochet experience with the right tools -- get hooked by matching the tool to the technique. There is a great tutorial in this issue on methods for changing to another ball of yarn, whether the same color or a new color. This is one of the most frequently asked questions here, and the illustrations are very well done. Our favorite project is the Perspective Purse, in which horizontal lines of color collide with diagonal lines of stitches for a snappy shoulder bag...

Knit Simple Holiday 2013 (\$6.99) has you covered with 60+ gift-list ideas, peppy housewares to use year-round, and other knitting goodies. These items will cover not only your winter holiday gift-giving list, but birthdays and other special occasions as well. Most of the projects are shown in multiple color combos, stitch patterns or silhouettes. For example, if you want to make the hat in the "Family Tree" story, you'll find three color options and three different sizes. By changing color palettes, many of these designs become multi-seasonal. They've peppered up this issue with gifting tips -- tucking a pair of theater tickets into a pocket, for example. Our faves are the knits for the nursery -- bunnies, booties and cuddly softies for babies, although the yoga socks are a close second...

INTERWEAVE introduces *The Unofficial Downton Abbey Knits* (\$14.99) with 27 inspired knitting projects for Upstairs, Downstairs & The Troops. There are gorgeous vintage-look garments for the ladies, sporty attire for the men (like the Cricket Vest, shown right), special-day fashions, and a kimono & hat for an English Garden Wedding. Each design is as appropriate today as it would have been in the early twentieth century. Whether you want to dress up or down, dine in elegance or in the kitchen attend the opera or a county fair, the patterns in these pages will provide you with infinite options...



*** MORE GREAT NEW STUFF ***

A reflection of your personality, your knitting bag can be as important as the project you're making. We have some new divinely simple ways to keep your stuff in its place. Oh, Snap! mesh bags from NAMASTE have your organizational needs covered -- without concealing their contents. The sturdy snap closures unfasten as needed so working yarn or tape measures can pull out freely. Available in sets of sizes small, medium and large (shown upper right in new neon shade pumpkin spice) or XL and XXL, at \$19.50 per set. Also available in new Hollywood Pink, Charcoal, Eggplant and Red. Your notions never had it so good! NAMASTE's "Jemma Pouch" (\$7.50) is ideal as a notions pouch, makeup storage unit, change purse, you-name-it. It's the perfect size with an easy-to-grab custom zipper pull.



Free standing "Cleo" yarn caddies in vibrant hues and rich textures from DELLA Q (\$40.50) keep you in order whether you're staying or going. The spacious interior houses a zippered and a side pocket for odds and ends; four blousy pockets encircle the exterior. Other new arrivals from DELLA Q include circular and double-pointed cases (\$63.50, trifold, includes 18 pockets for straights / dpns and 9 pockets for circulars), the crochet roll (\$37.50), and the ultimate circular needle case, The Que (\$53.50), all in DELLA's latest colorful leaf print and black/white polka dots...

Our new superwash arrival HiKoo "Simplicity" (\$7.50, 50 grams, 117 yards, 55% merino wool superwash / 28% acrylic / 17% nylon, CYCA #4) is a superb choice for colorwork projects, used by Michelle Hunter for her "Colorworks" afghan workshop project. "Simplicity" is a value yarn that is excellent for afghans, childrens' wear, and anything else that gets daily use. This machine-washable wool blend feels like butter in your hands while knitting but it is a true "work horse" of a yarn...

Outstanding yarns, brilliant designs -- that's what you've come to expect from CLASSIC ELITE throughout the years. Be sure to check out their latest pattern booklet, #9235 "Avant Garde" (\$9.95) with gorgeous classic accessories for fall and beyond in Mountaintop Collection "Vail" (\$9.50, 50 grams, 100 yards, 70% baby alpaca / 30% bamboo, CYCA #4). Another new pattern booklet is "Falling Leaf" (\$9.95) using "Chesapeake" yarn (\$9.50, 50 grams, 103 yards, 50% organic cotton / 50% merino, CYCA #4). The "Pinna Pompom" Shawl design from this collection (shown lower left) is a garter-stitch wrap worked in two directions, with a knitted-on fringe along the lower edge and a row of bobbles along the upper edge...

In our newest childrens' hat book, "Wee Woolly Toppers: 10 Smart Covers for Small Noggins" (\$15.95), hat architect Woolly Wormhead brings her unique style to baby hats. Known for her attention to detail and clearly-written patterns, these designs won't disappoint...

Create one-of-a-kind tights, calf or knee socks using sock yarn remnants with Michelle Hunter's "Sock Opus" pattern (\$6.00). These were the hit of the Friday evening Meet & Greet during Fall Fling weekend! Inspired by Elizabeth Zimmermann's *Nether Garments*, modern sock knitting techniques are used for expert shaping and a perfect fit. These colorful beauties are knit two at a time from the toe up using the Magic Loop or two circular method. Make use of the jogless Stripe and Weaving techniques for easy and professional striping...



New from KNITTER'S PRIDE are Lace Blocking Wires (\$24.95 / set). The set contains stainless steel wires (6 long, 6 short, 3 flexible), 20 T-pins and a measuring tape. Also now in stock are the KNITTER'S PRIDE interchangeable needle points in sizes US 11 - US 19 (price range \$9.95 - \$14.50 depending on size)...



*** KATHY'S DESIGN IS IN A BOOK! ***

Kathy was thrilled to have one of her designs included in INTERWEAVE's "Lace Knitting For Beginners" (booklet, \$12.99). This collection will help you learn how to read lace charts, follow eleven basic patterns, and design your own simple scarf. About Kathy's "Novel Sleeve" (shown upper left), editor Amy Palmer says: "Protect your e-reader or small tablet in a novel way with this pretty cover. Although it is worked up in sport weight cotton, you may find a sport weight wool or wool blend easier to work. A single button finishes it off". This lovely lace cover was inspired by a spa mitt Kathy designed for the 2nd Bedford Springs Knittreat...

*** WHERE'S KATHY??? ***

October 11 - 13, 2013: Fort Ligonier Days; Friday, October 11, 2013, is "I Love Yarn" Day!

November 7 - 10, 2013: Pittsburgh Knit Crochet's KNITTREAT at Bedford Springs Spa & Resort in Bedford, PA. Kathy will be teaching a very special shawl class based on Stephen West's design "Westlake", a top-down shawl featuring bands of garter stitch, stockinette, and twisted ribbing. The twisted ribbing sections zigzag diagonally to create a slightly asymmetrical triangle. For information, visit www.pghknitandcrochet.com or call 412-963-7030.

March 14-16, 2014: Pittsburgh Knit & Crochet Festival at the Four Points Sheraton in Mars, PA just off the Cranberry exit of the PA Turnpike. Kathy will once again be in Market booths #2 & #3. Market hours have been extended: 12 noon - 7 pm Thursday, 9 am - 5:30 pm on Saturday and 9 am - 4 pm on Sunday. This is the 10th year anniversary of the Festival and Debbie Macomber, Nicky Epstein and Lily Chin will be the event headliners. Nicky Epstein's latest book features doll clothing for 18" dolls. Kathy's Kreations will be a drop-off center to collect hand-knit or crochet doll clothes for donation to area children's hospitals. Additional details will be included in future newsletters. And watch for an upcoming doll display in our winter holiday storefront windows. For information, visit www.pghknitandcrochet.com or call 412-963-7030.

*** NEW KNITTING BOOK BY JEAN FROST ***

Jean Frost's expertise with tailored knits, especially jackets, is well known. In her latest book, *Stitches for Tailored Knits* (\$19.95, soft cover), Jean's collection can inspire your own wardrobe of jackets.

Swatching is the process that takes you from stitch discovery through stitch exploration, then on to application and design. This book will help you to build better fabric, using well-chosen stitches and the swatching process as tools for fabric design. Most of the stitches are easy to knit and, due to their small scale, easy to use. Now, you can design your own fabrics!

*** CROCHET ON OUR BOOKSHELVES ***

At this time of year, our "pumpkin patch" of hand-knit and crocheted hats appears in our window and on the sidewalk sale tables at Fort Days. We are always asked about our patterns. This year we have added the following crochet books, featuring many cute styles:

Fans of crochet will love Sandy Power's adorable and fun-to-make patterns in *Baby Crochet* (\$18.95, soft cover). With 20 projects to choose from, this collection for boys and girls includes a range of hats (from a beanie to a newsboy), four cozy cocoons, bunting and baby blankets, a hooded sweater, legwarmers, booties, and four "sets". Sizes range from newborn to 24 months.

Created especially for kids ages 1 to 6, there is *Crochet Cool* (\$19.95, soft cover). The 20 patterns and accompanying full-color photographs include a range of delightful designs for all seasons. From a sweet tankini for the beach to an autumn-themed poncho, the patterns are contemporary and use lively color palettes. The projects include garments for both girls and boys plus accessories such as season-appropriate hats...

*** KNIT THE 2.5 HOUR COWL ***

The 2.5 Hour Cowl, designed by Kat Koeller for KRAEMER YARNS (shown at right), is a versatile garment that allows for endless possibilities in how it is worn, since there are no defined buttonholes. Three skeins of KRAEMER domestic merino wool / acrylic blend "Perfection" yarns plus two hours of knitting time equals one super-fast gift for under \$25. Thanks to KRAEMER YARNS for sharing this pattern.



SKILL LEVEL: Beginner and beyond

MATERIALS: Two skeins KRAEMER "Perfection Chunky" (bulky weight, 120 yards each) and one skein Perfection Lights or Tapas (worsted weight, 120 yards); knitting needles US 19 (circular or straight); tapestry needle for finishing; 4 buttons size 1" - 1.25"

GAUGE: 8 sts / 8 rows = 4"

FINISHED SIZE: 7" X 33" average height individuals; 7" X 40" taller height individuals (instructions in parentheses)

INSTRUCTIONS

Holding all three yarns together (2 chunky and 1 worsted), loosely cast on 13 stitches.

Rows 1 & 3: *Knit 1, purl 1; repeat from * to last st, knit 1.

Row 2: *Purl 1, knit 1; repeat from * to last stitch, purl 1.

Begin seed stitch pattern:

All rows: Slip first stitch as if to knit; *knit 1, purl 1; repeat from * to end of row.

Repeat this row until piece measures approximately 30.5 inches (37.5 inches) in length.

Finished length can be altered by adding or subtracting rows as desired. Work 3 rows of ribbing to match cast-on edge as follows:

Rows 1 & 3: *Knit 1, purl 1; repeat from * to last st, knit 1.

Row 2: *Purl 1, knit 1; repeat from * to last stitch, purl 1.

Bind off all stitches in pattern.

Finishing: Weave in all ends. Sew on 4 buttons on the ribbing portion at the beginning of the cowl as follows: Affix one button into each of the first two purl ridges, then one button each into the last two purl ridges. There will be two middle purl ridges that do not contain buttons.

Styling: Because of the loose nature of the pattern stitch, no buttonholes are needed. This may be worn as a cowl by overlapping the piece. It can be worn as an infinity loop by fastening the buttons to the bound-off edge. Or, it may be crossed over at the middle as shown in the photo.

*** JUDY'S "HEATH" BARS ***

Many knitters are also foodies, and love to snack and share recipes at knit gatherings, especially clever ones that are simple to make. Several of you asked for Judy Voytko's recipe for the candy that tastes like Heath Bars, and she has graciously shared it with us. This candy makes a great hostess or "thank you" gift, too. Enjoy!

Ingredients

1 package saltine crackers (about 40)

1 cup butter

1 cup sugar

1 12-oz. package milk chocolate chips

--- Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Line a jelly roll pan with aluminum foil, making sure there are no holes for liquid to leak out. Lightly spray the foil with cooking spray. Assemble saltines (WHOLE, not crushed) in a single layer over foil. In saucepan, combine sugar and butter and bring to a boil. Boil 3 minutes, remove from heat and pour gently over crackers. Bake in pre-heated oven for 15 minutes. Remove from oven and immediately sprinkle chocolate chips over crackers and wait 1-3 minutes until softened and spread out evenly with a knife. Cool then chill in refrigerator for several hours. Break apart and store in sealed container or jar.

*** ASK AN EXPERT ***

Melissa G asked: "My knitted items never look as good as those I see in your yarn shop. How can I improve the look of my knitting or crochet?" These hints are from two individuals at KRAEMER YARNS who both design and knit professionally. Thank you, KRAEMER ladies!

1. Pay attention to details.
2. ALWAYS do a gauge swatch. This gives you a chance to practice a new stitch. You will be able to determine if the gauge is correct. If the yarn is appropriate for the design, and if you wet and block the swatch, you will be able to check for colorfastness. Do not skimp on the size of your swatch.
3. After beginning the actual piece, check gauge again several times. Do not assume that your gauge will remain the same. Sometimes, stress in your life, removal of stress, familiarity with the pattern will affect the gauge. Sometimes, a larger piece begins to act differently than a small swatch. If you see a change in gauge, STOP and decide how to deal with this. Do not assume that the problem will correct itself.
4. Plan ahead. Leave tails long enough to finish seams if possible. The fewer ends to hide, the better. Effectively hide all ends.
5. When in doubt, rip. If something is not right, it will not improve ten rows later.
6. Block your garment.
To these suggestions, Kathy adds:
7. Do not try to "fudge" something as a fix. Shortcuts do not always work. If you do not understand a technique, look it up or come in for instruction. It is worth an hour or two of your time to take a lesson or class to learn how to properly do mattress stitch seams, assembly, blocking, techniques, etc. This will help you get results that look handmade, not "home-made".
8. Your time is the valuable part of your project. Always use the best materials you can afford, including tools and accessories.
9. When substituting yarns, choose appropriately. Purchase the same weight of yarn as required in the pattern. Some yarns will not give you the same drape or look you desire, even if gauge is not critical (as in a shawl or scarf). If in doubt, purchase one ball, work up a swatch and then decide.
10. Treat your swatch as you would the finished garment to avoid surprises. If the yarn label indicates the yarn is machine-washable and dryable, launder the swatch to see what happens. This will give you a good idea of what your garment will look like after washing.

*** JUST ONE MORE ROW? ***

When knitting stockinette and nearing the end of your yarn ball, if you have at least 3X the width of your row remaining, you should have enough yarn to complete another row. Or, when coming close to the end (knowing you have enough for at least one row), fold your remaining yarn in half and tie a loose knot. If you reach the knot before you finish the row, there will not be enough for working an additional row...

*** WHAT IS 'I LOVE YARN' DAY? ***

Whether you knit, crochet, craft or just adore fiber, October 11, 2013 is the national day to declare your LOVE for yarn; it is "I Love Yarn Day!" Knit it, crochet it, weave it, spin it, felt it, carry it, stitch it, give it or bomb it!

Yarn is the foundation for many needlearts so this day offers the opportunity for everyone to participate by getting creative and finding ways to celebrate with others that share the passion for yarn and the needlearts. It is a great way for us to connect with each other. On Friday, October 11, 2013, simply tell us "I Love Yarn!" when you are making your purchase and receive a 10% discount on all regularly-priced yarns in stock. Let's all have fun with this!



*** ANNOUNCING PLANS FOR SPRING BREAK ***

Kathy's Kreations invites you to join us on April 25 ~ 27 2014 for our **3rd annual "Spring Break" Knitting Workshop Weekend**, hosted by Kathy Zimmerman.



Margaret Fisher, nationally-recognized knitting instructor and author of "Seven Things That Can Make or Break A Sweater", will teach a twelve-hour workshop at the Ramada Inn in historic Ligonier, PA. The weekend will kick off with a Meet & Greet with Margaret on Friday evening. On Saturday, Margaret will teach a six-hour class "A New Slant on Vests" (photo lower left). On Sunday, Margaret will teach "Superb Seams" in the morning, followed by "Demystifying Set-In Sleeves" in the afternoon. The weekend package include an after-hours knitting pizza party or Soup & Sliders and special shopping time at Kathy's Kreations (Friday evening); an informal meet & greet on Friday evening to get acquainted; morning coffee breaks and two lunches at the Ramada; classes Saturday and Sunday; extended lunch break on Saturday with time to shop in the pretty little town of Ligonier and goodie bags. The price is \$275 per person, with early bird registration of \$225 before January 31, 2014.

Overnight lodging is not included and is optional for local participants. The Ramada has set up a special rate for us, so please make your own reservations by calling 724-238-9545. Space is limited on a first-come, first-served basis, so please e-mail or call 724-238-9320 and send a check for the full amount to Kathy's Kreations. Attendees will receive a 10% discount on all regularly-priced knitting supplies and yarn all weekend.

*** OCTOBER KNIT ALONG ***

We've kicked off the knitting season with Michelle Hunter's outstanding "Colorworks" Workshop afghan during our recent Fall Fling weekend. It was great to knit a "sneak preview" of Michelle's next book, set to arrive in January (contact us to hold a copy for you to purchase as soon as it is available).

Join us this month for another Michelle Hunter Knit Along! We will be working on a beautiful colorwork cowl featuring four colors of our "KeNZie" yarn. HIKOO "KeNZie" (\$8.95, 50 grams, 160 yards, 50% New Zealand merino wool / 25% nylon / 10% angora / 10% alpaca / 5% silk noils, CYCA#4, shown on page 6) may just be the perfect tweed, with yummy colors and superior softness. New Zealand merino, angora and alpaca lend softness and body, nylon lends strength and silk noils contribute delicate texture and color accents. The smooth, round 3-ply yarn knits into a cohesive fabric that blooms when wet blocked. The angora haze is just fuzzy enough to lend a cozy feel, but not so fuzzy that it will obscure stitchwork.

Our cowl can be knit in size small (four skeins will yield a cowl up to 32") or large (eight skeins, 2 each of four colors), for the season's must-have infinity scarf 60" - 68" to wear fashionably doubled. Just in time for holiday knitting! We've got all the colorways available now. Additional supplies include US size 7 and size 8 circular knitting needles, stitch markers or coil-less safety pins, size g Or H crochet hooks and waste yarn. Simply visit www.knitpurlhunter.com on Thursday morning October 3, 2013, after 9 am Eastern time for the first set of instructions. The next set of directions will follow on each subsequent Thursday. We will meet at Kathy's Kreations on Fridays, October 4, October 18, and October 25, 2013 to knit along and also post our progress on Ravelry group "We Love Kathy's". Please join us on Ravelry if you can't make it in person...



*** KNITTING TIPS AND TRICKS ***

From Lily Chin: hold your work up to lamp / light or sunny window to find a dropped stitch or to view lace work. Also works with fuzzy, boucle or novelty yarn to see stitches to measure gauge...

A Christmas ornament storage box is a great organizer for sock yarn stash. The



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

Join the "First Mondays" Club for an evening of knitting, crochet and fellowship, at Panera Bread Greengate; Greensburg, PA. Next meeting dates are Monday evenings **October 7, 2013** and **November 4, 2013; 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm**. All skill levels of knitters and crocheters welcome!

***** "KNIT KNITE" AT KATHY'S KREATIONS Tuesday evening, October 8, 2013 and November 12, 2013; 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm (rsvp) *****

Join us for an evening of stitching & lots of fun conversation. All skill levels of knitters & crocheters are welcome! In the event of nasty weather, please call ahead to make sure we are meeting...

***** FUN FRIDAYS, October 18, 2013 and November 15, 2013; 10:00 am - 2:00 pm *****

Join us for fellowship, stitching, and how-to's for projects purchased here. Please call ahead to let us know you will be coming, as space is limited. All skill levels of knitters & crocheters are welcome!

***** SATURDAY SIT-N-KNIT *****

Come sit 'n knit! We will be gathering at Kathy's Kreations on Saturday mornings **October 19, 2013 (3rd Saturday because of Fort Ligonier Days)** and **November 9, 2013; 10:00 am - 2:00 pm**. Join us for fellowship, stitching, and how-to's for projects purchased here. Please bring your knitting, crocheting and any projects to show and share. Open to all skill levels...

***** BUILDING BLOCKS CLASS SERIES WITH LISA CARNAHAN *****

The ssk decrease is important because it is used in so many of today's lace and sock patterns. Mastery of this stitch will encourage knitters to venture onto more challenging projects. We have had such an overwhelming response to this series that we now have two groups meeting on **Saturday, October 19, 2013, at either 10 am - 12 noon, or 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm**. It's not too late to join the group. Fee is \$10 per session, purchase of yarn for project, and a one-time purchase of the "Building Blocks" booklet by Michelle Hunter.

***** FALL KNIT ALONG *****

Our Fall Knit Along with Michelle Hunter begins in October. Our first set of mystery instructions for a colorful cowl will be posted at www.knitpurlhunter.com on Thursday, October 3, 2013, at 9 am Eastern Standard time and each Thursday morning in October. We will meet here on **Fridays October 4, October 18, and October 25, 2013** from 10 am - 2 pm (rsvp please). There is no charge to attend but you must purchase project yarn at Kathy's Kreations.

***** FORT LIGONIER DAYS *****

It's the "homecoming" event of the fall! Fort Ligonier Days commemorates the Battle of Fort Ligonier with a town-wide celebration featuring merchant's sidewalk sales, food booths on the Diamond, arts & crafts, a fantastic parade and other fun events. Join us for our "Early Bird" sidewalk sales (outdoors, weather permitting) on Thursday October 10, Friday October 11, Saturday October 12, from 9 am - dusk, and Sunday afternoon October 13, from 12 N - dusk.

Private knitting and crocheting lessons available by appointment. 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 over 33 years !

Rare things are in store and every day is "We Love Knitters & Crocheters Day" at Kathy's Kreations. Need a fiber fix? Stop in soon for a fall fling. KEEP KNITTING AND CROCHETING! Kathy