

# Cowgirl Yarn

*Yarn, Books, Notions, Patterns, Classes & Gifts*

## **Where to Find Us:**

115 Iverson Avenue  
Laramie, WY 82070  
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## **Shop Hours:**

Mondays	7pm–9pm (During Community gatherings) <i>Bring your project and join us for a cup of tea!</i>
Tues. – Fri.	10:30 am – 6 pm
Saturdays	10 am – 5pm
Sundays	by Appointment

## *Class & Workshop Information*

To sign up for any of the classes or workshops, contact Cowgirl Yarn at 307-755-YARN (9276). Many of our classes fill up quickly. To guarantee you have a space, payment is required at registration. We consider your enrollment a commitment to take the class. We order supplies and make a commitment to the instructor based on your registration. Minimum of four people per class is required for class to be held unless otherwise noted. We understand that life can change and the need to cancel a class may arise. If you need to cancel we will refund if space in class can be filled. A full refund will be made if Cowgirl Yarn cancels the class. In consideration of the reasonable price charged for classes, we request that all materials be purchased from Cowgirl Yarn. Enjoy 10% off materials bought at Cowgirl Yarn for class projects.

Our knowledgeable employees are always happy to help you with brief questions on your project. In order to better serve all of our customers, if you require further help, we suggest that you schedule a private session with one of our instructors. This will give you the individual attention you would like, and save time in the long run.

### **Individual Instruction - Knit & Crochet**

Perfect for help with patterns, learning to finish garment's or a quick refresher

1 person, 1 hour \$15; 1 person, 2 hours \$25

2 people, 1 hour \$25; 2 people, 2 hours \$45

## *Knitting Classes with Katie*

### **Beginning Knitting**

4 sessions \$50; 1 session \$15

Begins Monday June 1, 5:30 – 7:00 pm

Knitting is a great way to have fun and relieve stress. And, you get something yours and unique at the end of each project. If you have been thinking how much you would love to create your own treasures for yourself and others now is the time to learn this ageless craft! Join Katie each Monday evening and learn the skills you need to tackle any project. Below is the schedule of skills we will cover each week. If you've got some of the basics down, just drop by on the evenings you need.

**June 8** – Getting started. We will cover casting on and knit stitch and select our project for week 3.

**June 15** – Taking it to the next level. We will learn purl stitch, yarnovers (yo), knit two together (k2tog), make 1 (m1), slip slip knit (ssk), and pass slip slip over (pss0)

**June 22** – Getting knitty with it. We will start our project and learn how to read a pattern. We will also discuss gauge, yarn weights, and how to modify patterns.

**June 29** – Finished! We will learn how to cast off and finish our projects. We will also discuss blocking, sewing seams, and answer any final questions.

### **Friday Night Happy Hour**

June 26th 6-8 pm

July 31st 6-8 pm

Come knit to celebrate the end of the week. Each week will have different yarns out for you to sample if you like, or bring your own project and knit with great company!

### **PROJECTS!**

Learn new techniques while completing a project. How do you beat that?

#### **Lace Washcloth**

Thursday, June 11th

6:00 – 8:00 pm \$20

Dreaming of a gorgeous lace shawl or open work cardigan, but then looked at the pattern and thought it was printed in gibberish? Now is the time to learn the skills. Before you know it you will be whizzing through graphs and laughing at the ease in which you k2tog, P2, ssk, kfb, and pss0. And, you'll have a lovely washcloth to pamper your skin at the end of it. Pattern included and adaptable to any yarn.

#### **Cabled Dishcloth**

Thursday, June 25th

6:00 – 8:00 pm \$20

Visions of cabled sweaters dancing in your head? Now is the perfect time to harness your inner cabler and let it out as you make yourself a cabled dishcloth. This class will give you the skills to tackle any cable project you wish to take on. A pattern will be provided and cabling hooks will be available to borrow during the class.



#### **Lucy Bag**

Thursday, July 8th and July 22nd

6:00-8:00 pm \$30

Come and perfect the art of knitting-in-the-round and learn how to machine felt with this fun and easy project. In the first class we will learn how to wield double point needles, increase stitches, and switch to circulars. We will also discuss how to modify this pattern by adding stripes or color work. In the second class we will discuss finishing techniques and felting. For those who finish we will felt their bags in the machine at the shop!

### **Create Your Own Class**

Now you can create your own Cowgirl Yarn class. Simply choose a project or technique and three friends (4 people is the minimum required to create your own class), and we will choose a well suited instructor. The best part is that you get to create a class around your schedule. Prices will vary. Please inquire.



**Katie Boysen** has been working at Cowgirl Yarn since January of this year, but has been a friend of the store since its opening. Katie has been knitting for almost a decade! She started knitting thinking that she could make her whole family inexpensive, handmade blankets for Christmas. Boy was she foolish! But since her naïve beginnings she has truly developed a passion for expressing herself through her knitting. Lace and two-colored mittens are her favorite projects! Katie loves to teach others how to work the sticks and explore their own creativity through this form of art. Come and join her!