



# San Diego North Coast Knitters Guild

San Diego, CA ♦ [www.SanDiegoKnitters.com](http://www.SanDiegoKnitters.com) ♦ Number 250 November 2018

General Meeting: Tuesday, November 6 ♦ 12:30 -2:30 pm

Temple Solel, 3575 Manchester Ave., Cardiff, CA 92007

## Programs, Carol Myers & Karen des Jardins,

[Programs@SanDiegoKnitters.com](mailto:Programs@SanDiegoKnitters.com)

### Nov. 6: Susan B. Anderson

"Stash Changing Moments"



Join designer Susan B. Anderson for a fun-filled talk about all things knitting! She will cover some of the questions most commonly asked of her and offer some tips for getting started as a knitting designer. Susan is also a well-known author. Several of her best-selling books are Itty-Bitty Toys, Itty-Bitty Hats, Topsy-Turvy Inside-Out and much more. Read more about Susan's program at the [guild's website](#) and visit [Susan's website](#) to see all of her designs and publications.

Susan will be teaching four workshops on Wednesday and Thursday. Click on a title to see details including skill set, homework, supply lists and registration information. **Note the special times for Thursday's workshops.**

Wed 11/7, 9 am – Noon

**Egg to Owl:** This clever Egg to Owl toy starts as an egg and when turned inside out becomes the sweetest little owl.



Wed 11/7, 1 – 4 pm

**Top-Down Seamless Dolls:**

Knit an adorable folk-style doll seamlessly and from the top down. Make Mary, Millie or Morgan!



Thurs 11/8, 8 – 11 am

**Exploring Shawl Shapes**

**& Design:** Learn how to design your very own shawl in one of 10 selected shawl shapes.



Thurs 11/8, 12 – 3 pm

**Sheep!** Seriously fun sheep knitting. Make one



of 3 popular designs for a nursery, a holiday gift, or make one just for you!

## President's Message

Mary Brown & Laura Brubaker, Co-Presidents  
[President@SanDiegoKnitters.com](mailto:President@SanDiegoKnitters.com)

The Guild's calendar year is drawing to a close and I remember all of our interesting speakers and guests. I hope you enjoyed the variety and talents of all. We end our Program schedule with Susan B. Anderson on November 6<sup>th</sup>. This promises to be a spectacular program. I hope many of you will take advantage of the opportunity to learn from a well-known designer. I know I will be taking several of her classes.

I hope to see many of you at the Holiday Luncheon. We will be competing against one another for the best Opportunity Drawings!

Laura Brubaker, Co-President



## Nominating Committee Report

The following slate will be presented at the November General Meeting.

President:	Tina Rounsavell
Vice President:	Sydney Wauson
Secretary:	Mary Van Orsdol
Treasurer:	Carol Myers
Programs:	Sue Zois & Laura Brubaker
Webmaster:	Kerry Nare
Newsletter:	Bobbie Brunson
Librarian:	Scarrain Gomes
Philanthropy:	Ginny Newton
Retreats:	Winter Tatum and Maja
Membership:	Nancy Nevin
Holiday Luncheon:	Willa Cather, et al
Stash Sale:	Lou Wanna Katz
Photographer:	Stacy Mann
Name Tags:	Peggy Redler & assistant
Members Teaching	Maria Hoham and
Members:	Thea Lazarevic
Webmail:	Barbara Levin
SD County Fair:	To be determined

Respectfully submitted by Nancy Nevin and Freddie Cusack



These Australian men are avid knitters - [find out why!](#)

While you're at it, learn more about the [Jumpers and Jazz Festival](#) in Queensland (left). Every July, you'll find yarnbombing, charity knitting, lots of shopping, food, music, and more. Photos Courtesy of Warwick Daily News.

## Minutes *Mary Van Orsdol, Secretary, [Secretary@SanDiegoKnitters.com](mailto:Secretary@SanDiegoKnitters.com)*

Minutes of the General Meeting  
Tuesday, Oct. 9, 2018  
Temple Solel

Co-President Laura Brubaker called the meeting to order at approximately 12:30 pm. Laura reminded everyone to silence their cell phones. She then introduced Programs Co-Chair Karen des Jardins.

Programs Co-Chair Karen des Jardins introduced speaker Timothy Hinchliff, who spoke about "Yarn Painting: A Folk Art Tradition." Timothy described Huchichol yarn painting. (See photo, right) After the presentation, Laura Brubaker conducted the business meeting.

**Library:** Library Co-Chair Scarrain Gomes encouraged members to take the classes offered by Susan B. Anderson in November. Scarrain showed several books by Susan B. Anderson that she had checked out from the public library. She explained that the Guild's copies of the Susan's books have disappeared. She asked members to return books they may have accidentally taken without having officially checked them out.

**Programs:** Programs Co-Chair Carol Myers described the classes that will be offered by Susan B. Anderson in November and encouraged members to sign up.

**Philanthropy:** Philanthropy Chair Ginny Newton reported that the Guild is now contributing to one of Temple Solel's charity efforts called Bundles 4 Babies. She announced that the Guild's final "knit a block" meeting will be held next Wednesday, October 17, at Panera's in San Marcos; check the website for details.

**Holiday Luncheon:** Karen des Jardins provided an update on the new reserved tables system. The luncheon will be held on Monday, December 3, and reservations are required. Members can download the Holiday Luncheon Reservation Form from the website. Willa Cather encouraged members to sign up for the fashion show. Members are asked to download the 2018 Fashion Show Sign-up Form from the website, complete, and return it by Saturday, November 24.

Following Show & Share, Co-President Laura Brubaker adjourned the meeting at 2:10 pm.



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## San Diego North Coast Knitters Guild General Information

Membership in the Guild is open to everyone regardless of your craft. Membership expires January 31. Dues are \$25 annually. Here is a printable [membership form](#). Send all articles for the newsletter by the 15th of the month to: [Newsletter@sandiegoknitters.com](mailto:Newsletter@sandiegoknitters.com). Short articles relating to knitting or crocheting in general, and the San Diego North Coast Knitters Guild in particular, are encouraged. Notices and announcements of a commercial nature may be placed as paid advertisements. Send an email to the above address for rates and more information.

## Philanthropy

Ginny Newton, Philanthropy Chair  
[Philanthropy@SanDiegoKnitters.com](mailto:Philanthropy@SanDiegoKnitters.com)

**At the October Guild meeting someone donated a beautiful red knitted blanket. If that someone is you, please contact me via email or phone.**

We held the final Knit-a-Square event Wednesday, October 17, at the Panera in San Marcos. It was a great group and we got started on some lovely squares. We will soon be ready to use them to assemble more blankets for Project Linus. This project will continue into 2019, so don't despair if you couldn't make it on the 17<sup>th</sup> or haven't knitted your square yet. There is always time.

With the holidays coming, we will all be super busy. But if you have a few spare minutes and don't want to start a major project, knitting a simple 12-inch square, a scarf, a hat, or even a wash cloth, won't take up much of your time or yarn. These items are needed – we can find a home for all of them. And don't forget, we have free yarn and patterns available at all meetings. (Or if you contact Philanthropy, we can make arrangements to get them to you.) Best wishes for an enjoyable Autumn!



Australian software engineer Sarah Spencer created a massive map of the constellations on a knitting machine. See more [photos and read the article](#).

## Bust Buddies News from Eileen Adler:

November is the deadline for 2018 Bust Buddies donations. One person's name will be drawn as the grand prize winner of the wooden swift. A second-place prize will also be awarded. YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO ACCEPT YOUR AWARD. There will be a few other surprises in store for participating members. Thank you, one and all for making this such a successful experience. By the time you read this, I will have participated in two walks for breast cancer: Making Strides for Breast Cancer, hosted by the American Cancer Society and Susan G. Komen's Race for the Cure, where I handed out over 12 dozen pairs of Bust Buddies. This was quite a feat that would never have been accomplished without the support from everyone. My wish is to cure this disease, but barring that, Bust Buddies make the journey more palatable for so many women. Our new campaign will start again in January 2019.



## Membership

Nancy Nevin, Membership Coordinator  
[Membership@SanDiegoKnitters.com](mailto:Membership@SanDiegoKnitters.com)

2018 has been a terrific year for our Knitting Guild! Several new members joined in the second half to take advantage of events that are available only to members in good standing. The Program Coordinators, Karen des Jardins and Carol Myers planned a wonderful year of workshops with a variety of guest speakers. There has been "something for everyone," including programs by several icons in the knitting world – Barry Klein, Lily Chin and Susan B. Anderson, who is arriving in November. I hope you took advantage of the opportunities we have had to attend a workshop with some of these fabulous instructors. Personally, I mark my calendar in January for the Guild dates I don't want to miss, and I try to schedule other trips and events so I can attend more workshops. (We knitters have our priorities.)

Through our fundraising and membership strength, the Guild is able to offer workshops for a fraction of the cost charged at Stitches and Vogue Knitting events. And isn't it more fun to attend with your local knitting community of friends? I also want to alert you that the membership form for 2019 will appear in the December newsletter and website along with additional information you will require. Your current dues do not expire until January 31, 2019, so sit back and catch up on some knitting.

You may also want to check the website for information about our many sub-groups in your area that you may want to attend. Sub-groups meet all around San Diego County at different times and are another exclusive benefit of membership. They give you a wonderful opportunity to meet and share with other members in a casual setting to exchange knitting ideas.

## Show and Share



Wendy Hovis' Beeline Shawl is by designer Amanda Sheuzger. This was a test knit before the pattern was released. It is an asymmetrical shawl with slip stitch cables, garter stitch, and lace. Lots of good notes and photos on Wendy's [Ravelry page](#).



Linda Berger and Ginny Newton both showed their Building with Lace Shawls, which starts with basic lace and works toward more challenging stitch patterns. The designer is Michelle Hunter and the yarn is HiKoo Rylie (50% baby alpaca/25% mulberry silk/ 25% linen).



## Show and Share



Lois Chaddock's Rhombulus Shawlettes are a great sock yarn and DK yarn stashbuster, and it's [FREE!](#)



Sheila Kirschenbaum's Jalousie top is by designer Susan Gehringer. There were several serious mistakes in the pattern and yet her top looks great.



Sandy Yayanos designed her own shawl, inspired by a Steven Be photo. Her alpaca/wool yarn was from a 2017 luncheon prize basket.



Stacy Mann knit the Gretel top from Cocoknits. She used Habu Textiles N-25 Viscose Sizing Paper, which is 100% flax.



Toni Wong modeled her Oasis Scarf by Shibui Knits. She said the nupps were a challenge. Her top is called Mirage by Sheilla Anderson, knit in Shibui yarns.



Maria Hoham knit the Gavarnie top by Norah Gaughan in Berroco Weekend yarn. She used seed stitch instead of ribbing at the hem.

## Knitting on the Net



Clockwise from top left: Read about [The Magic Yarn Project](#) and the two women who make wigs out of yarn for children undergoing chemotherapy. ♦ Want to try your hand at mosaic knitting without a big commitment? Try the [Home State cardigan](#) from Pam Sluter in Knitty.com' Deep Fall 2018 issue. It's knit from the top down with raglan sleeves. Mosaic colorwork is used at the bottom edges and the pockets are optional. ♦ Knitty.com's First Fall 2018 issue brings us [Millville](#), by Amy Christoffers. The silhouette and yarn choice are perfect for our climate! ♦ [Night Butterfly Shawl](#) from DROPS Design is a good pattern for a knitalong. Get together with your sock yarn leftovers, select your palettes, swap, and share your progress as you go along. ♦ Knit several pairs of short socks in DK weight yarn for quick and easy gifts for the men in your life. [Thuja](#) is a masculine pattern that you can spice up with yarn of his choice. Be sure to post pics of your finished pairs in our Ravelry forum. ♦ [Cleome Hat](#) from Ficolana is a worsted weight pattern with lace and ribbing to keep it interesting. The pattern is written for three sizes and is both charted and written out.

## Membership

Welcome to these NEW MEMBERS who joined in September and October:

### New Members:

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## 2018 - San Diego North Coast Knitters Guild Annual Holiday Luncheon & Fashion Show

### **PRE-PAID -RESERVED TABLE- RESERVATION FORM**

Half of the tables at this year's Luncheon will be RESERVED in advance on a trial basis. There will be a **10% premium** on advanced reservations **in addition to full payment for ALL 10 places** at the table.

**FULL PAYMENT MUST be submitted by one person, who will be the "Table Captain".**

**DEADLINE NOVEMBER 1, 2018, after that date any unreserved tables will be released to the general membership.**

**ALL INDIVIDUAL MEAL PREFERENCES will be coordinated by the "Table Captain" and MUST BE PROVIDED BY NOVEMBER 23, 2018. The \$330.00 reserved Table Reservation form must be submitted on this form to:**

**Karen des Jardins, 729 Passiflora, Encinitas, CA 92024**

Any questions regarding **RESERVED RESERVATIONS** should be directed to **Karen at 760-436-0583**.

**Please make a copy of this form for your records.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
"Table Captain"                  Menu Choice

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
Name                  Menu Choice

3. \_\_\_\_\_  
Name                  Menu Choice

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Name                  Menu Choice

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Name                  Menu Choice

9. \_\_\_\_\_  
Name                  Menu Choice

10. \_\_\_\_\_  
Name                  Menu Choice

The day of the luncheon a separate check-in will be available for the "Table Captains" to pick-up the individual meal tickets for their tables.



**Annual GUILD Holiday Fashion Show & Luncheon**

**Monday December 3, 2018**

**(Reservations MUST be received by Friday November 23, 2018)**

**Arrival:**

**Please do not come before 10:30AM!**

**Drawing Tickets:**

**10:30AM – 11:30AM** Our “Opportunity Drawing” items will be displayed for you to peruse & purchase tickets.

**Lunch Is Served:**

**11:45AM - OPEN seating** with 10 guests per table unless a Pre-Paid table has been reserved.

**Fashion Show & Drawing:** Immediately following Lunch!

**Location:**

**Morgan Run Club & Resort**

5690 Cancha De Golf

Rancho Santa Fe, California 92091

**Directions:**

[www.morganrun.com](http://www.morganrun.com) Phone: (858)756-2471

The Club is located approximately 3 miles EAST of I-5 at the Via de la Valle EXIT or S-6.

**Menu Choices:**

- A| **Salmon Caesar Salad** – Crisp Romaine lettuce w/ Parmesan cheese, crouton rusks, charbroiled salmon & classic Caesar dressing.
- B| **Chicken Salad** - Signature club chicken salad on lettuce with fruit.
- C| **Vegetarian** – Chef’s Seasonal Selection

**On The Table:** Bread, butter & water.

**Dessert:** Chef's surprise dessert!

**Beverages:** Coffee, tea & iced tea will be served at your table. A **CASH** bar will be available for wine, soda, juices and mixed drinks throughout the event.

**Cost:**

**\$30.00 includes tax and gratuity!**

**--Detach Here-----RESERVATION FORM-----Detach Here-----RESERVATION FORM-----Detach Here---**

**Send to:**

**Amy Sheridan 3575 Gaylord Ct. San Diego, CA 92117 phone: (858)610-6521**

**Write your menu choice(s) on the form & your check!**

**Make checks payable to San Diego North Coast Knitters Guild**

**Name of Member:** \_\_\_\_\_

Menu A \_\_\_\_ Menu B \_\_\_\_ Menu C \_\_\_\_

**Name of Guest(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

Menu A \_\_\_\_ Menu B \_\_\_\_ Menu C \_\_\_\_

**PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR PHONE & EMAIL ADDRESS**

Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Direct any questions about the Luncheon or Fashion Show to Willa Cather 657-203-9904.  
ALL CHECKS MUST BE RECEIVED BY November 23, 2018. Please help us by RESERVING early!**



**San Diego North Coast Knitters Guild  
2018 Holiday Luncheon & Fashion Show - Monday, December 3, 2018  
Fashion Show Sign-Up Form**

**Please use a separate form for each item.** Maximum of three items per member.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Item You Are Showing: \_\_\_\_\_

Pattern Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Designer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Source of Pattern: \_\_\_\_\_

Name(s) of Yarn(s) Used: \_\_\_\_\_

Yarn(s) Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Color way(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person modeling or showing the item: \_\_\_\_\_

Helpful hints, suggestions, modifications or comments about the knitting process:

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**Completed forms are due by Saturday, November 24, 2018.**

Please sign-up during the October & November Guild meetings, Knit@Nite meetings or scan & mail to [monsterknit@gmail.com](mailto:monsterknit@gmail.com). If you have any questions direct them to Cally Monster 951-600-2613, 40621 Symphony Park Lane, Murrieta, CA 92562.