

# InterKnit Machine Knitters Guild

## April 2023 Newsletter

All meetings will be held from 10 am- noon CT unless otherwise noted.

**Mark your calendars! Here are the dates for the upcoming InterKnit meetings:**

### 2023 Dates:

April 8, 2023 – Julie Boylan – Seams to be Seen

May 13, 2023 -Christine Welsh – Neck-warmer/hat

June 10, 2023 – Library Day- more to be announced

July 8, 2023 - Favorite Tool/ Favorite Tip

August 12, 2023 - 10 am -1 pm CT - Karalyn Rainey, Top-down Sweater

September 9, 2023 -Mary Jordan – Transfer Tool

October 14, 2023 – Sharon Scalise – Fashion Forecast

November 11, 2023 - 10am - 12:00 pm CT - Rebecca Yaker-Bird --Making Faces

December 9, 2023 -Trish O'Brien - Sesame Street Baby Hat

Demonstrations with dates to be determined:

Julie Boylan – Cashmere pants

### CLUB NEWS

1. Please forward your **show and tell** pictures to Pam Huang at [pamhuang@aol.com](mailto:pamhuang@aol.com) Deadline for Show and Tell submissions is **Friday, April 7 at 6 pm CDT**. All show and tell needs to be related to machine knitting.
2. Attached are the **minutes from the March meeting**.
3. Please forward topics for demonstrations or demonstrators to the Program Committee!
4. **April Member** addendum is attached.
5. **Knit to Give report:** Barb Palmer writes:

Wool-Aid is a charity I support to bring warm woolen clothing and blankets to children in need. Children in need live in very high remote mountain areas, in refugee tent cities and other challenging areas. For them, a warm, dense wool fabric is also flame resistant. Medium to dark colors are preferred because they don't show soil. From infants to teens, the need is for a fabric that's at least 80% wool to make socks, sweaters, vests, mittens, hats, scarves and blankets.

Wool-Aid began in 2008 as a Ravelry group. They are a very active group on Ravelry for knitters, crocheters and weavers. Our items will have a long lifespan, being passed down as they are outgrown. Free patterns are available that conform to Wool-Aid sizes

and provide good coverage - no lace, mesh or v-necks. Also no pompoms, because they add shipping weight but no warmth. For flammability reasons, no acrylic yarn, even as an accent.

More wool donations are always needed. In addition, our local group can always use wool yarns. Wool-Aid appropriate patterns, size charts and measurements are available at

[www.wool-aid.org](http://www.wool-aid.org) or on the Ravelry group's many pages. For more info, contact Barb Palmer, [bpalmer880@gmail.com](mailto:bpalmer880@gmail.com) or 630-606-2461.

### **KNIT NEWS:**

1. The Hillside LK150 Machine Knitting Club is now meeting in person. We are meeting on the 4th Saturday of the month at 10am sharp. Feel free to join then at:  
The Hillside Community Center  
1 North Lind  
Hillside IL
2. Mary Matz has just published the 4<sup>th</sup> video in a Kriskrafter Garter Bar Series on the LK150. Here's a link to the video playlist:  
[https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL8hkSHdl\\_vx6rL4NWAMqHNZx89fofEzel](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL8hkSHdl_vx6rL4NWAMqHNZx89fofEzel)  
Here is the link to the latest video: [https://youtu.be/Apk7IE\\_Yyts](https://youtu.be/Apk7IE_Yyts)

**FOR SALE/WANTED:** None this month

### **OTHER RESOURCES:**

#### InterKnit Links:

Interknit website - <http://www.interknitmk.org/>

InterKnit Machine Knitters Facebook Group:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1387248608130275>

#### Podcasts, Blogs and Channels:

Julie's Podcast: <http://handymachineknitting.libsyn.com/>

Diana Sullivan blogspot is: <http://diananatters.blogspot.com/>

Garment Designer Webinars: <http://www.cochenille.com/events/category/webinars>

Susan Guagliumi's blog: <http://susanguagliumi.com/>

Ask Jack's favorite chemicals, [click here](#) for the link!

Mary Matz's [TwistedYarns.com](http://TwistedYarns.com) or you can go to her YouTube channel at [@Twisted Yarns](#)

#### Repairs:

JScott Knit Services, Knitting Machine Cleaning and Repair, Justin Scott at 331-321-9256 or [jscottknitservices@gmail.com](mailto:jscottknitservices@gmail.com)

Shawn in MN does the repairs. His phone number is 507 934 3741.

#### Magazines and newsletters:

Machine Knitting Monthly: Dorothy Rosman's website [www.customknitsmfg.com](http://www.customknitsmfg.com).

Passap Newsletter, [click here](#) for the link!

Other Club info:

[Techknitters](#) meet the first Monday of the month at 10:00 am. CT  
LK150 (Knitting Machine Club) - 4th Saturday of Month, 10am - 3pm CT  
Mkgsd.com (San Diego machine knitters guild)  
[Machine Knitters Flying Free](#)

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Veronica Soltysiak is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: InterKnits Virtual Meeting

Time: Jan 14, 2023 09:30 AM Central Time (US and Canada)

Every month on the Second Sat, 9 occurrence(s)

Jan 14, 2023 09:30 AM

Feb 11, 2023 09:30 AM

Mar 11, 2023 09:30 AM

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Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

Monthly: [https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/tZAvde2oqDsvHtaA0OWktegokpl0rSz8czUs/ics?icsToken=98tyKuGsrDkuGtKVtR2FRpwIAIjoLPTwpmJYgrdcvU\\_KNctHZxL5PfJOYqBMCoDT](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/tZAvde2oqDsvHtaA0OWktegokpl0rSz8czUs/ics?icsToken=98tyKuGsrDkuGtKVtR2FRpwIAIjoLPTwpmJYgrdcvU_KNctHZxL5PfJOYqBMCoDT)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84224060542?pwd=NDV2OW0xS05sbXR4TWZOeTdOcDJYUT09>

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