

InterKnit Machine Knitters Guild

October 2009 Newsletter

October 10th meeting: Features a demo by Diane McQueen on the *"One Piece Teddy Bear"*! This will be worked on an LK150. Everyone with an LK150 is encouraged to bring them for this 15 minute project. Scrap yarn of 3 different colors are use. This is great donation project and a great warm up project for our annual charity knit. We will be meeting in Room 161 of Building K of the College of DuPage at 10 AM. Hope to see everyone there.

YarnCon is coming: This year's event will be held October 17th. They are looking for volunteers <http://www.yarncon.com/volunteers.html> . For those thinking of making a visit here's the vendor link:
<http://www.yarncon.com/vendors09.html>

Stitches! Stirred up some interest in our group as well as vetting out a few former machine knitters. One contact has requested the following ad:
Greetings, my name is F. Shulak. I am a former Machine Knitter and am looking for a good home for the following: Brother KH 940 - \$500.00. Brother Garter Carriage KG93E - \$300.00. Singer Linker DL1000 - \$300.00. Total \$1,100.00. They have all been "gently" used and are in good condition to the best of my knowledge.

I live in Chicago and would prefer to sell them locally to avoid any possible damage in transit (I've heard horror stories about this happening) and would be willing to deliver the goods personally. I would like to sell the three machines as a lot and would like \$1,000.00 for the lot.

Contact: Fred Shulak at thadbear773@yahoo.com

Interknit was also well represented at BTYarn's Inspiration meeting in Cleveland 9/25 to 9/27. Our own C. Scott was an instructor. Her hand's-on room was well attended. We had no less than 12 members in attendance. L. Bushby's Knitter's Edge web-site provided some of the door prizes at the fashion show. Our members also won two of the door-prizes at that fashion show, A/ Keen (youngest in attendance) and C. Krizek, oldest in attendance.

Membership dues will be collected at the November or December meetings. If someone will not be at those meetings, D. McQueen will be available to collect them in October!