



The Arkansas Fiber Fest might be cancelled but we are excited to announce the birth of “The Smallest Fiber Fest in the World”! Hosted by Knittin On The Corner, Knit Unto Others and October House, on Friday September 18<sup>th</sup> and Saturday September 19<sup>th</sup> at Knittin On The Corner, located at 801 Central Ave, Ste 11, Hot Springs, AR, 71901. (501) 623-2001.

#### **VENDORS-**

-Knittin On The Corner will have new fall stock and yarn on sale and will be staying open late for knit nights. Shopping hours will be from 10:30-6, followed by night time knitting and wine (last year we knit until 10pm).

-Claire will be bringing some of her gorgeous fall yarn and fair trade items from her shop up to Hot Springs to expand your shopping variety.

- Knit Unto Others, located in Arkadelphia will be open for those who want to take a drive. Knit Unto Others will be offering a 15% discount for the Fiber Fest Party weekend

-Robin, of October House will be bringing her stunning hand dyed yarn and roving to sell.

-Heather, of Knotty Acorn will be bringing high quality handmade project bags and adorable stitch markers.

#### **CLASSES-**

You asked for classes and we heard you!

Classes will have a maximum of 10 people, first call, first reserved. Classes are \$20 per person, per class. A portion of that fee will go to help pay the cancellation fee for the real Fiber Fest. To register for classes, call Knittin On The Corner at (501) 623-2001.

Friday's schedule will be-

8:30-10:30- Brioche Knitting in the Round- students will need to bring a size 8, 16 inch circular needle or dpns and 2 different colors of worsted weight yarn

Instructor: Heather

11-1 Chart Reading - Students will need worsted weight yarn and size 8 needles

Instructor: Carol

1:30-3:30 Stranded Knitting/Fair Isle – Students will need 2 different colors of dk or worsted yarn and accommodating needles.

Instructor: Kelly

Saturday's schedule will be-

8:30-10:30 Cast On and Bind Off Techniques- Students will need dk or worsted yarn and accommodating needles to make a sample.

Instructor: Peggy

11-1 Spindle Spinning- Students will need a spindle and roving (we will have a limited number of spindles for sale)

Instructor: taught by \_\_\_\_\_ -

1:30-3:30 How to Maximize Ravelry – students will need to bring an ipad, smart phone or laptop to access the internet (we have free wifi)

Instructor: Tiffany

For those who want to stay in town, the Fiber Fest has a block of rooms at the Embassy here in Hot Springs. If you want to reserve a room and receive a discount just for being a fiber lover, contact Andrea at (501) 321-4407 or Diannah at (501) 321-4430 and use the code FIB.

We are extremely excited to be able to do something in lieu of the real Fiber Fest since it was cancelled. Steinhaus Keller, the German restaurant next to Knittin On The Corner has graciously allowed us to use their patio during the day so that we can knit outside. They will be open for dinner if anyone is looking for somewhere local to eat. We invite everyone to come and knit with us and shop or take a class while you are here. We might not be able to have the official Fiber Fest, but that won't stop us from knitting, crocheting or spinning. See you then!