

# Kawartha Hooks and Needles Guild September 2010

Guild meetings are held every second and fourth Thursday of the month at 7 pm, September to June, at St. Alphonsus Columbus Hall. Our President, Charlene Ward, can be reached at 705-749-3053.

## **Upcoming Events**

Waterloo County Knitters' Fair Saturday, September 11, 2010 from 9:30 am to 4:30 pm Bingemans, 425 Bingemans Centre Drive, Kitchener, Ontario Admission: \$5 per person, children under 12 free.

This is the largest event of its kind in Canada. For many years, the Kitchener-Waterloo Knitters' Guild has offered a one-day fair organized "by knitters for knitters" and now presents more than 70 vendors offering the latest and greatest of knitting products. Imagine 35,000 square feet—in 2 large showrooms—dedicated to the craft of knitting, offering an incredible display of a diverse variety of yarns in an explosion of colour, knitting books, patterns, and accessories. Free information and skills seminars are offered throughout the day.

Knit-in spin-in hook-in to celebrate Carolyn McAlpine's Life Saturday September 11 from 2 pm to?
At the Home of Gary Mulcahey, 297 Cramahe Hill Road, Warkworth Admission: \$20 includes dinner, tea, coffee, sweets, Goodie Bag and door prizes Please RSVP to Karen Brown at karen095@sympatico.ca or call 705-924-2742.

The Warkworth knitting group are holding a knit-in spin-in to celebrate Carolyn McAlpine's life. Carolyn was the owner of Bee's Knees. Bring a chair and a mug.

## **Charity Projects Reminders**

Coats for Kids November 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>

Festival of Trees in November 23 to 28

Lap blankets for nursing homes for Christmas

Hannah is collecting milk bags for a charity project. Milk bags are the outer bag and must be clean, dry and non-biodegradable. The bags are used to crochet mats for third world countries.

## Items available through our members

• Buttons: Contact Malcolm at 295-6056 or Mildred at 742-3945

Knitting Needles: Contact Cheryl at 742-9428

• Shawl Pins: Contact Mildred at 742-3945

Sweaters: Contact Sherry at 742-1421

Yarn Skein Winding: Contact Sherry at 742-1421

#### Website

Thanks to Tracy, we now have a website. Check us out at <a href="www.knittingguild.ca">www.knittingguild.ca</a>!

#### **Kenora Métis Warmth and Wellness Group**

The Kenora Métis Warmth and Wellness Group does a lot of good charity work by providing hats, scarves and mittens to schools. They have actively sought out other knitting groups for networking, and connected with Charlene. Charlene has been corresponding with them and is looking forward to showing us pictures and other information about this wonderful group.

### Naz is running Kawartha Yarns from her home

Kawartha Yarns on Kent Street in Lindsay is now closed and Naz is running it from her house. Hours after Labour Day are Tuesday to Saturday 10am – 5pm. If you need her to stay open later just let her know. Her email is knazknitz@gmail.com. Phone number is 705-324-9966. Address is 240 William Street N, Lindsay. William Street runs off Kent which is a main street). At the TD bank and Shoppers lights turn right.

## **Help Wanted**

We need a member to be in charge of the kitchen duties on meeting nights. Duties include: preparing tea and coffee; and cleanup. Let Charlene know.



- Save your receipts for the Community Club Awards
   Program. You can submit your receipts to Sherry
   (southend); Charlene (northend); Mildred (west end) and
   Wilma (east end)
- We'd love to see what you've been up to. Bring in your projects for Show and Tell.