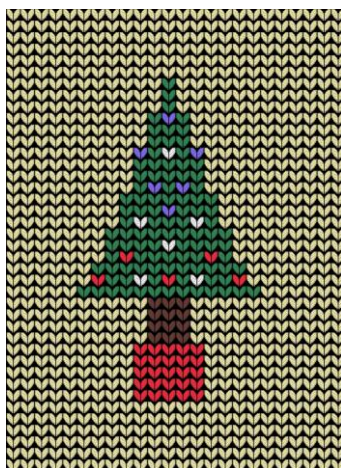
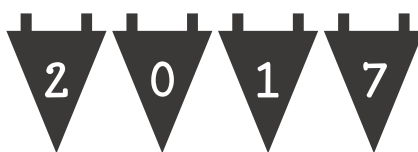


LONG BUCKBY MACHINE KNITTERS



FORTHCOMING EVENTS

CLUB MEETINGS

Today

11th Dec **COMPETITION, DISPLAY and SALES [Free Entry!]**

Including Wendy Piper [Knits'n'Bits].

At this meeting, members are invited to submit an entry [or two] for our annual showcase event, with the chance to be selected by members' secret ballot for the Long Buckby Trophy: the winner keeps the trophy for a year, and retains a coaster for life!

COMING UP:

8th Jan **PATTERNS: availability and issues**

12th Feb **PATTERNS: designing, adapting, using software**

12th March **BILL KING**

9th April **NECKLINES**

- At meetings where we do not have an outside speaker, club members are encouraged to participate: please see Lynda if you would like to demonstrate or show a special technique or item
- Please let us know if you have a special requirement in case of emergency, e.g. a mobility problem which would mean a special arrangement in case of evacuation of the building
- Please also respect the demonstrators and other members, some of whom have hearing impairment, by not talking during the demonstrations. ****PLEASE SWITCH OFF YOUR PHONE!****

WORKSHOPS



ALL WORKSHOPS RUN FROM 1-4 AT LONG BUCKBY COMMUNITY CENTRE. COST £15 TO INCLUDE USE OF EQUIPMENT.

2018 workshops

16th April **BEGINNERS' NECKLINES**

16th July **ADAPTING PATTERNS**

17th Sept **ONE PUNCHCARD, MANY PATTERNS**

OTHER EVENTS

Most venues are having a rest at this time of year, so we will too!

CLUB SERVICES



VOLUNTEERS AVAILABLE AND NEEDED

We offer assistance to new and improving machine knitters. If you would like to volunteer as a Knitting Buddy, please let us know, and we can pair learners with buddies, geographically if possible. If you need assistance, please email Lynda at administrator@longbuckbymk.com in the first instance.



EQUIPMENT HIRE

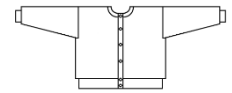
We have a comprehensive list of equipment available for loan, including full machines as well as accessories. See Margaret for details.

We are also setting up a free lending library, and would welcome donations of hardback machine knitting books for this purpose.



PATTERNS

In addition to patterns available in this newsletter and on our website, Lynda is also willing to make bespoke patterns via Knitware for members: these will be available as printouts or pdf files. Form attached for orders, or just let Lynda know the details.



SMALL ADS

WANTED

Machine Knitters needed!

- ❖ Mhairi MacLachlan (maclachlan.mhairi@gmail.com) 07813 897 528
- ❖ Harrison Winter of HCR knits [<http://www.hcrknits.com/>] Contact: info@hcrknits.com
- ❖ Wendy Piper says:
I have someone who is looking for a knitter to make 30/40 bobble hats - adult size please in red/green combination and prefer rib pattern as they will fit most sizes and need asap or by mid January latest. If you can help please email me and I will pass on your details and you can discuss payment. These are for a club so need to be specific shades of red and green and all the same please. email : w.p.piper@talk21.com

BUSINESS ADS

❖ Knits 'n' Bits [Long Buckby]

We buy and sell used [serviced] knitting machines and accessories, and also sell books, punchcards, spares and more. Contact Wendy on 01327-842335 or email knitsnbits@live.co.uk. N.B. Response will be a little slower at the moment than usual, but she is still in business.

❖ Elsie's Wool Shop: Ma's Buttons

in Victoria Road, Rushden, just off the high street. They supply wool, all plies, including cones and a large selection of buttons and haberdashery items. email mcginnelsie@yahoo.com or telephone 01933 380610 evenings or weekends.

FOR SALE

Skein winder: Ashford Kiwi design. Useful for winding and unwinding skeins, especially for dyeing purposes. Adjustable to fit skein. £20 Lynda Fiendley [lyndafiendley@hotmail.com]

Knitting machine table £10. Pat Banyard Smith 01788 822091

Brother Single bed colour changer KHC820a £10 Kath Blundell 01788 578137

Brother Knitting Machine Model KH-891 and KR-850 Ribber in Horn Cabinet including Bench Seat/Storage Box

Accessories and instruction manual, Transfer Carriage and Knit-Leader

All in excellent condition but machine requires new sponge bar

Many extras including:-

Substantial stock of industrial and 4-ply yarn

Machine knitting maintenance book with video tape

Cone winder/Hole punch and punch cards/Work box for accessories

Assorted hardback and paperback "how to" and pattern books

Folder with many "useful hints" and patterns

Price : £275 o.n.o. Please contact Eileen Andrew 01788 822159 or jpandrew@tiscali.co.uk

PLEASE LET ME HAVE DETAILS OF ANYTHING YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADVERTISE IN THIS SPACE. SALES AND WANTED – FREE ADVERTISING!

TRACKWORD

How many words of three or more letters can you find by tracking from one square to the next, going up, down, sideways or diagonally in order? You may not go through the same letter square again in any one word. Proper nouns or foreign words are not allowed. What is the hidden nine-letter word?

H	I	S
R	C	T
S	A	M

Target number of words: 46

THINGS TO KNIT: WORDSEARCH

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BERET	BRACELET	BROOCH	CARDIGAN	COWL	GLOVES
HAT	LEGWARMERS	NECKLACE	PULLOVER	SCARF	SHAWL
SKIRT	SOCKS	TANKTOP	TROUSERS	WRISTWARMERS	

FESTIVITY PUZZLE

Unscramble each of the clue words.

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FILLIP

By Brenda Adams

GAUGE DATA:

Any four-ply yarn at T7 on standard gauge machine.

BACK:

1. Cast on 50 sts in MY, using TD7 and closed edge method. RC000.
2. Inc 1 st on both sides on alternate rows until you have 100sts.
3. Knit straight to RC120.
4. Shape shoulders. Carriage on hold, put 14 sts at opposite side to carriage into holding position over next 4 rows. Use waste yarn to knit a few rows on neck, and shoulders, separately, then remove from machine.



FRONT:

1. Follow steps 1 and 2 as for back. COR.
2. Knit straight to RC80
3. Remove centre 26 sts to WY. 37 sts each side.
4. Right neck. LH needles in HP. Dec 1 st at neck edge every row 9 times, until 28 sts remain. Knit 30 rows straight. Knit shoulder as for back. Total 120 rows. Remove on waste yarn.
5. Left neck. COL. Work as for right neck, reversing shapings.



LEFT SHOULDER SEAM:

Join by hanging corresponding pieces, with right sides together, then casting off loosely.

RIBBED COLLAR:

1. Cast on 166 sts for 1x1 rib.
2. Knit 3 tubular rows, then knit 10 rows at T3/3, 10 rows at T4/4, 40 rows at T5/5, 10 rows at T4/4, then 10 rows at T3/3.
3. Transfer stitches to main bed
4. Knit one row.

ALTERNATIVE STOCKING STITCH COLLAR:

1. Cast on 166sts.
2. Knit 120 rows.

JOINING TOGETHER:

With purl side facing, pick up 44 sts from back neck, 48 sts down right side of front neck, 26 sts across front neck and 48 sts from left side of front, and place them on to the needles. T8 knit one row, T10 knit one row, then cast off loosely.



RIGHT SHOULDER SEAM:

As for left shoulder seam.

WORDSEARCH

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FESTIVITY PUZZLE

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| CHRISTMAS | BOXING DAY | NEW YEARS DAY | NEW YEARS EVE | CHRISTMAS EVE | YULETIDE |
| PRESENTS | DECORATIONS | CRACKERS | DINNER | MINCE PIES | STOLLEN |
| TURKEY | STUFFING | STOCKING | FATHER CHRISTMAS | SAINT NICHOLAS | REINDEER |
| SLEIGH | BAUBLES | STAR | DONKEY | MANGER | WISE MEN |
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Have a merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

TRACKWORD

9 letter word: Christmas

46 other words

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