

**Big Apple Knitters Guild**  
**GENERAL MEETING via Zoom**  
**Members and Pre-Registered Guests Only! \*\***

**Saturday, September 26, 2020, 1 PM – 4 PM**

**GUEST SPEAKER: Carol J. Sulcoski, Knitwear Author, Instructor and Designer**



Carol is an attorney, knitting author, teacher, and designer who has been working in the knitting industry for over a decade. She has taught classes at national shows like Vogue Knitting Live and Virtual Vogue Knitting Live, as well as at guilds, retreats, and knitting shops. Her designs have been featured in *Vogue Knitting*, *Noro Magazine*, *Interweave Knits* and other magazines and books.

Her latest book is *Yarn Substitution Made Easy* (Sterling/Lark 2019); her other books include *Self-Striping Yarn Studio*, *Sock Yarn Studio* and *Knitting Socks with Handpainted Yarn*. Carol's *Knitting Ephemera* is an entertaining book with anecdotes and tidbits about knitting, with over 300 bizarre facts such as the "102 activities that use FEWER CALORIES per hour than KNITTING." Her inspiration for this delightful book came from her late father, who was a proponent of education and mental creativity.

She lives outside Philadelphia with her three children and a fluffy orange cat, spending endless hours divided between two work shifts – her day shift as an attorney and her night shift as a creative and energized knitwear enthusiast.

**PRESENTATION: The Use of Self-Striping Yarn**

Carol will provide thoughtful technical information for knitting with self-striping yarns. Her focus and information will come from her "Studio" series books from Lark Crafts, including: *Lace Yarn Studio*, *Self-Striping Yarn Studio* and *Sock Yarn Studio*. Carol will raffle off two of her books: *Yarn Substitution Made Easy* and *Knitting Ephemera*.

**SHOW AND TELL**

Be one of the 15 participants in our virtual Show and Tell. *No pre-registration required!* Here's all you need to do:

- **By September 23, 2020**, send a photo of your project, with a completed Show and Tell form (see attachment), to Kate Kosturski at [webmaster@bakg.org](mailto:webmaster@bakg.org). Photo and form must be received by September 23, 2020.
- **The first 15 responders** (*determined by email timestamps*) will be eligible to show their projects in the meeting.
- **If more than 15** people sign up, those members will be given priority for our next virtual meeting.

**VIRTUAL KNITTING PROJECT HELP SESSION**

Following Carol's presentation, our luxury yarn raffle and Show and Tell, BAKG member **Susan Leibowitz** will host a **separate** Zoom session to help you get started if you are a beginner, or to assist you with an issue you're facing in your project. In this 45-minute virtual session, which is limited to 5 participants, Susan can help you develop a new skill, interpret a pattern, or fix an error. Participants will leave the BAKG Zoom meeting and log onto Susan's Zoom meeting. Here's what you need to do to **register** for the session:

1. Send an email **on or before September 23, 2020** to Susan at [susan.leibowitz@gmail.com](mailto:susan.leibowitz@gmail.com) to reserve a spot. Participation will be limited to the first 5 members to sign up.
2. Also, **by September 23**, you must email Susan with the following information: your issue, clear photos of your work, including close-ups of the right and wrong sides, and a clear picture of the pattern and designer name.
3. Confirmation of your participation, as well as the link to Susan's Zoom meeting, will come from Susan.

\* **Note:** *If you find the solution to your issue in advance of the meeting, please cancel your reservation to allow room for another member to participate.*

**\*\* Per prior communication to members and former members**

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## LOOKING AHEAD: 2020 Zoom Meetings

October 10	Lars Rains – Designer, Author and Teacher
November 14	Norah Gaughan – Editor-in-Chief, <i>Vogue Knitting</i>
December 12	Paula Kucera – Owner, White Barn Farm Sheep & Wool



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