

Around the Bay Knitting Guild Meeting Minutes
22 Members attending (in person)

Oct 6 2026

Items	Info/Discussion
Guild Business	We discussed how to move forward with the monthly door prize - Elizabeth Anne has contacted the yarn stores that have given us a discount in the past that we have had gift cards to, but has not heard back re the discount. A member suggested giving \$25 cash instead of a discount. It was decided to email a poll out to members asking for their preference - either just giving cash or giving a gift card, and if they voted for a gift card their top three choices of stores. Results will be shared next meeting and we will do what the majority choose.
Upcoming Meetings	The Nov. meeting will be a "Fibre Fest" - guild members are encouraged to bring in samples of other fibre arts they do to share with the guild. In Dec our speaker will be Cassie Camera who is a representative from 3 Wishes which is a charity the guild does some knitting for. (Online meeting) In Feb our speaker will be Julie of CocoKnits, talking about her top down Sweater Method. (Online meeting) In March our speaker will be Fiona Ellis (in person)
Presentation	Belinda introduced Shireen from The Blue Brick, a local company from Stoney Creek. She gave a great presentation on how she adapts photographs into her gradient yarn colours. She also gave some information about how to knit with long gradient colour changes and had many samples to look at.
Show and Share	Members showed completed projects and works in progress.
Door Prize	Gina won the door prize.
50/50	Nadia won the 50/50 draw (\$15)
Upcoming Meetings	Next meeting will be in person, 7 pm Nov 3 at the Hamilton Mennonite Church. It will be a "Fibre Fest", members are encouraged to bring in other fibre arts they do and show them off!