



Newsletter

March 2011

March brings 2 trunk shows to the shop - Julia's Needleworks has sent us Peter Ashe stockings and Patti Mann has sent us a huge trunk show with a variety of canvases.

We continue to receive canvases from the January market and we will be attending the cash-and-carry market in Dallas in early April. Our selection is growing daily so come in now to find your next project!

Paula & Karen

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## **PETER ASHE STOCKINGS TRUNK SHOW**

Julia's Needleworks is now distributing Peter Ashe stockings and we have several of them in the store now through the end of March. We also have a few other designs in the trunk show, but anything you see on the website can be ordered.

***15% discount on any item in the trunk show!***

Click [here](#) to visit Julia's website and see all of these beautiful stockings!

## **PATTI MANN TRUNK SHOW**

We have a huge trunk show by Patti Mann in the store now as well. Patti sent it to us and will pick it up on her way to the Dallas Market, so we have it until April 1. Come by and see her stockings, belts, baby/juvenile, animals, and so much more!

***15% discount on any item in the trunk show!***

Click [here](#) to view Patti's website.

## **THREAD RETURN POLICY CHANGES**

With thread prices continuing to rise, it is necessary for us to make a change to our thread return policy. We are one of the few stores who allow returns on thread, and we would like to be able to continue to do so. Thanks for your understanding on the changes. Our new thread return policy is listed below:

- THREADS MAY BE RETURNED FOR EXCHANGE OR STORE CREDIT ONLY.  
ANY THREAD RETURNED WITHOUT A RECEIPT WILL BE SUBJECT TO A 20% RESTOCKING FEE

- THREADS TO BE RETURNED MUST BE IN PRISTINE, UNUSED CONDITION. WE WILL NOT ACCEPT THREADS FOR RETURN THAT:

- Were not purchased at The French Knot
- Have been opened or unwound
- Are dirty
- Have odors
- Have writing on the card or tag
- Have unreadable numbers or bar codes
- Have been discontinued by the manufacturer or The French Knot.

- WE RECOMMEND THAT YOU KEEP ALL NEW, UNOPENED THREADS IN A ZIPPERED PLACTIC BAG AND REMOVE THEM AS THEY ARE USED.

## BEYOND BASKETWEAVE SCHEDULED FOR MARCH

This is our favorite class class to introduce the vast array of decorative and fun stitches in a sampler. There are 11 different stitches taught in this one-day class. The \$75 class fee includes a hand painted canvas available in 13 or 18 mesh, lunch, stitch guide, and instruction. Threads are an additional fee. We have scheduled two different dates: **Thursday, March 31** and **Saturday, March 26th** . Pick your date and select the two colors and initial for your canvas. A \$35 deposit is required when you select your colors. This is a very popular class, so sign up early to reserve your spot.

Click [here](#) for more information on our website.

## 2011 SERIES

### **Holiday Train by Little Shoppe Canvas Company**

All Aboard the Polar Express! We love this delightful 3-car train and you will too! Beginning in May you will receive one canvas per month for 3 months. Prices are now listed on our website. This is now exclusive to The French Knot!

### **Kelly Clark Pears and Tassels**

We have enjoyed the Kelly Clark pear series and we still have some available for sale. Come by the shop to see our stitched models because the photos don't do them justice. We also have photos on our website under "Current Series". This summer Kelly is kicking off a new series of tassels. We will be participating in this series as well. Click [here](#) to visit Kelly's website to see both the pears and tassels.

### **Halloween Tree by A Collection of Designs**

We are getting closer to having this ready for stitching! Photos coming soon!

### **Petei Santas**

We have selected our 8 Santas for 2011, and what a line-up! Diana has outdone herself again with these perennial favorites. Select 1 or all - but how do you choose when they are all so cute? If you currently receive each one, you must let us know that you would like to continue with the series. Just call or email and we will put you on the list!