



In the Loop!

*Newsletter of Crochet Texas! a chapter of Crochet Guild of America
Summer 2026*

Off the Hook!

Crochet Texans have been busy creating items from classes, for charity, for loved ones, and sometimes just for themselves! Check below for some of the items we've hooked during the first half of the year!



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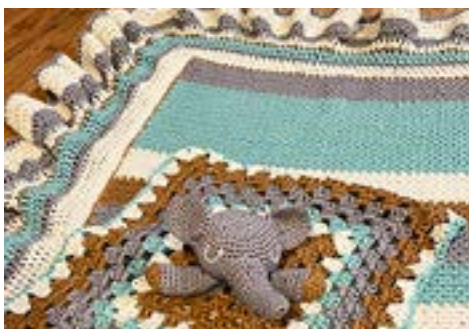


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2026 Upcoming Classes *

July and August: Planned

Pooling Pt. 1 – Preparation
Pt. 2 – Planned Pooling Technique.
Suzu is teaching.



September: Flower Button

Bling (or behind the button flower).
ReRe is teaching.



October and November:

Intarsia Pt. 1 – bobbins review;
Pt. 2 – Intarsia technique. Molly is teaching.



December 12: Holiday Party!
Details TBD.

January: Tunisian Headbands Details TBD.
Suzi will be teaching.

**Class topic and/or delivery format are subject to change without prior notice. Check on Facebook each month for any changes.*



Learn to Crochet!

Crochet Texas! offers free in-person beginner crochet classes! Whether you are new to crochet or want to refresh your basic skills, our classes are perfect for you.

We meet at Saint Thomas Episcopal Church, South Room, 6525 Inwood Road, Dallas, TX 75209. Classes are on third Saturdays, February through November, 10:30 –11:20 a.m. The cost is FREE (but we will accept donations to the church for use of their facility)

Ages: Six and up (we will make exceptions for younger children if they are excited to learn, have the fine motor skills to hold a hook and yarn, and can sit still for at least 30 minutes). An adult must be present and responsible for students 16 and under that you bring to attend classes.



RSVP form: <https://forms.gle/8sLBPKJmKjGqfiRRA>.



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Crochet Texas! Membership

Crochet Texas! (CT) is a chapter of the Crochet Guild of America (CGOA). Per the CGOA, all *Members* of a chapter must be members of the CGOA. But wait! No one will be left out.



To be a *Member* of Crochet Texas!, you must be a member of the CGOA. Dues for Crochet Texas! are \$30 a year, and dues for the CGOA are \$35 annually for a digital membership or \$40 with a hard copy of *Crochet World* magazine. To learn more about the CGOA, and for information about benefits and joining, go to www.crochet.org.

You can enjoy almost all the benefits of Crochet Texas! by purchasing a *Crochet Texas! Annual Guest Pass* for \$30 a year. Classes, monthly door prizes, access to our video library, and more will be available to you. You will not have a vote in chapter business (but you will still have input in votes like choosing classes). Like chapter *Members*, you can be a Committee leader or member. Please fill out a [Membership Application](#). It works for both CGOA Members and Guest Pass Applicants.

We meet on the third Saturday of each month, January – November, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. We will also have a gathering at DFW Fiber Fest in Irving in August. Meetings are hybrid: online via Zoom and in person at Saint Thomas Episcopal Church, 6525 Inwood Rd., Dallas, Texas 75209. The meetings are held in the South Room, the first room at the corner of Inwood and Mockingbird. (*This is not a church-sponsored group. Please do not send any mail to the church. All communication should be via CT! email or Facebook.*)

Visitors can receive their first class for free (except for any applicable class fees), in person or on Zoom, before deciding to join. visit+subscribe@crochettexas.groups.io.

If you're feeling unwell or have been exposed to illness, please join us via Zoom to keep everyone safe. Masks are optional for in-person attendees. For more information about the meetings, please email crochettexas@gmail.com.

North Texas Crochet Guild, Our Sister Guild

The North Texas Crochet Guild (NTCG) is not a chapter of the CGOA. We are a social group with no dues or formal class instruction. We meet via Zoom only.



We meet on the first Saturday of each month, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. For more information, email iscogin@swbell.net. Subscribe to NTCG emails at northtexascrochetguild+subscribe@groups.io.

State Fair of Texas

Registration: July 27 (mailed entries must be received before then)

Entry Drop Off: July 31 – August 2
Pick Up for Non-Winning Entries:
August 28 – 29

Pick Up for Winning Entries:
October 23 – 24

Create an account at bigtex.com/getcreative.

DFW FiberFest

Registration for Classes begins May 2.
Classes will be held August 27- August 30

Check out class schedule and more at <https://dfwfiberfest.org/>.





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Crochet and Related Holidays

National Bakers-Crafters-Makers Day January 21

Embroidery Month February

Sweater Day February 2

Make a Blanket Day for Project Linus (Third Saturday in February, date could flex)

Craft Month March

Crochet Month March

National DIY Day April 2

National Handmade Day first Saturday of April

International Amigurumi Day April 25

Local Yarn Shop Day last Saturday in April

National Creativity Day May 30

International Yarn Bombing Day June 11

World-Wide Knit and Crochet in Public Day Second Saturday in June

World Embroidery Day June 30

International Granny Square Day August 15

National Wool Month September

International Crochet Day September 12

National Scarf Day September 27

Shetland Wool Week September 27 – October 3

International Lace Day last Saturday in September

I Love Yarn Day Second Saturday in October

International Crafting Day October 15

Knitters Day December 11

Make a Gift Day December 3

Do you have more to add? Please let us know at CrochetTexas@gmail.com.