YARNDALE 2026

The Festival of Yarn and Woolly Creativity

Skipton Auction Mart • North Yorkshire

YARNDALE

Championing all things woolly, we want to share our love of yarn and making with everyone.

We've worked with West Yorkshire Spinners to create our sumptuous, limited edition Yarndale colourways of the award winning WYS Signature 4ply Sock Yarn.

We're now delighted to be working with Sue Stratford Knits on a splendid book of patterns, **A Yarndale Flock**. This new collaboration includes beautiful patterns to make a range of your very own colourful sheepy things. We couldn't resist giving you all a Sheepy Hug on **p25**.

Along with lots of other lovely stuff, **A Yarndale Flock** is available in our shops in The Gather, at **D1-2** and from Sue Stratford Knits at **I23-24**.

www.yarndale.co.uk

Welcome to our 14th Yarndale, a whole weekend to indulge in this sheepshed full of woolly wonder. The show is designed for everyone to enjoy every aspect of woolly making.

Take time to browse so much woolly stuff, explore every exhibitor's wares, listen to the talks, work on different techniques in the workshops and make the most of this chance to share skills in person, to chat with so many exhibitors and friends focussed on wool. Treasure this time, sit and make with us in the Making Space, hook some squares together, pick up mending tips and tricks, exchange knowledge and experience.

Explore the show alongside fellow friendly yarn folk and enjoy your journey home with heads spinning with ideas and plans for new projects and with loads of lovely yarny stuff.

Kate and Emma

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Useful stuff

The Gather is at the Littondale Entrance. It is the place to go for general information or assistance.

Yarndale Team

If you need assistance one of our team in green t-shirts will be able to help you. Huge thanks to all of our marvellous volunteers who help us make this wondrous weekend happen.

The Yarndale Shop

is in The Gather near the Littondale Entrance and at **D1-2** next to the Wharfedale Entrance.

Wellbeing

We hope you all feel comfortable in this airy, well ventilated venue. If you need somewhere calm to sit and take a moment out of the hustle and bustle of the show you are welcome to take a break in the Quiet Space in the Stirton Ring. Entrance opposite **C12**. Wear your facemask if you wish, respect others who may need space.

Oxfam Bag Crèche & Yarn Amnesty - I37-40

Oxfam Skipton run a bag crèche so that you can leave your bulky bags and coats leaving you free to enjoy the show. The bag crèche will close 30 minutes before the end of the show so please collect your belongings in good time.

OXFAM

Oxfam also welcomes donations of yarn and haberdashery items to sell in their shop.

Please support Oxfam's vital work here today with a donation or by using the bag crèche if you can. Cash or cards accepted. The funds raised will go to saving lives and making a fairer world. Thank you very much for your support.

Refreshments provided by High Laithe Catering

High Laithe Café - near the Littondale Entrance - serving a breakfast menu throughout the morning plus a selection of homemade light lunches & cakes throughout the day. A range of coffee, speciality teas and cold drinks.

The Lairage - adjacent to the exhibitor stands in the pen area – High Laithe Café pop up plus a variety of street food.

Littondale Entrance - Cobble Kitchen with locally roasted coffee and cakes & High Laithe Café pop up.

Toilets

Toilets, including accessible toilets and handwash facilities can be found outside the Littondale and Wharfedale entrances.

First Aid and Meeting Point

For First Aid assistance please ask in The Gather or ask one of our team to contact First Aid.

Make your way to The Gather if you need somewhere to meet or if you have got separated from the rest of your group, let our team know and we'll help you reunite.

Yarndale Buses

- The Bus Stop is outside the Wharfedale Entrance.
- Buses run between the show and the train station. They will also stop on Gargrave Road near the Coach Street car park and on the High Street. Please ask the driver when you board if you need to stop before the train station.
- Buses run from the show to the Rotary Charity Car Park on The Bailey.

There are wheelchair accessible buses on both routes. These buses are free of charge. Donations are welcome for this year's chosen charity, UNICEF. Thank you.

Follow the Yarn

A gentle 20 - 30 minute stroll to the train station or town centre through Aireville Park. Follow the yarn and signs from outside the Littondale Entrance.

There are steps from the mart up to the college and then down into the park. At the end of the park, cross the canal and turn left along the towpath to head into the town centre, up the slope onto the bridge by Bizzie Lizzies. Or continue onto Broughton Road and turn left at Herriots for an alternative route. For the train station, head towards Broughton Road, turn left and cross at the crossing.

If you wish to return to Yarndale hop on the free shuttle buses running between the train station and the Mart. The train station is approximately 10 minutes walk from Skipton town centre.

You can find a plan on pages 28-29.

- Stands with low numbers are closer to the Wharfedale Entrance.
- Stands with high numbers are closer to the Littondale Entrance.

Yarndale Makes

The Worldwide Creative Project

We love bringing people together to help create our woolly installation each year. It never ceases to amaze us when people respond from so far around the world. Back in 2013, our first creative challenge was woolly bunting. It is still brilliant adorning the auction mart with these woolly triangles each year, and still a joy to see visitors light up as they spot theirs for the first time.

This year we wanted everyone to get involved, making both before the show and during, using oddments of yarny leftovers ensuring waste is minimised and all the yarn is used.

Join us at **H21-22** and help us to woolly up the auction mart, or just enjoy this year's installation - look for the dots you sent and admire those made by many creative folk from across the globe.

UNICEF is the United Nations Children's Fund. A child rights organisation established in 1946. They reach more children than anyone else.

When an emergency strikes, they are ready to respond – no matter where or when. Their global network helps families and communities to withstand crises, recover, and prepare for the future.

UNICEF provides more children with clean water, life-saving therapeutic food and vaccines, education and protection from violence than any other humanitarian organisation.

They work in more than 190 countries and territories and in the world's toughest places, to reach children and young people in greatest need.

Let's help them work to build a better world for every child.

Ewemake

Ewemake meet year round and make socks together. They are at **A18** with all the splendid socks they've made. Have a go on their infamous tombola to help them raise funds for Martin House Children's Hospice.

Yarndale Meet & Make

Throughout the year we hold **Yarndale Meet & Make** sessions offering a place for all to come and make together. Everyone is welcome to bring along their woolly projects and spend a cosy hour or so, chatting, crocheting, knitting and sharing.

Swapping tips and techniques, or stories of their day. Join us on Monday evenings in Skipton Town Hall from 6.30pm – 8.00pm.

We're delighted to work with Skipton Town Hall to make these evenings happen.

Have a look at their year round programme:

www.skiptontownhall.co.uk

Chatty Corner at L19-20

We know people love to share ideas and their projects with other like minded folk at the show so here's a lovely spot for you to sit a while, meet and chat with others.

Share your tips for how best to enjoy a brilliant day at Yarndale, take a moment to chit chat with others.

YARNDALE
START UP BURSARY

Support for New Ventures

The Yarndale Start Up Bursary in Memory of Amanda Bloom & Jenny Machin

The bursary is designed to support creative businesses in their early ventures. A single stand at Yarndale is awarded each year to one successful applicant.

This brilliant opportunity enables them to gain show experience, getting their work seen at a large event, to work alongside other exhibitors and to meet visitors from across the UK and around the world.

Visit Amanda's friend, Julie Park at **I20** to chat through how to apply.

For more details and past recipients of the Bursary go to **www.yarndale.co.uk**

Wood, Stone, Feather & Bone

Sabina Aiuto, founder of Wood, Stone, Feather & Bone at **H19**, is the recipient of our 2026 Yarndale Start Up Bursary in Memory of Amanda Bloom and Jenny Machin.

Sabina is a needle-felting artist whose creations are inspired by woodland folklore and the quiet magic of the natural world. Working mainly with wool and natural fibres, she creates whimsical characters that feel as though they've wandered straight out of a mossy forest.

We are especially delighted that **Auspicious Stitch at H20 & Oxford Biocolours at C1**, previous Bursary recipients are joining us as exhibitors this year.

New Business

We're keen to support small businesses to take the first steps to exhibit at a large and wide reaching event.

We offer businesses new to Yarndale the opportunity to exhibit at a reduced rate.

Traditional Crafts and Making

Keen to keep traditional crafts alive we welcome the Guilds and making groups who will be happy to demonstrate their skills this weekend. Say hello & have a go.

Craven Guild of Lacemakers at B27-28

A small self-help group who make all types of lace including bobbin lace, needlelace and crochet. Visitors and new lacemakers always welcome.

Skipton Quakers and Grassington and District Peace Group at C2

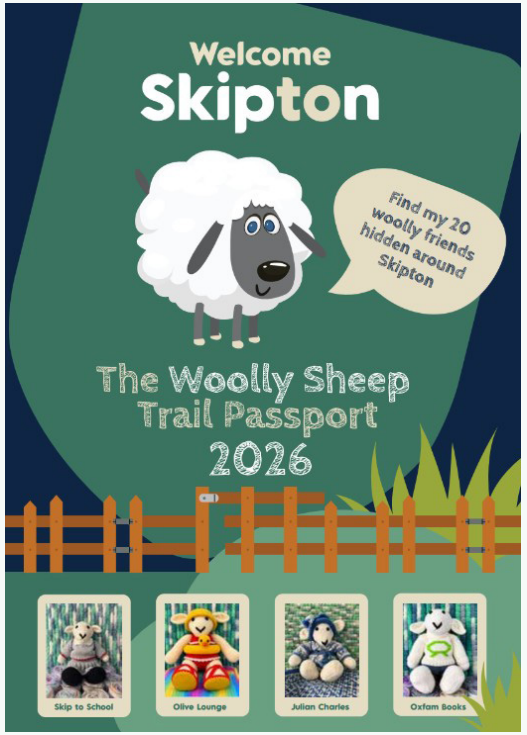
The stall is promoting the charity 'Knit for Peace'. You can sit peacefully for a time and maybe share in knitting white poppies or items for Knit for Peace.

Skipton Stitchers at C27-28

Our friendly community group is open to anyone with a passion for textiles and stitching/embroidery. We meet on the third Monday of the month and offer talks and workshops.

Skipton Sheep Trail

Pop into Craven Court in the town centre for a trail form.



Yorkshire Yarn Tellers at E6-9

We joined the Yorkshire Yarn Tellers at the **Great Yorkshire Show** meeting and chatting to so many people about making and wool.

Emma joined in knitting squares in the Wool Marquee and it's so brilliant seeing Fiona Drake's designs come to life from fleece to finished blanket in just four days each year.

Look out for

Making Space
C31-40 & D34-40

A corner of the show with lots of opportunities to drop in, meet and make with others, learn new techniques and share experience.

Everyone of all ages and abilities welcome. All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult. All sessions are free to join in.

Join Craft for Climate, a community art project charting our changing climate in Yorkshire, and help create their next challenge: **Squaring The Risk** is a series of large-scale maps showing how climate change may affect us in the UK if we don't act now. Join in and crochet or knit a square in a single craft for climate colour.

See also **Knit the Stripes**, on **p12.**

Join **Lorna Johnstone,** of **Mending Magic** to learn how to mend fabric garments and celebrate the repair process. Lorna will cover patching with various techniques, darning (honeycomb and woven), and sashiko stitches. Bring your own clothes to repair (woolly or woven garments, denim or t-shirts all welcome!) or try the techniques on a variety of samples using the fabrics provided.

Knit for Abigail - come and knit a square to be made into blankets for refugees and asylum seekers, find out about the work of Skipton Refugee Support Group and rest while crocheting a watermelon. S.R.S.G support refugees in Skipton and the wider world and promote awareness of refugee issues. Abigail Housing is a West Yorkshire charity dedicated to providing support and homes to refugees and asylum seekers who find themselves destitute on our streets. Join in and knit as many squares as you like!

Gather round with the **North Yorkshire Yarn Trail** team making circles for our Worldwide Creative Project. Advice is on hand from these experienced makers if you need any help or tips on technique. Or just enjoy the opportunity for a social get together.

Intercultured Festival Celebrate the multilayers of cultures that make up our incredible communities and join them to see how they make and work as a group, weaving Bradford's rich mix of cultures, and the shared fabric of history that bind us all together.

Come and enjoy the relaxing art of cross stitch with **North Yorkshire Libraries**. This quick and easy activity might just spark your creativity and inspire you to create your own unique bookmark! With a fabulous range of embroidery threads in every imaginable colour and tapestry wool for sale.

Join **Share Skipton** and help make a more sharing, sustainable Skipton, and beyond!

Look out for the **Farfield Mill Textile Competition.**

The **Children's Corner** welcomes families across the weekend to make friendship bands and get creative with yarn.

Supported by Rowan Tree Travel & Fibercraft.

Live in The Lairage

Saturday: The Gatsbys, Yorkshire based acoustic music duo playing all your favourite tunes.

Sunday: The Ginjammers, just two guitars, two voices and a harmonica.

Performances at **11.45am, 1.30pm & 3.00pm.**

Plus pop up performances from **Drip Drop Theatre's** musical **Close Knit.**

Knitted Knockers UK®
"Made with love and filled with hope"

Knitted Knockers

Knitted Knockers UK is a charity that provides knitted and crocheted breast prostheses for women in the UK who have undergone a mastectomy or lumpectomy.

Women who have undergone surgery are provided with silicone breast prostheses by the NHS, which some have found to be uncomfortable, heavy and may rub against the scars left after surgery, causing rashes and pain.

At Knitted Knockers UK we want women to know that there is a lightweight, 100% cotton alternative that takes the form of a real breast, is soft against the skin and is breathable.

We also provide a knitted prosthesis that is suitable for swimming and sports.

Why don't you come along and watch them demonstrate how its done?

Look out for

Knit the Stripes

Connecting people through craft and climate action.

Craft for Climate is a community art project charting our changing climate in Yorkshire.

Yorkshire has a world-renowned textile heritage and vibrant creative sector. We are celebrating both with our bold and engaging art display, highlighting climate change trends through a powerful visualisation of our climate's warming.

Craft for Climate's first project (#knitthestripes) involved local crafters working in cohort to knit scarves displaying annual average temperature data charting the history of Yorkshire's changing climate from 1853 to 2024 – our very own climate stripes.

Each stripe or scarf (over 170 of them) shows the average temperature for that year, relative to the overall average. The cooler the year, the deeper the blue. The warmer the year, the deeper the red. The message is clear - our climate is changing - and the most rapid warming has occurred in recent years.

Over 3.5million stitches form this exhibit, each one an important part of our journey to spark positive climate conversations and show that every action matters.

Craft for Climate is a collaboration between **Sustainability Sorted** and **The Little Craft House**. Thanks also to Saltaire Women's Institute, Shipley Council, West Yorkshire Spinners, The Salt Foundation and The Men's Shed.

We are bringing businesses and communities together through craft and positive climate conversations. Our unique projects use creativity and colour to spread hope and empower change.

Find out more: **sustainability-sorted.com/craftforclimate**

Follow progress: **Instagram@knitthestripes.**

Get in touch: **craftforclimate@outlook.com**

Join Jody on Sunday - **see Talks on p17**

"As an industry, and as individual makers, we make choices. We have the chance to make better choices. Choices that are closer to home, more circular, and more connected. British wool has a place in our future". *Jo Storie*

For more about why Jo works with British wool have a look here: **www.yarndale.co.uk/story-of-our-yarn/**

The Yarn Tellers

For five years now a group of friends, the Yorkshire Yarn Tellers, have got together in the Fleece Tent at the Great Yorkshire Show to take local sheep fleece and turn it into a beautiful lap blanket over the four days of the show. The aim is to demonstrate what can be made from fleece, how the gorgeous natural colours so easily work together, the traditional processes involved, and what an amazing resource natural wool really is.

Designed by Yorkshire based designer Fiona Drake (@hndnit) this year's Tree of Life blanket was made using the dark Zwartbles fleece from Rawlinshaw farm near Settle (@Rawlinshaw) and white Masham fleece from Brookside Farm in Tosside, a small village just a few miles away.

Sitting amidst the beautiful show fleeces, the fleece was carded, hand spun, and then knitted with the blanket finished just in time for the close of the show on Friday afternoon. We talked to so many people every day about the various uses for wool and the different skills involved. We even had Patrick Grant drop in to try his hand at spinning! You can see all five of our blankets on display at Yarndale in **E6-9**.

The Craft Firm is at **H11-12** if you'd like to know more about the blankets or would like to buy a pattern in aid of Field Nurse.

The Field Nurse Trust is a charity which started in 2016 to support mental health and well-being for those living in rural areas, and particularly the farming communities.

The 90 Day Wool Habit

On 1 October 2026 - the first day of Wool Month, the annual campaign led by the Campaign for Wool — Sarah Turner, founder of Little Beau Sheep, will begin wearing the same British wool dress every day for 90 consecutive days.

From that moment onwards, the dress becomes part of everyday life. For 90 days, Sarah will wear it through work, travel, family life, meetings and social occasions, documenting the experience honestly and publicly. The dress will be

worn through autumn and into winter, putting wool's temperature-regulating, odour-resistant and practical qualities to a real-world test.

The challenge asks a simple question: ***What happens when you commit to one well-made garment and actually live in it?***

The average consumer buys significantly more clothing today than previous generations, while many garments are worn only a handful of times before being discarded.

At the same time, British wool remains one of the UK's most underused natural materials despite being renewable, biodegradable and produced annually by farmers across the country.

The 90 Day Wool Habit explores whether choosing fewer, better garments could help reduce consumption, extend clothing life and reconnect people with the materials they wear every day. This is not about perfection. It is about asking better questions.

"We're surrounded by messages telling us to buy more clothes, more often. I wanted to find out what would happen if I did the opposite. Could one well-made wool dress take me through work, travel, family life and special occasions for 90 days? And if it can, what does that tell us about the way we consume clothing?"

Sarah Turner, Founder, Little Beau Sheep

The 90 Day Wool Habit is an independent campaign by Little Beau Sheep, championing British wool farmers, makers and manufacturers.

Find out more: **littlebeausheep.com/90-day-wool-habit** and join Sarah on Sunday – see **Talks on p17.**

British Wool

Discover the Diversity of British Wool

When people think of wool, they often imagine a single fibre, but British wool tells a very different story.

The UK is home to more than 60 sheep breeds, producing one of the most diverse wool clips in the world.

Each breed has evolved to thrive in its local environment, creating wool with unique characteristics that make it suitable for a wide range of products, from next-to-skin knitwear to carpets, insulation and upholstery.

British Wool grades these fleeces into six main wool types, ensuring every fleece finds its best use.

No two fleeces are exactly the same. From the rolling downs of southern England to the rugged hills of Wales, Scotland and northern England, every fleece reflects the landscape, breed and farming heritage behind it.

Have a look at, and feel the difference at **E1-4**.

Yarndale Theatre Talks 2026

Across this inspirational weekend of woolly goodness come and join our brilliant speakers as they delve into the possibilities and adventures with wool.

Saturday 26th September - 13.30

Corks, Spools, and Nancies: an exploration of French Knitting and its recent comeback.

with Sophie Hurden, A Spring Snowflake

Explore the history of spool knitting, sometimes known as French knitting or corking; a technique of creating thin knitted tubes using a spool with a number of nails or pegs. Watch demonstrations and get your hands on a variety of handmade and commercial spools, and cranked knitting mills, and discuss uses for the end product.

Saturday 26th September - 15.00

Hooked on Yarn, Game of Wool

with Ailsa Stephen, Gordon Cree, Stephanie Thompson and Tracy Callaghan

Meet Ailsa, Gordon, Stephanie and Tracy, familiar faces from the inaugural TV programme Game of Wool. Ailsa will share examples of her meticulous vintage knitting, while Gordon talks about his passion for Fair Isle, colourwork and, of course, steeking. Stephanie will tell the story behind her spectacular peacock jacket, and Tracy will share her experiences of knitting, crochet and the art of procrastination. Guaranteed to be an entertaining and informative chat, packed with stories, laughs and plenty of woolly moments.

Sunday 27th September - 13:30

Woolly Business: From Dales Farms to Wardrobe and Beyond

with Edward Sexton, Glencroft, and Sarah Turner, Little Beau Sheep

The Journey of the Fibre

Edward Sexton from Glencroft shares the step-by-step journey of Clapdale Wool, sourced directly from Yorkshire Dales farms within 5 miles of his Clapham home. Edward takes you through the fascinating process - and economics - of turning raw fleeces into finished yarn, knitwear, and tweed, all within 50 miles of the sheep.

Innovation, Care & Beyond

Sarah Turner from Little Beau Sheep picks up the story, exploring creative ways to use British Wool beyond the traditional sweater - from felted soaps to dryer balls. She will share practical tips on caring for, airing, and storing your woollies so they last a lifetime. Finally, Sarah shares a preview of her upcoming '90-Day Wool Habit' challenge, proving just how versatile, durable, and sustainable British wool really is for modern everyday living.

Sunday 27th September - 15.00

Creative Approaches to Climate Action

with Jody Harris, Craft for Climate

Craft for Climate is a community art project charting our changing climate. Over the past three years they have crafted with hundreds of people across Yorkshire to spread their message of climate optimism and the belief that every action matters. Their Knit the Stripes display has been seen by over 10,000 people at events across the region and they continue to champion creative engagement approaches to climate communication through their second installation - Square the Risk - currently in development at Yarndale. See Knit the Stripes on **p12**.

All talks are 20-30 minutes plus the chance for questions.
All talks are free and space is limited.
Please come to the Theatre Entrance opposite C20/D21.

Workshops

Workshop Theatres 1 & 2 are located either side of The Gather adjacent to the exhibitor stands area. Workshop Theatre 3 is in the Lingfield Ring, the entrance is opposite G17.

Saturday 26th September

10.30 – 12.30 | £43
Tunisian Crochet for Beginners
With Sharon Carter, Dragon Hill Studio
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn how to cast on and work Tunisian Simple Stitch; how to increase, decrease, cast off and work with 2 colours.

10.30 – 12.30 | £36
Crewel Work Sheep
With Louise Goult, Louise Goult Textiles
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn traditional embroidery stitches to create your own crewel work sheep.

10.30 – 12.30 | £42
Filet Crochet
With Anniken Allis, Yarn Addict, by Anniken Allis
Venue: Workshop Theatre 3
Learn modern filet crochet and how it can be used to create a variety of items.

10.30 – 13.00 | £69
Try Thread Crochet & Make a Vintage Style Linen Lavender Bag
With Merrian Holland, Mezzacraft
Venue: Workshop Theatre 2
Learn tips and tricks to perfect this classic and timeless style of crochet using finer yarns and smaller hooks for a vintage look.

13.00 – 14.30 | £42
Corner to Corner Crochet
With Carley, Unicorn Puffs and Rainbows
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn how to create C2C blocks, increase and decrease, and read simple charts.

13.00 – 15.00 | £45
Beginners' Drop Spindle Spinning
With Charlotte Battersby, Adelaide Walker
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn the basics of spinning using a top whorl spindle.

13.30 – 15.00 | £30
Polymer Clay Button Making
With Joanna Hunter, Jo Hunter Wearable Art
Venue: Workshop Theatre 2
Learn two techniques to make gorgeous bespoke buttons. NB: 1 set of buttons will be baked during the class and 1 set afterwards, to collect an hour later.

Beginners' Drop Spindle Spinning

Saturday 26th September

15.00 – 17.00 | £43
Foundation Crochet Stitches
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
With Sharon Carter, Dragon Hill Studio
Learn how to work the chain and first row simultaneously, resulting in an even, stretchy foundation.

Try Thread Crochet

15.30 – 17.00 | £42
Woolly Wire Creations
With Sophie Hurden, A Spring Snowflake
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn to use a knitting mill to create a long i-cord to create a treasured piece for home or to gift.

15.30 – 17.30 | £42
Stacked Stitches
With Kath Andrews, Kath Andrews Designs
Venue: Workshop Theatre 2
Create amazing shapes and patterns to your knitting whilst still only using one colour at a time.

Sunday 27th September

10.30 – 12.30 | £43
Tunisian Mosaic Crochet
With Sharon Carter, Dragon Hill Studio
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn to create intricate colourwork designs working with only 1 colour at a time.

Tunisian Mosaic Crochet

10.30 – 12.30 | £42
Intro to Two Colour Brioche
With Kath Andrews, Kath Andrews Designs
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn this amazing technique to create a wonderfully squishy fabric.

10.30 – 12.30 | £42
Knit Mitred Squares
With Anniken Allis, Yarn Addict
Venue: Workshop Theatre 2
Learn how to knit a mitred square, pick up stitches and knit a second mitred square onto your first.

Workshops

Sunday 27th September

10.30 – 13.00 | £55
Introduction to Double Knitting
Venue: Workshop Theatre 3
With Ann Kingstone
Discover the magic of double knitting: a reversible colourwork technique creating two mirrored fabrics in one.

13.00 – 15.30 | £43
Tunisian Crochet for Beginners
With Sharon Carter, Dragon Hill Studio
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn how to cast on and work Tunisian Simple Stitch; how to increase, decrease, cast off and work with 2 colours.

13.00 – 16.00 | £60
Make Your Colourwork Stand Out
With Annah O'Leary, Needle and Feather
Venue: Workshop Theatre 1
Learn colourwork knitting, how to troubleshoot issues and make the most of this fantastically varied technique.

14.00 – 16.00 | £42
Continental Knitting with Norwegian Purl
With Anniken Allis, Yarn Addict by Anniken Allis
Venue: Workshop Theatre 2
Learn the continental knit stitch and Norwegian purl stitch as well as working various stitch patterns while holding the yarn continental style.

Make Your Colourwork Stand Out

For more details about these sessions and our workshop leaders please see **www.yarndale.co.uk**

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Best Stand 2025

Each year we take great pleasure awarding the Best Stand at the show. In 2025 we chose The Knitting Shed, a beautifully simple layout and lovely design.

We are Louise and Nicola, from a family that encouraged us to make and create. If you saw something you wanted first of all you tried making it yourself.

We remember balsa wood gipsy caravans, crystal radio sets and model boats. We made our own clothes, Nicola sewing her first skirt, aged eight, in sky blue polka dots with enormous pockets and Louise teaching herself to knit in an era before YouTube, big shouldered mohair jumpers in primary colours. Aspirations but very little style! We worked as Saturday girls in the village haberdashery spending all our earnings on ambitious new projects which were rarely finished.

In between we've both had creative careers. Louise as Nursery Manager, propagating rare plants, Nicola as a freelance Food Stylist.

Life changed. Vicky, our sister-in-law, who set up The Knitting Shed after going through cancer treatment died and Louise who had been diagnosed in the same year took up the reigns, experimenting with hand dyes and creating rich saturated colour. Gradually we introduced our own pattern support. This year we've launched our new look with fabulous skein labels and a stylish logo.

We now live in impractical period cottages on the edge of the South Downs. Avidly knitting, sewing and growing our own vegetables. Beautiful local views spark new ideas and inspire our dyeing and patterns.

Follow along @theknittingshed
www.theknittingshed.com

Elsie Scarf

Stitches used in this pattern

UK terms throughout.

sl st (slip stitch) - This is used to join new yarn. Usually at the start of a round or to fasten off. Insert hook into where you are going to slip and yarn over then pull the loop back through the stitch (or chain space) and pull the loop through the loop on your hook.

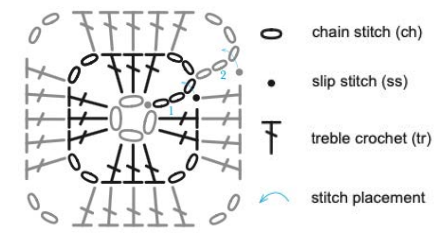
ch (chain) - Yarn over and pull through loop on the hook. Creates a chain.

tr (treble) - Yarn over. Insert hook through stitch, yarn over and pull the loop back through the stitch. You will have 3 loops on your hook. Yarn over and pull through 2 loops on your hook. Yarn over again and pull through the remaining 2 loops.

dc (double) - Insert hook through stitch, yarn over and pull the loop back through the stitch. You will have 2 loops on your hook. Yarn over and pull through both loops on your hook.

To make the tiny Elsie Granny Square you will need to use a 3mm hook and any Yarndale Sock Yarn.

Emma uses 60g of Tristen and 60g Maude to make a 1 metre long scarf. If you'd like a longer scarf then make as many squares as you like until the desired length. If you use 2 x 100g balls then you should be able to make a scarf approximately 1.5 metres long and 15cm wide.



The trick to the individual coloured squares is to start each square at the beginning of the colour change in the ball of wool.

Using UK crochet terms.

To start:
Make a slip knot and **ch4**. Join to make a circle.

Round 1:
In this round you will be working into the middle of the chain circle. **ch5** then ***3tr, 2ch*** into the chain circle 3 times. **2tr** and join with a **sl st** into the space between starting ch5 and first 3tr cluster. Do not fasten off.

Round 2:

Ch 5 then **1tr** into the same corner space. ***1tr** into the top of each tr from round 1 (3 in total). In next corner space **1tr, 2ch, 1tr*** Repeat ** 2 times.

1tr into the top of next 3 tr then join with a **sl st** into the corner space created by the ch5 at the beginning of the round and fasten off. ***Fig 1.***

First square completed. **All subsequent squares are joined as you go.**

Start the second square in a new colour by completing Round 1 as above.

Then start Round 2 as follows:

- **ch5** then **1tr** into the same corner space. ***1tr** into the top of each tr from round 1 (3 in total). In next corner space **1tr, 1ch** then **1ch** through any corner chain space of the first square and **1tr**. ***Fig 2.***
- **1tr** into the top of each tr from round 1 (3 in total). In next corner space **1tr, 1ch, 1ch** through the next corner chain space of the first square and **1tr**. ***Fig 3.***

Complete Round 2 by working **1tr** into the top of each tr from round 1 (3 in total). In next corner space **1tr, 2ch, 1tr.** Repeat pattern for last side of the square replacing the last tr with a **sl st** to join and fasten off.

So the second square joins to the first square at 2 corners. Repeat for the next 3 squares until you have your first row of 5 squares joined.

Start the second row of squares by joining the first square of this row as above. ***Fig 4.***

Fig 1

Fig 2

Fig 3

Fig 4

Once you have added the first square to the second row you will need to join squares at 4 different points as in ***Figs 5-8***.

Each time using one of your corner chain stitches through the adjacent square's corner.

Border:
Using a contrasting yarn. Emma uses West Yorkshire Spinners Signature 4ply in Pacific. The pattern uses only about 5g.

The border works one **dc** into the top of every tr and into every ch space (corners of your tiny Elsie squares) with a **ch** between each square.

So ***7dc 1ch*** repeated along the sides with **3ch** into the corners of the scarf.

You can block your scarf or leave it so that the squares pop. Perfect for autumn mornings and keeping out the chill.

Fig 5

Fig 6

Fig 7

Fig 8

Sheepy Hug

We're so thrilled to be working with Sue Stratford Knits on A Yarndale Flock, a new collection of gorgeous patterns designed by Sue Stratford. It's been such a pleasure working on this woolly venture with Sue, we hope you love our comforting Sheepy Hug as much as we do.

This little sheepy is perfect to sit on the edge of a shelf. You could also add a coin in the base to make him more stable. I used double pointed needles, as they are shorter and perfect for small projects. The arms and legs are made using the i-cord technique which you will need the dpns for.

Abbreviations

K - Knit
Kfb - Knit into the front and back of the stitch, making one extra stitch
M1 - Make one stitch (see techniques)
P - Purl
ssK - slip 2 sts knitwise one at a time, pass the 2 slipped stitches back to the left needle, knit both stitches together through the back of the loop
SS - Stocking stitch
st(s) - stitch(es)
tog - together
tbl - through the back of the loop

Techniques: I-cord

To make an i-cord, cast on your stitches using a double pointed needle, knit them and slide to the other end of the same needle, pull the yarn across the back of the

needle and knit the stitches again. Repeat these instructions until the cord is long enough.

Make One Stitch

Pick up the 'bar in-between your stitch and the following stitch. Slip the loop of yarn onto your left hand needle and knit (or purl) through the back of the stitch.

Three Needle Cast-off

Divide stitches evenly between two needles and fold in half, with right sides together. Using a third needle, knit the first stitch from each needle together. Now knit the next stitch from each needle together. Cast off the first stitch in the usual way by lifting it over the second stitch. Repeat until all stitches have been cast off.

Materials

- Small amount of cream and coloured 4-ply (fingering weight) yarn
- 3mm (UK 11, US 2 or 3) double pointed knitting needles
- Toy Filling
- Two 3mm black beads
- Black thread for embroidery

Notions

- Darning needle
- Scissors

Tension

Approximately 26 sts to 10cm (4in) measured over SS using 3mm (UK11, US2 or 3) knitting needles.

Finished size

6.5cm (2 1/2") from base to top of head.

Head

Using cream yarn cast on 9 sts and purl 1 row.
Next row: K1, M1, K3, M1, K1, M1, K3, M1, K1. (13 sts)
Purl 1 row.
Next row: K1, M1, K4, M1, K3, M1, K4, M1, K1. (17 sts)
Purl 1 row.
Next row: K1, M1, K to last st, M1, K1. (19 sts)
Purl 1 row.
Next row: K8, M1, K3, M1, K8. (21 sts)
Starting with a purl row, work 3 rows in SS.
Next row: K1, ssK, K5, K2tog, K1, ssK, K5, K2tog, K1. (17 sts)
Next row: P1, P2tog, P3, P2togtbl, P1, P2tog, P3, P2togtbl, P1. (13 sts)

Divide remaining stitches so that you have 6 sts on one needle and 7 sts on the other and, with RS together, use a third needle to cast off using the three needle cast off technique until you have 1st remaining. Cast off remaining stitch. Thread yarn through remaining stitch to finish.

Body:

Using cream yarn cast on 12 sts and knit 6 rows.
Next row: K2, M1, K to last 2 sts, M1, K2. (14 sts)
Knit 3 rows.
Repeat last 4 rows, three more times. (20 sts)
Knit 2 rows.
Cast off 8 sts at the beginning of the next two rows. (4 sts)
Next row: K1, M1, K to last st, M1, K1. (6 sts)
Next row: P1, M1, P to last st, M1, P1. (8 sts)
Starting with a knit row, work 4 rows in SS.
Next row: K1, ssK, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1. (6 sts)
Purl 1 row.
Cast off.

Ear: (make two)

Using cream yarn, cast on 4 sts and, starting with a purl row, work 3 rows in SS.
Next row: ssK, K2tog.
Without turning work, pass right hand stitch over left hand stitch to cast off.
Thread yarn through remaining st to fasten.

Leg: (make two)

Using cream yarn cast on 4 sts and, using the i-cord technique, work 8 rows.
With RS facing.
Next row: K1, M1, K2, M1, K1. (6 sts)
Next row: P2, M1, P2, M1, P2. (8 sts)
Knit 1 row.
Divide remaining stitches evenly between two needles and, with RS together, use a third needle to cast off. Thread yarn through remaining stitch to finish.

Arm: (make two)

Using cream yarn cast on 4 sts and, using the cord technique, work 8 rows.
Thread yarn through remaining sts to finish.

Heart:

* Using coloured yarn of your choice, cast on 2 sts.
Next row: (Kfb) twice. (4 sts)
Purl 1 row.
Next row: K1, M1, K to last st, M1, K1. (6 sts)
Purl 1 row.
Repeat last 2 rows twice more. (10 sts)
Starting with a K row, work 2 rows in SS.
Next row: K1, ssK, K to last 3 sts, K2tog, K1. (8 sts)
Next row: P2, P2togtbl, turn. (3 sts)
Next row: K1, K2tog. (2 sts)
Without turning work, pass right hand stitch over left hand stitch to cast off.
With WS facing, rejoin yarn to remaining 4 sts and work as follows:
Next row: P2, P2tog. (3 sts)
Next row: K1, ssK. (2 sts)
Without turning work, pass right hand stitch over left hand stitch to cast off. *

Repeat from * to * to make second side.

Making up:

Taking the head, stuff with toy filling and sew the seam which will be underneath the head. Using the pictures for guidance, sew the beads in place for eyes and embroider the mouth using black thread.
Taking an ear, fold in half at the cast on edge and sew together to give the ear shape. Using the pictures for guidance sew the ears in place.

Taking the body, sew the back seam and stuff with toy filling. Fold the base up and sew in place. Firmly sew the head to the body, matching the back seams.

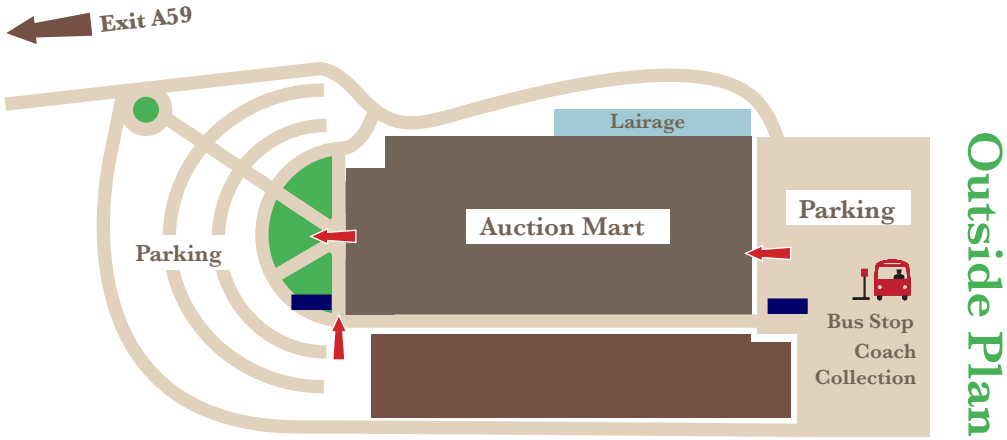
Taking a leg, sew the small seam at the back of the foot. Repeat for the second leg. Using the pictures for guidance, sew the legs in place at the base of the body.
Sew each arm in place, using the pictures for guidance.

Taking the heart, sew the seam round the edge, placing a small amount of toy filling inside to add definition.

Place the heart on the front of the body and when you are happy with it's placement, sew the arms in place to 'hold' it. I also sewed through the heart to the back of the body to ensure it was secure.

A Yarndale Flock is available in our shops in The Gather / D1-2 and from Sue Stratford Knits at I23-24.

Yarndale Plan 2026



Key

- Animals
- Toilets
- Refreshments
- Food
- Seating

Exhibitor Listing

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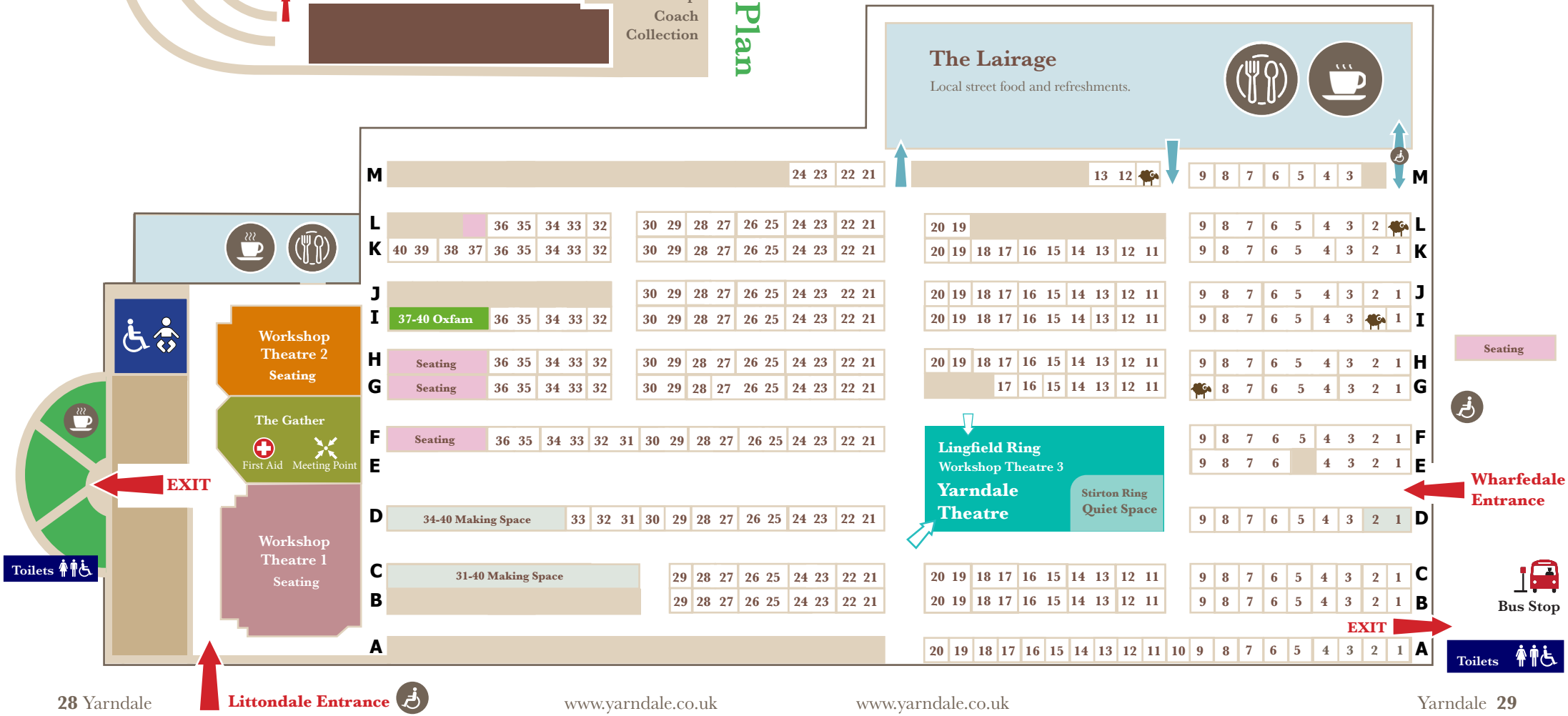

Yarndale Exhibitors by stand number

	EXHIBITOR
A1	Pure Welsh
A2	Abigail Rose Creative
A3	Muffin Ceramics
A4	A Happy Crow
A5	AdaBrown Designs
A6	Aldersign Designs
A7	Louise Goult Textiles
A8	Bigwigs Angora
A9	Catania Couture
A10	Crochet UK
A11	Darn Knit!
A12	Knit One Kits
A13	Maru Studio
A14	Knotted by Nish
A15	Little Likac Yarn
A16	Loumousey Crafts
A17	Lynsey Walters
A18	Ewemake
A19	Betty Boo Boutique
A20	Juko Designs
B1	Wild Woolers
B2	TillyFlop designs
B3	Tile Productions
B4	wekiwool
B5	Yellow Door Yarn
B6	Unicorn Puffs and Rainbows
B7	Cinnamon Stitching
B8	The Point Paper Art Company Ltd
B9	Oh So Pretty And Clever Crochet
B13-14	Second City Yarns
B15-16	Yarn etc
B17-18	Sew Different
B19-20 C19-20	Cumbria Sewing and Craft
B21-22	ButtonedUp

	EXHIBITOR
B23-24	Dreamy Wool
B25-26	Attic Spin Dye
B27-28	Craven Guild of Lacemakers
B29	Quack Yarn
C1	Oxford Biocolours
C2	Skipton Quakers & Grassington & District Peace Group
C3	Kates Kloths
C4	Yewtree Yarncraft
C5	Hoop Knit
C6	Pineapple Fibre Art
C7	Penny Stitch Craft
C8	The Knitting Viking
C9	Yarn Food
C11-12	Fernhill Farm
C13-14	Super Effective Fibres
C15-16	The Crafty Bird
C17-18	Thread of Life
C21-22	80 Skeins
C23-24	Woolly Mama Yarns
C25-26	Verde
C27-28	Skipton Stitchers
C29	The Artist's Lab
C31-40 D34-40	Making Space
D1-2	Yarndale Shop
D3	Paint-Box Threads
D4	SoftAccents UK
D5	Rainbow Dandelion Crochet
D6	Coldharbour Mill
D7	Maggie & Me
D8	Blooming Yarns by KW
D9	Dear Emma Designs
D21-22	Pigment and Ply
D23-24	HotButterYarns

	EXHIBITOR
D25-26	Along avec Anna
D27-28	SiobhansCrafts
D29	The Peg Loomer
D30	Knitted Knockers
D31-32	Debonnaire
D33	Wool 4 Ewe
E1-4	British Wool
E6-9	The Yarn Tellers
F1-4	Knitting4Fun
F5-8	John Arbon Textiles
F9	trava & wool
F21-22	The Yarn Artist
F23-24	BalticKnits
F25-26	Sincerely Louise
F27-28	Black Elephant
F29-30	The Button Box - Devon Ltd
F31-32	Weku Yarn
F33-34	Footprints On Forever
F35-36	Feral Fibres
G1-3	Colourcraft (C&A) Ltd
G4-6	Bugweed's
G7-9	Gam Farm Rare Breeds
G11-12	Ducky darlings yarns
G13-14	Caithness Yarns
G15	Stitch & Story
G16	Thistle Yarns
G17	Allium Threads
G21-22	TOFT
G23-24	Why Knot Macrame?
G25-27	Lammermuir Wool
G28	Elisa Fox - Textile Artist
G29-30	Wee Woolly Wonderfuls
G32	Everything Felt Fibre Art
G33-34	Jen Taylor Crafts and Fibres
G35-36	The Cone Exchange

	EXHIBITOR
H1-3	Irish Artisan Yarn
H4-6	Cotton Pod
H7-8	All Wool That Ends Wool
H9	William and Tilda
H11-12	The Craft Firm
H13-14	Laxtons Ltd
H15-16	Creation Mill CIC
H17-18	The Dye Shack
H19	Wood, Stone, Feather & Bone
H20	Auspicious Stitch
H21-22	Worldwide Creative Project in support of UNICEF
H23-24	The Little Grey Girl
H25-26	The Left Hookery
H27-28	Flat-Hills
H29-30	Dina's Home of Crafts
H32	LauretteCraftsUK
H33-34	Wee County Yarns
H35-36	Lottie and Albert
I1-2	Chilton Wensleydales
I3-4	Yarn Unique
I5-6	Madrigal Yarns
I7-8	Annie Brown Needle Felting
I9	Sheep on Mars
I11-12	An Caitín Beag
I13	Lottieknits
I14-16	Purlescence Limited
I17-19	Woolyknit
I20	Bloom Bags
I21-22	The Pigeon's Nest
I23-24	Sue Stratford Knits
I25-26	Ann Kingstone
I27-28	Ethel and Joan

	EXHIBITOR
I29-30	yarnundyed (A.C. Wood Speciality Fibres Ltd)
I32	Janet Browne
I33-34	The Knitting Shed
I35-36	Folklore Yarns Ltd
I37-40	Oxfam Skipton
J1-2	Felt Fusion
J3	Sardines For Tea
J4-6	Adelaide Walker
J7-9	Lucy Locket Land
J11-12	For the Love of Yarn
J13-14	Stephen and Penelope BV
J15-16	Creative Anarchy
J17-18	Felt by Bridget
J19	Hellen Edwards Artist
J20	Anne Brooke 'HanneMADE'
J21-24	Janie Crow
J25-26	Uppingham Yarns Ltd
J27-28	Felt Creative
J29-30	Under the Olive Tree Knits
K1-2	Doulton Border Leicester Yarn
K3	Twinkknits
K4-6	Red Squirrel and Dune
K7-8	Eliza Conway
K9	Steffi Glaves
K11-12	Love Poppet
K13-14	Loom
K15-16	Eden Cottage Yarns Ltd
K17-18	Cuddlebums
K19	opus anglicanum
K20	Lucy the Tudor
K21-22	The Makerss
K23-24	The Knitting Gift Shop
K25-26	Haberdashery and More

	EXHIBITOR
K27-28	Wooltops
K29-30	Botanical Yarn
K32	Northern Yarn
K33-34	Needle And Feather
K35-36	Frankie and Sidney
K37-38	Mamie and Florrie
K39-40	Jo Hunter Wearable Art
L1-2	Catlow Yarns
L3-4	Unseen Yarn
L5-6	Yorkshire Blankets
L7-8	Bergin & Bath
L9	Folkestone Harbour Yarn
L19-20	Chatty Corner
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L27-28	Woolmouse
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L32	Multipom
L33-34	Riverside Knitting Wools
L35-36	Pixie Yarn
M3	Hermy
M4	Barn2Yarn
M5	Katfish designs
M6	Purl by Pearl
M7	We Love Wool Club
M8	The Weardale Weaver
M9	The Makers Marks
M11-13	Hart Farm
M21-22	Jo.Knit.Sew
M23-24	Kath Andrews Designs

Yarndale Exhibitors by name

C21-22 80 Skeins
At 80 Skeins you can find a vast collection of amazingly colourful, unique wool from Latvia - Dundaga. It is also the shop to go to to buy Icelandic Lopi and the finest accessories.
www.80skeins.co.uk

A4 A Happy Crow
A Happy Crow is an independent dyer based in the Gloucestershire countryside. We have a whole selection of vibrant colourways including lots of wonderful pride flag yarns!
ahappycrow.etsy.com

A2 Abigail Rose Creative
Bookish, nature inspired embroidery kits and handmade pieces, stitched with heritage techniques and modern charm. Thoughtful stitching accessories, joyful making, and slow crafting for readers, stitchers, and lovers of beautiful things.
abigailrosecreative.etsy.com

A5 AdaBrown Designs
I design and create modern hand embroidery, taking images from nature and recreating them in a simplistic, geometric style. My style is on a larger scale than traditional embroidery.
www.adabrown.co.uk

J4-6 Adelaide Walker
Fabulous British fibres, exclusive blends, handmade spindles and spinning accessories. Washboards, needle felting tools and lots of carded wool. Wheels, looms, books, dyes and Ashford equipment.
www.adelaidewalker.co.uk

A6 Aldersign Designs
Aldersign designs have modern techniques, flattering shapes and a spark of something fun and interesting. My knit and crochet patterns and kits are suitable for curious beginners to adventurous crafters. **www.aldersign.com**

H7-8 All Wool That Ends Wool
A bright and bold selection of hand dyed yarn, including hand painted, mini skeins and self stripe. Handmade stitch markers, yarn cosies and resin buttons.
www.allwoolthatendswool.co.uk

Exhibitor Category Key

Stand number colour refers to the categories below.

- Yarn
- Weaving, Spinning, Felting and Dyeing
- Stitching
- Haberdashery & Accessories
- Fabric & Textiles
- Animals
- Magazines
- Guilds & Charities
- Start Up Bursary

G17 Allium Threads
At Allium Threads, we use natural dyes to colour yarns, fibres, fabrics and threads. We also have designed patterns for garments and accessories available as patterns or kits.
www.alliumthreads.co.uk

D25-26 Along avec Anna
Along avec Anna bring their natural and cruelty-free yarn range in gorgeous soft tones and three bases, as well as their undyed selection of alpaca blend. Whether you are a knitter, crocheter or a yarn lover in general, you will find what you love!
www.alongavecanna.com

I11-12 An Caitín Beag
Feline crafty? An Caitín Beag's catty patterns, accessories and extras are purrfect for adding a little cat to your knit! **www.caitinbeag.com**

L29-30 Angela Gardner Studio
Textured colourful creations alongside delicate lace shawls designed and knitted by Angela. Luxurious lace and 4ply yarn are hand dyed for kits so you can make your own masterpiece.
www.angela-gardner.com

I25-26 Ann Kingstone
Yorkshire's foremost independent handknit designer offers her exclusive patterns, books, yarn and knitting accessories. Ann's "Yorkshire Warmth" is the softest British wool yarn there is.
www.annkingstone.com

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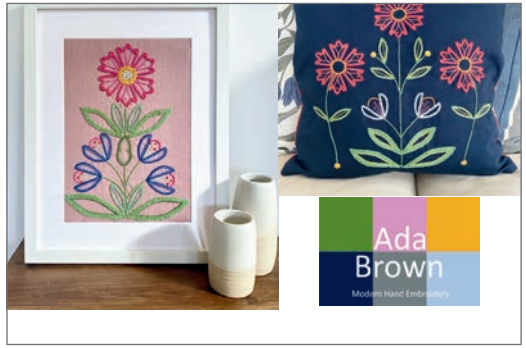

Yarndale Exhibitors by name

J20 Anne Brooke 'HanneMADE'
Sharing her passion for stitching, Anne turns her observations of the world into hand printed templates and kits for you to create unique pieces of hand embroidery yourself.
www.annebrooke.co.uk

I7-8 Annie Brown Needle Felting
Needle felting artist inspired by the landscape and nature, using the wool from her wool only flock of rare breed sheep. Pictures, gifts, kits and greeting cards for sale.
www.anniebrownneedlefelting.co.uk

B25-26 Attic Spin Dye
Creator of hand dyed yarns, interpreter of colours, supplier of beautiful materials for your projects (upcycled as much as possible).
www.atticspindye.com

H20 Auspicious Stitch
Unique fibre batts, hand dyed curly locks, handspun yarn & much more for spinners, felters & weavers. Vivid, expressive colour, zero-waste practices & inclusive accessibility are Sammy's guiding principles.
folksy.com/shops/auspiciousstitch

F23-24 BalticKnits
Sveiki / Hello from Latvia! Traditional and original mitten and glove kits, plus self-shading wool from Latvia and Estonia, with patterns designed to let the yarn lead. **www.balticknits.co.uk**

M4 Barn2Yarn
Barn2Yarn brings fleece to life with natural sheep locks, vibrant hand dyed fibres, and unique art batts, championing sustainable wool and inspiring fibre artists with texture, colour, and quality.
www.barn2yarnshop.com

L7-8 Bergin & Bath
We host workshops and design craft kits for adults to make beautiful things at home that they will love and keep. All kits are uniquely designed by us with materials of the highest quality, sourced in Europe.
www.berginandbath.co.uk

A19 Betty Boo Boutique
A lovely selection of Quilting and Patchwork project kits and fabrics. All 100% premium quality cotton, some with metallic and pearlescent enhancement. Fat Quarters, Quilting Panels for beginners and advanced sewing.

A8 Bigwigs Angora
Home grown, soft & luxurious Angora fibre for spinning or felting, and a range of Bigwigs Angora blend yarns in natural and dyed shades. Small knitted items and bunny themed gifts.
www.bigwigsangora.co.uk

F27-28 Black Elephant
Ethically sourced hand dyed yarn - both non-superwash and superwash, bold palettes, and thoughtful design for knitters and crocheters who love texture, depth, and slow craft.
www.blackelephant.uk

I20 Bloom Bags
Keeping Amanda Bloom's memory alive at Yarndale with a new kit celebrating our favourite season. I'm delighted to be bringing this year's Bloom Bag containing all the ingredients to make a blanket inspired by Amanda and named in her honour 'Autumn Bloom'.
instagram.com/amandabloomscraftroom

D8 Blooming Yarns by KW
I would like to invite you into my ombre yarn cakes world. Grab a hook or needles and watch how colours smoothly change through projects. My yarn cakes are customised especially for you.
www.bloomingyarns.com

K29-30 Botanical Yarn
Botanical Yarn is a hand dyed yarn studio based in East Yorkshire. Sophie, the owner of the company dyes yarn inspired by all things botanical. Sophie will launch a collaboration pattern and kit for Yarndale 2026 with an independent designer.
www.botanicalyarn.com

You can find a plan on **pages 28-29**

Yarndale Exhibitors by name

G4-6 Bugweed's
Welcome to Bugweed's where excellent quality yarns and fantastic customer service is standard. We bring you a huge range of yarns, patterns, kits and haberdashery and always with a smile!
facebook.com/bugweedsfabrics

B21-22 ButtonedUp
I make beautiful porcelain buttons. Each button is individually handmade, hand decorated and unique. I try to make buttons to suit every eventuality so expect to see an amazing collection!
www.instagram.com/buttonedupuk

G13-14 Caithness Yarns
My farm's crop is my sheepies wool. I believe happier sheeps make better wool. As well as many yarns, the stand will have knitwear and raw wool for sale. **www.caithnessyarns.com**

A9 Catania Couture
My mission and aim is to use as much as possible recycled materials. I use jumpers that are bound to be thrown in landfills. Undoing jumpers into balls of wool again to reuse and make into other projects is a passion of mine.

L1-2 Catlow Yarns
Catlow Yarns produce hand dyed yarns from their own flock of sheep. We have Gotland and Gotland/Wensleydale sheep who produce beautiful wool for all your crafting projects.
www.catlowyarns.co.uk

L19-20 Chatty Corner
We know people love to share ideas and their projects with other like minded folk at the show so here's a space for you to sit a while, meet and chat to others.

I1-2 Chilton Wensleydales
Natural and hand dyed, nature inspired yarns and felting curls. All produced from our own pedigree high welfare sheep flock, kept on our nature friendly family run farm in Buckinghamshire. Come and meet the curly girls.
www.chiltongroundsfarm.co.uk

You can find a plan on **pages 28-29**

B7 Cinnamon Stitching
Colourful, modern embroidery kits applying a traditional skill to contemporary embroidery designs. They're great for anyone who loves modern design and the restful joy of embroidery.
www.cinnamonstitching.co.uk

D6 Coldharbour Mill
Coldharbour Mill is a working wool museum in Devon. Our volunteers spin our Blue Faced Leicester and Shetland yarn collections on heritage machines. Our textiles are woven on heritage looms. We use British wool. **www.coldharbourmill.com**

G1-3 Colourcraft (C&A) Ltd
UK manufacturer of quality fabric dyes for animal and plant fibres. Also mixed media products, e.g. wooden print blocks and printing inks, Fabric paints, Silk paints and much more.
www.colourcraft.uk

H4-6 Cotton Pod
We're totally passionate about cotton and crochet! Please pop by, say hello and browse our fabulous selection of yarns, easy to follow crochet patterns and carefully curated crochet kits.
www.cottonpod.co.uk

B27-28 Craven Guild of Lacemakers
The Craven Guild of Lacemakers are a small self-help group who make all types of lace including bobbin lace, needlelace and crochet. Visitors and new lacemakers always welcome.
Find us on Facebook

H15-16 Creation Mill CIC
Founded in 2021, Creation Mill is a Community Interest Company championing textiles in the South of Scotland, from fibre creation to recycling textile waste, supporting sustainable textile practices.
www.creationmill.org

J15-16 Creative Anarchy
Creative Anarchy Yarn is run by Swedish born Hannah, who specialises in hand dyed yarns and fibre, offering a range of luxurious fibres and unique colourways, inspired by movies, books, and music.
www.creativeanarchyyarn.co.uk

Yarndale Exhibitors by name

A10 Crochet UK
At Crochet UK we hand wind all our gradient yarn cakes. Visit our stall for a great selection of crochet patterns, accessories and stunning gradient yarn cakes. **www.crochet-uk.co.uk**

K17-18 Cuddlebums
Cuddlebums, beautiful hand dyed yarn from the heart of the Pennines. Bright, bold, full of rainbows and mini skeins galore on the most luxurious of bases. **www.cuddlebums.co.uk**

B19-20 & C19-20
Cumbria Sewing and Craft
One of the biggest well stocked fabric/wool and craft shops in the northwest. Trading for 39 years with experienced staff in all areas. Over 2000 different fabrics for patchwork and dressmaking. All brands of wool in stock plus many more.

A11 Darn Knit!
Darn Knit! stocks yarns from everyday basics through to hand dyed and all natural wools, with a passion for colour, as well as a range of notions, needles, and haberdashery.
www.darnknit.co.uk

D9 Dear Emma Designs
Inspired by the birds and wild flowers in my garden in the Yorkshire Dales, I design and make a small range of homeware and personal items using intricate raw edge applique and free motion machine embroidery.
www.dear-emma.com

D31-32 Debonnaire
We create luxurious, hand dyed yarns with rich colours and elegant textures, crafted for those who value timeless quality. Also offering original patterns, Addi needles and Clover accessories.
www.debonnaireyarns.com

H29-30 Dina's Home of Crafts
Dina's Home of Crafts is an independent crafts business specialising in luxury hand dyed yarn and fibre as well as a large range of knitting, crochet, spinning and dyeing products.
www.dinashomeofcrafts.com

K1-2 Doulton Border Leicester Yarn
We sell beautiful yarn, knitting kits, tops and patterns from our slaughter free flock of rare breed, high welfare Border Leicester sheep kept on our North Yorkshire farm.
www.doultonborderleicesteryarn.com

B23-24 Dreamy Wool
Visit Dreamy Wool to explore premium baby friendly yarn and unique crochet kits. Perfect for cosy blankets, thoughtful gifts, and makers who value softness, quality, and lasting results.
www.dreamywool.com

G11-12 Ducky Darlings Yarns
We are a hand dyed yarn business based in Derbyshire. We dye all our yarns ourselves with commercial dyes to create beautiful colourways.
www.duckydarlingsyarns.com

K15-16 Eden Cottage Yarns Ltd
Established in 2011, ECY yarn is inspired by nature and hand dyed by Victoria in her dye shed in Yorkshire with passion about beautiful bases and colours combined with practicality.
www.edencottageyarns.co.uk

G28 Elisa Fox - Textile Artist
Elisa is a contemporary textile artist based in Lancashire. She draws with thread using a standard sewing machine, adding applique and watercolours to create beautiful scenes. **www.elisafox.co.uk**

K7-8 Eliza Conway
Balls of carpet wool and vintage textile treasures. Cones of pure wool, wool fabrics from Yorkshire and Scotland, antique textile tools and wool winders etc. A different range every year.
www.elizaconway.co.uk

L25-26 Em Cross Ceramics
Handmade, wheel thrown ceramic yarnbowls and other tools for fibre and textile artists made by me in my West Country studio.
instagram.com/emilycross3810/

I27-28 Ethel and Joan
Ethel and Joan is a handmade haberdashery and accessory business offering a range of colourful vintage inspired products. All handmade in the UK by the owner Louise. **www.ethelandjoan.com**

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Yarndale Exhibitors by name

G32 Everything Felt Fibre Art
Designer Maker, specialising in Feltmaking. Beautifully handcrafted natural, unique and stylish designs made from felted wool. Including original and unique feltmaking/creativity materials and kits.
www.everythingfelt.co.uk

A18 Ewemake
Ewemake is a group of knitters who produce colourful socks which are prizes in our sock tombola. All is in aid of Martin House Children's Hospice.

J17-18 Felt by Bridget
Felt by Bridget specialises in original design, very wearable handmade wet felted hats, as well as a range of unique felted accessories.
folksy.com/shops/FeltbyBridget

J27-28 Felt Creative
A wide range of needle felting and wet felting kits, hand spun yarn, sari material and woolly supplies for your own creative projects.
www.feltcreative.co.uk

J1-2 Felt Fusion
Offering vibrant, tonal and variegated, ethically sourced hand dyed yarn, on a variety of bases including British wool and more luxurious options.
www.feltfusion.co.uk

G35-36 Feral Fibres
Torie is an ancestral weaver and wild spinner, using handspun yarn to create garments inspired by our ancient past with a modern twist. Sourcing rare breed wool from traceable farms.
www.feralfibres.com

C11-12 Fernhill Farm
Supplying fleece, tops, yarns, felt and finished items, we specialise in Native Colours from the Shetland, together with Crimp and Curls from the BFL, Romney, English Leicester and Wensleydale breeds.
www.fernhillfibre.co.uk

H27-28 Flat-Hills
As a small family business we specialise in making carefully curated weaving kits that inspire creativity, allowing individuals to craft, hand woven accessories that reflect their personal style.
www.flat-hills.co.uk

L9 Folkestone Harbour Yarn
Hand dyed yarns inspired by the Kent coast – we offer Kent Romney yarn, joyful colour, cheerful patterns, funky needles, notions & more to spark delight in every maker.
www.folkestoneharbouryarn.com

I35-36 Folklore Yarns Ltd
Come and feel our beautiful Donegal Tweed ranges: Traditions Aran tweed in 30 colours, our gorgeously soft Merino Mohair DK and our stylish Merino Cashmere Silk range. We have patterns by local designers. **www.folkloreyarns.com**

F33-34 Footprints on Forever
Fabulous clothing and accessories handmade in Shipley from funky soft organic cotton jersey. All our clothes are available in all ages and sizes and can be custom sized during the show.
www.footprintsonforever.co.uk

J11-12 For the Love of Yarn
Award winning independent hand dyed yarn brand based in Glasgow. Specialising in a vast array of bright modern colours across a wide range of bases. Community focussed working studio and shop based in the very heart of Scotland.
www.fortheloveofyarn.co.uk

K35-36 Frankie and Sidney
We design unique and unusual needle felting kits. Our kits are crammed full of everything needed for each project. Frankie and Sidney is a small business born and bred in Yorkshire.
www.frankieandsidney.co.uk

G7-9 Gam Farm Rare Breeds
Any more natural and the sheep would still be wearing it. Natural yarn straight from the rare and native breed sheep on a local farm.
www.gamfarmrarebreeds.co.uk

K25-26 Haberdashery and More
We have a large selection of buttons, knitting & crochet accessories, ribbon, embellishments, haberdashery and much more.
www.haberdasheryandmore.co.uk

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Inspiring Yarns

A Social Enterprise with a passion for yarn

Based in County Down, we specialise in ethically sourced yarns and fibres, hand dyed in small batches in our studio and our own range of Sewcially Responsible project bags made from fabric remnants diverted from waste. We also stock a variety of carefully chosen yarns, fabric and textile craft supplies from commercial brands.

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Join us at one of our weekend retreats across Northern Ireland.
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All profits from sales go towards supporting our social purpose: improving mental health and reducing social isolation.

Check out our new You Tube Podcast for our latest news. For further information and our online shop visit
www.inspiringyarns.co.uk

Yarndale Exhibitors by name

M11-13 Hart Farm
A not-for-profit organisation in the Yorkshire Dales helping children cope with difficult situations. Children can stroke, hold, groom, feed and walk the mini donkeys, alpacas, pygora goats and mini sheep. **www.hartanimals4kids.org**

J19 Hellen Edwards Artist
With a passion for felting and stitching, Hellen experiments with different fibres, mediums, colours and textures in which she exposes unique images of landscape and floral surroundings with a painterly 3D quality. **www.hellenedwardsartist.co.uk**

M3 Hermy
I produce luxury hand dyed yarn that is spun and hand plied in West Yorkshire. I also make accessories such as stitch markers and crochet hooks. **www.hermy.online**

C5 Hoop Knit
We are the B+M LYS at Sunny Bank Mills in Farsley. We sell only natural fibres from the very best commercial brands Lang Yarns, Sandnes Garn, Schoppel Wolle, Hjertegarn and much more. **www.hoopknit.co.uk**

D23-24 HotButterYarns
Knitting kits for accessories and garments all accompanied by a unique individually designed pattern by Jaki of HotButterYarns. Yarn content is hand dyed, locally sourced British yarn. **www.jakibogg.com**

H1-3 Irish Artisan Yarn
Hand dyed yarn inspired by Irish Landscapes. Luxury bases to include, Baby Alpaca, Silk, Cashmere, Mohair, Merino, Bamboo and Yak blends. **www.irish-artisan-yarn.com**

I32 Janet Browne
I make framed fabric pieces constructed in dyed cotton, wadding and stitch - maps, birds, towns, gardens and allotments influenced by folk art, often with text. I also make small works and cards. **www.janetbrownetextiles.wordpress.com**

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J21-24 Janie Crow
At Janie Crow we are passionate about yarn! We have patterns and kits for crochet and knitting projects, plus our own range of accessories including bags, stitch markers and tins. **www.janiecrow.com**

G33-34 Jen Taylor Crafts and Fibres
Fibre kits and crafted items available from a passionate felter and teacher who is always happy to share information and ideas. **www.jentaylorcraftsandfibres.co.uk**

K39-40 Jo Hunter Wearable Art
Beautiful, super lightweight and washable hand crafted buttons, shawl pins and co-ordinated jewellery accessories. Jo also sells button making kits and offers a 'make to match your fibre' service. **www.johunter.co.uk**

M21-22 Jo.Knit.Sew
Jo has a gorgeous selection of yarns, from moody yak sock yarn to joyous floofy lace. There's also hand woven project bags, yarn buckets and ever popular Big Girl Pants. **www.joknitsew.com**

F5-8 John Arbon Textiles
Artisan yarn and fibre tops designed, blended and spun at our mill in Devon, using primarily local fibre. **www.jarbon.com**

A20 Juko Designs
We make a range of weaving kits for beginners and advanced weavers and sell colour coordinating textile inspiration packs and yarn hanks that can be used for various textile projects. **www.jukodesigns.co.uk**

C3 Kates Kloths
Kates Kloths creates hand painted yarns and fabrics in varied textures for textile art. Inspired by wildflowers, we design versatile textile kits for makers of every ability and skill level. **www.kateskloths.co.uk**

M5 Katfish designs
Colourful needle felted and free motion embroidered brooches, accessories & homewares, inspired by our native flora and fauna. Lovingly handmade using British pure wool tweed. **www.katfishdesigns.co.uk**

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Yarndale Exhibitors by name

M23-24 Kath Andrews Designs
Kath Andrews' beautiful knitting patterns are clearly written covering a wide range of skills, techniques and interesting design features. Kits are available for some designs, alongside postcards and other treats.
www.kathandrewsdesigns.com

A12 Knit One Kits
Sell kits/yarn packs which all have a free pattern for blankets, garments, accessories and lots more. We have a strong presence of AW 2026 Sirdar garments in kit form at the show. Prices from £11.
www.knitonekits.co.uk

D30 Knitted Knockers UK
Knitted Knockers UK is a charity that provides, free of charge, knitted and crocheted breast prostheses for women in the UK who have undergone a mastectomy or lumpectomy.
www.knittedknockersuk.com

F1-4 Knitting4Fun
We're an independent retailer of knitting needles, crochet hooks and wool related accessories. We're KnitPro specialists, but our range includes other brands like Clover, Addi, and Lantern Moon.
www.knitproneedles.co.uk

A14 Knotted by Nish
Nish specialises in creating vibrant, hand dyed merino wool, with a particular focus on super chunky weights. Her bold, playful colourways bring a unique touch to every project.
www.knottedbynish.com

G25-27 Lammermuir Wool
Lammermuir Wool was born from a desire to showcase high quality yarn with traceability, produced from a small, gently managed flock with environmental kindness at its heart.
www.lammermuirwool.scot

H32 LauretteCraftsUK
A small business designing and creating laser cut crochet and knitting related accessories. We have an extensive product range but are also able to create bespoke items.
www.laurettecraftsuk.com

H13-14 Laxtons Ltd
Laxtons Specialist Yarns is a trusted manufacturing company producing premium worsted and fancy yarns, offering a fantastic, diverse stock product selection to inspire quality, creativity, and innovation. **www.laxtons.com**

A15 Little Likac Yarn
We create small batch, hand dyed yarn inspired by literature, storytelling and rich purple palettes, with a little sparkle to bring a touch of magic to every stitch. **littlelikacyarn.etsy.com**

K13-14 Loom
A hand dyed yarn and fibre studio based in Somerset, with a focus on non-superwash, British breeds. Rich tonal colours are complimented by a curated range of books and haberdashery.
www.loomwool.co.uk

H35-36 Lottie & Albert
Lottie and Albert is the home of Curate Crochet Box, thoughtful crochet kits, patterns and blanket packs! We champion modern projects that build skills and inspire creativity for mindful makers.
www.lottieandalbert.com

I13 Lottieknits
Luxury yarns hand dyed in small, limited edition batches by Lottie in her studio on the Wirral. Visit us for painterly variegated colourways, jewel tones and a beautiful spectrum of semi-solid shades.
www.lottieknits.com

A7 Louise Goult Textiles
A selection of fibre batts inspired by nature for spinning, weaving and needle felting. Embroidery kits and inspiration packs to unleash your creativity along with exclusive haberdashery items.
www.louisegoulttextiles.co.uk

A16 Loumousey Crafts
Whimsical, nature based crochet decorations, original design small batch crochet kits and handmade crochet hooks. All made in West Sussex using good quality supplies, eco stuffing and sustainable packaging.
www.loumouseycrafts.co.uk

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Yarndale Exhibitors by name

K11-12 Love Poppet
I carefully design cross stitch patterns, and kits, mainly based on nature or typography. I also sell a few other stitching notions to help you enjoy this craft. **www.lovepoppet.co.uk**

J7-9 Lucy Locket Land
Lucy Locket Land specialises in natural fibre yarns and fun knitting, stitching and crochet kits. Socks, shawls, Fair Isle, toys and more - there's something for everyone and wonderful accessories too! **www.lucylocketland.co.uk**

K20 Lucy the Tudor
This is my twentieth year of business, making spinning, weaving, knitting equipment, historical goods and haberdashery. I love making, and am proud that people use my products making wonderful things. **facebook.com/LucyTheTudor**

A17 Lynsey Walters
Joyous colourful handmade felt jewellery and hair accessories. Bold colourful and wearable, perfect for treating yourself or for a gift. Handmade in Fife, Scotland by Lynsey. **www.lynseywalters.co.uk**

I5-6 Madrigal Yarns
Deliciously hand dyed yarns, kits and patterns. **www.madrigalyarns.com**

D7 Maggie and Me
UK chunky yarn specialists offering modern knitting and crochet kits for accessories and homewares. Our Super-soft merino and chunky cotton, beginner friendly patterns are designed for relaxed, contemporary crafting. **www.maggieandme.co.uk**

C33-40 & D34-40 Making Space
Take a moment to make and be inspired. Meet others in these free drop in sessions, enjoy the chance to ask questions, share knowledge and learn different techniques.

K37-38 Mamie and Florrie
Amy dyes yarns with a more unusual construction from slubs, boucles and lace weight mohair to mega mohair! Amy brings ideas inspiring you to create something a little different. **www.mamieandflorrie.co.uk**

A13 Maru Studio
Hand dyed sustainable yarns, all 100% vegan, with colourways inspired by North Yorkshire and the natural world. **www.marustudio.co.uk**

A3 Muffin Ceramics
Muffin Ceramics sells a vast array of beautiful and unique handmade ceramic buttons. They also make a range of brooches, earrings and shawl pins in complimenting coloured glazes. **instagram.com/muffincer**

L32 Multipom
Make up to 20 pompoms at a time, using any yarn or fibre, in all sizes from 1-12cm diameter on the same unique Multipom tool. Demonstrations and a free pompom! **www.multipom.com**

K33-34 Needle and Feather
With inspiration taken from nature, architecture and geometric patterns, Needle and Feather's designs are perfect for those with a passion for colour and pattern. Bitesized squares become blankets, cowls and more. **www.ravelry.com/designers/needle-and-feather**

K32 Northern Yarn
Northern Yarn is an independent wool shop based in Lancaster, with a strong focus on locally sourced British wool including their own line from Lancastrian & Cumbrian flocks. **www.northernyarn.co.uk**

B9 Oh So Pretty And Clever Crochet.
Award-winning crochet workshops & retreats with Oh So Pretty And Clever. Friendly, inspiring and creative experiences, loved by guests and highly rated on Trustpilot. Making happy stitches since 2019. **www.ohsoprettyandclever.com**

K19 opus anglicanum
Medieval embroidery kits using British, naturally dyed wools, using medieval images with a modern twist. **www.opusanglicanumembroidery.com**

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Yarndale Exhibitors by name

I37-40 Oxfam Skipton
Help Oxfam beat poverty for good by bringing your surplus wool and haberdashery to our Yarn Amnesty, making space for your lovely new goodies from Yarndale! We'll also take care of your bags while you browse for £2 an item.
www.oxfam.org.uk

C1 Oxford Biocolours
Industrial pioneers of plant dyed British wool, we develop our own mordant-free, colourfast dyes, redefining sustainable colour at scale - creating low-impact yarns for makers who value sustainability and a little science. **www.oxfordbiocolours.com**

D3 Paint-Box Threads
A beautiful array of threads, fabrics and yarns that are dyed by hand in our studio in rural Herefordshire - just perfect for embroiderers, felters, weavers and other textile artists.
www.paintboxthreads.co.uk

C7 Penny Stitch Craft
Designer of hand dyed wool and plant based yarn inspired by myth and fantasy. I am passionate about inspiring crochet and knitting fans with patterns, kits and accessories based in Merseyside.
www.pennystitchcraft.co.uk

D21-22 Pigment & Ply
Hand dyed yarn inspired by art history and sketchbooks, complemented by handmade notions like candles, stitch markers, and illustrated project bags. Visit us for moody jewel toned yarns!
www.pigmentandply.com

C6 Pineapple Fibre Art
Inspired by the stunning Devon coastline and moorland, Emma designs crochet mandala kits for all ability levels; stocked with gorgeous indie hand dyed yarns, the hoops, patterns, ribbons and beads.
www.pineapplefibreart.com

L35-36 Pixie Yarn
Sophie loves colour and uses complex colour palettes and a painterly style to create unique, richly coloured skeins of solid, speckled and variegated yarn across a variety of bases.
www.pixieyarn.co.uk

A1 Pure Welsh
Range of slivers and batts for spinning/felting plus bare/dyed yarns in 4ply, DK and Aran, using home grown fleeces from our own flock of Shetland and Gotland sheep. **facebook.com/PureWelshLlanllwni**

M6 Purl by Pearl
Rooted in my Swedish heritage, I craft eco-conscious yarns using foraged and garden botanicals. The collection includes a small vegan range, is entirely plastic-free, and features handcrafted gemstone stitch markers thoughtfully. **instagram.com/purlbypearl**

I14-16 Purlescence Limited
Discover beautiful yarns, needles, inspiring books, and knitting essentials at Purlescence. We stock Fyberspates, West Yorkshire Spinners, ChiaoGoo, and more - everything you need for your next project. **www.purlescence.co.uk**

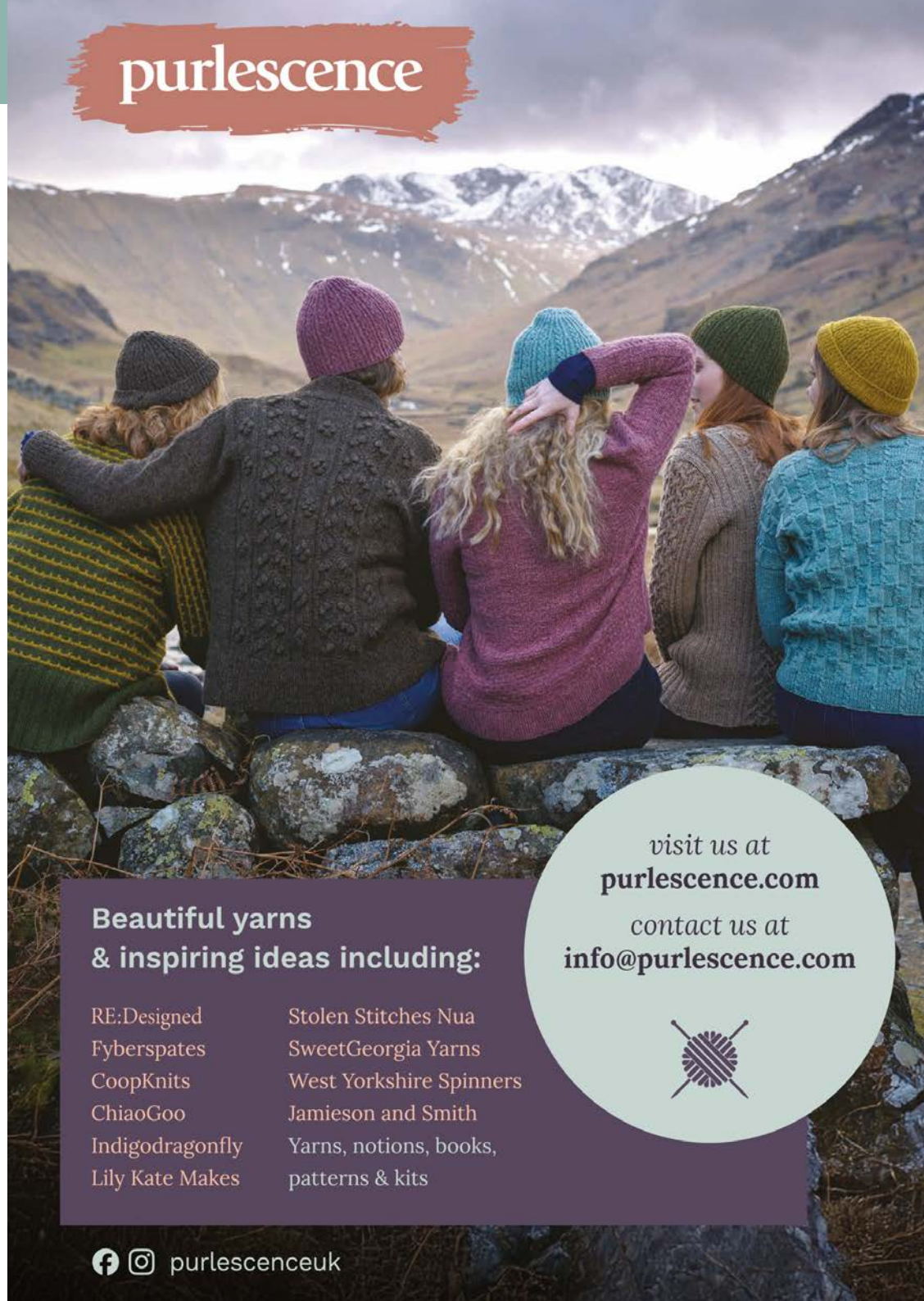
B29 Quack Yarn
Hand dyed in York, Quack Yarn creates luxury hand dyed yarn on a range of bases, for crafters who love colour! **etsy.com/uk/shop/QuackYarn**

D5 Rainbow Dandelion Crochet
Combines creativity, mindfulness, and wellbeing through inclusive crochet lessons, multi award winning beginner bundles, handmade creations, and yarn. **www.rainbowdandelioncrochet.co.uk**

K4-6 Red Squirrel and Dune
Squishable hand dyed yarns and fibre inspired by Formby's red squirrels, pines, and dunes, with notions and kits crafted to bring coastal calm, colour, and joy to your projects (or stash!)
www.redsquirrelanddune.com

L33-34 Riverside Knitting Wools
Knitting yarns made from natural fibres, processed in Yorkshire, with over 50 years of textile experience.

J3 Sardines For Tea
Adorable knitting kits to make our wonderful collection of animals and toys. Kits contain quality materials, that make these characters a joy to make. We sell yarn and haberdashery too!
etsy.com/shop/sardinesfortea



Yarndale Exhibitors by name

B13-14 Second City Yarns
We celebrate Birmingham using vibrant colours and non superwash British yarn and fibre. Inspiration comes from the Botanical Gardens, Jewellery Quarter, Gay Village and even the city's 11 bus route! **www.secondcityyarns.co.uk**

B17-18 Sew Different
Independent sewing patterns and limited edition dress-making fabrics from Yorkshire.
www.sewdifferent.co.uk

F25-26 Sincerely Louise
Sincerely Louise is an award winning brand specialising in taxidermy inspired knitting patterns, books and kits. **www.sincerelylouise.co.uk**

D27-28 SiobhansCrafts
SiobhansCrafts is the home of everything bright and colourful. Specialising in hand dyed yarn and fibres, acid dyes and a wide range of crafting accessories including project bags, mugs, stitch markers and more. **www.siobhanscrafts.co.uk**

C27-28 Skipton Stitchers
Our friendly community group is open to anyone with a passion for textiles and stitching/embroidery. We meet on the third Monday of the month and offer talks and workshops.
skiptonstitchersblog.blogspot.com

C2 Skipton Quakers and Grassington and District Peace Group
The stall is promoting the charity 'Knit for Peace'. You can sit peacefully for a time and maybe share in knitting white poppies or items for Knit for Peace.
www.skipton.quakermeeting.org

D4 SoftAccents UK
Soft Accents UK produces vibrant tote bags, project bags and pouches inspired by African wax print & contemporary fabrics, for knitters, crocheters & individuals something unique yet functional.
www.softaccentsuk.com

K9 Steffi Glaves
Micro crochet designer who creates fine, lacey jewellery with a 0.4mm hook. She is showcasing her jewellery alongside crochet kits, books, pattern-stickers and crochet notions.
steffiglaves.etsy.com

J13-14 Stephen & Penelope BV
Amsterdam-based yarn store Stephen & Penelope is delighted to showcase West Wool's unique bases in 100+ colours! Stephen West will be at the booth to help you embrace all your colour-popportunities!
www.stephenandpenelope.com

G15 Stitch & Story
Stitch & Story aims to give crafters a stress-free experience. Our all-in-one kits contain everything you need to get started and learn the basic techniques. **www.stitchandstory.com**

I23-24 Sue Stratford Knits
As well as a selection of favourite kits and books, Sue will be showcasing her new cute and quirky designs for 2026, including a few sheepy surprises!
www.suestratford.co.uk

C13-14 Super Effective Fibres
Hand dyed yarns with gaming, pop culture and geeky inspirations.
www.supereffectivefibres.co.uk

C29 The Artist's Lab
Modern embroidery kits for people who love getting lost in creating something new. All kits are beginner friendly with the supplies included to make your own embroidery hoop art.
www.theartistslab.co.uk

F29-30 The Button Box - Devon Ltd
We sell unique buttons, ribbons, trimmings and haberdashery, chosen personally by us to compliment your creations with quality, colour and character. **www.buttonboxdevon.co.uk**

G35-36 The Cone Exchange
Repurposing waste materials from businesses and individual donations, we turn trash into crafting treasure. We encourage crafty skill building and support our local community with the distribution of our fundraising. **www.coneexchange.org**

H11-12 The Craft Firm
Hand dyed luxury alpaca yarns in gorgeous shades, alpaca fleece for spinning, and beautiful knitting kits designed exclusively for our yarns by designers Fiona Drake @hndnitdrake and Lucy Burns @ coffeeandgracedesigns. **www.thecraftfirm.co.uk**

C15-16 The Crafty Bird
We make faux fur pom poms and we hand dye yarn in fun themes. We also offer crochet and knitted accessories patterns. **www.thecraftybird.co.uk**

H17-18 The Dye Shack
Naomi is a small batch dyer from Somerset, with a passion for colour she creates stunning colourways on beautifully soft, cruelty free yarns and she makes project bags for crafters.
www.thedyeshack.co.uk

L21-22 The Indian Block Print Co.
A huge range of hand carved, ethically sourced Indian wooden printing blocks. Block printing supplies & complete block printing kits.
www.theindianblockprintco.com

K23-24 The Knitting Gift Shop
Original design knitting kits, yarn, knitting gifts, yarn holders, unique knitting accessories, shawl pins, shawl clips & notions.
www.theknittinggiftshop.co.uk

I33-34 The Knitting Shed
Based on the edge of the Sussex Downs. We dye richly coloured rustic and luxury yarns in small batches. Choose one of our patterns to inspire your next project. **www.theknittingshed.com**

C8 The Knitting Viking
Our family enterprise offers exclusive premium knitting kits and patterns, blending our splendid hand dyed yarn, Jane's artistic eye for colour and design, Gill's sock designs and Alexander's inventions. **www.theknittingviking.co.uk**

H25-26 The Left Hookery
The Left Hookery specialises in super chunky modern crochet kits, patterns and yarn. Crochet should be fun and with a few simple stitches you can make something special.
www.thelefthookery.co.uk

H23-24 The Little Grey Girl
The Little Grey Girl offers hand dyed yarns, self-striping skeins, fibre, notions, and handmade project bags - thoughtfully designed to coordinate, inspire creativity, and bring modern style to every maker's toolkit. **www.thelittlegreygirl.com**

M9 The Makers Marks
The Makers Marks is a contemporary needlepoint kit company with collaboration at its core. Our kits are for colour lovers with a touch of nostalgia.
www.themakersmarks.co.uk

K21-22 The Makerss
Needle felting experts, sustainable and earth friendly, kits, wools, tools, accessories, books, workshops, retreats, female led, small and inclusive business. **www.themakerss.co.uk**

D29 The Peg Loomer
British wool in all its natural beauty - fully traceable, rare breed yarn from Yorkshire, along with peg looms, weaving kits and carded and textured wool for weaving, felting and spinning.
www.thepegloomer.co.uk

I21-22 The Pigeon's Nest
Joyful crochet kits and patterns, irresistible stickers, and modern haberdashery for creative makers. Designed by a crocheter, to spark inspiration for your projects, making every stitch feel like a treat.
www.thepigeonsnest.com

B8 The Point Paper Art Company Ltd
The Point Paper Art Company celebrates art from textile history. Utilising our fabulous collection of textile archives we have created wonderful wall art prints and gifts from the weaving industry.
www.pointpaperartcoshop.com

M8 The Weardale Weaver
Hannah's scarves are handwoven from luxury natural fibres renowned for their warmth and softness. Hannah focuses on using hand dyed yarns and hand spun fibres from small British based farm producers and artisans.
www.theweardaleweaver.com

F21-22 The Yarn Artist
The Yarn Artist lovingly creates hand dyed yarn inspired by artists and their masterpieces. Her art themed yarn bursts with colour and vibrancy that makes each skein a pleasure to work with.
www.theyarnartist.com

Yarndale Exhibitors by name

L23-24 Third Vault Yarns
Your geeky yarn companion dyeing bold and moody sci-fi and fantasy inspired yarns for everyone. Providing yarn, knitting patterns and hand dyed project bags that celebrate collaboration and fun.
www.thirdvaultyarns.com

C17-18 Thread of Life
Yorkshire's crochet specialist. All those hard-to-find crochet tools, including Tunisian hooks, hairpin tools and broomsticks, books and booklets, haberdashery, bags, mugs, etc. Ask crochet questions on stand. **www.threadoflife.co.uk**

B3 Tile Productions
Tile Productions are a Clitheroe based handmade ceramic tile company, from their waste clay they make beautiful buttons and woolly inspired gifts.
www.tile-productions.co.uk

B2 TillyFlop Designs
It's where yarn and graphics meet: greeting cards, tea towels, stickers, sock bands, wrapping paper, planners, notebooks, kits and more that celebrate knitting, stitching and fibre crafts with humour.
www.tillyflopdesigns.etsy.com

G21-22 TOFT
Luxury yarns, specialists in beginner knit and crochet kits and home to Edward's Menagerie and Alexandra's Garden collections of crochet animals, flowers and vegetables by Kerry Lord.
www.toftuk.com

F9 trava & wool
Hand dyed yarn using natural material. Botanical motifs used for decorating one off project bags. Pattern for toys and some other things.
www.travawool.com

I9 Treddling Woman
Treddling woman, a Manchester based business. Manufacturing bags and soft storage items since 2008. Our aim is to provide a quality product at a reasonable price. **www.treddlingwoman.co.uk**

K3 Twinkknits
Twinkknits hand dyed sock yarn, DK sock yarn. We also sell scissors, yarn bags, minis, stitch markers.
www.twinkknits.co.uk

J29-30 Under the Olive Tree Knits
Here you'll find lots of lovely hand dyed yarns, knitting patterns and kits, plus knitting notions such as needle gauges, coasters, stitch markers, journals, and ergonomic crochet hooks.
www.undertheolivetreeknits.com

B6 Unicorn Puffs and Rainbows
Unicorn Puffs and Rainbows is a joyful crochet brand celebrating colour, creativity and comfort, offering patterns, yarn, kits and community for makers who love playful, handmade magic.
www.unicornpuffsandrainbows.com

L3-4 Unseen Yarn
Whether you prefer dark and moody or bright and bold, nothing is off-limits. Unseen Yarn brings colour, creativity, and a dash of magic and mischief to your stitches. **www.unseenyarn.com**

J25-26 Uppingham Yarns
One of the unique suppliers of coned yarn to weaving, knitting and crafters. Stocking yarns from noble fibres, Vicuna, Merino, Silk to exciting yarns, heat formable, reflective and dissolveable.
www.wools.co.uk

C25-26 Verde
Verde offer a range of sustainable yarns and unique knitting and crochet kits crafted in recycled and organic plant based fibres. 100% PETA approved Vegan. **www.verde.uk**

M7 We Love Wool Club
From paint to pattern. I transform original paintings into knitwear designs, offering art prints, postcards and thoughtfully crafted knitting & crochet patterns inspired by colour, texture and lived moments.
instagram.com/welovewoolclub

H33-34 Wee County Yarns
Based in Central Scotland, we use yarn from Scottish mills in our wide range of knitting and crochet designs. There's something for all abilities and plenty of colour options!
www.wee-county-yarns.co.uk

G29-30 Wee Woolly Wonderfuls
Welcome to the wonderful world of Wee Woolly Wonderfuls! We specialise in Crochet and Knitting Kits, patterns and accessories. Find kits for complete beginners to experienced crafters!
www.weewoollywonderfuls.com

B4 Wekiwool
Wekiwool makes unique hand spun hand dyed artyarns, art batts, braids and fibre packs using fleece from North Wales. Inspiration for all crafters, felters, weavers and spinners.
wekiwool.bigcartel.com

F31-32 Weku Yarn
Weku Yarn is a hand dyed yarn company run by sisters Hannah and Lydia in East London. Inspired by their Ghanaian heritage, the sisters create rich, joyful colourways that celebrate family, culture, and tradition. **www.wekuyarn.com**

G23-24 Why Knot Macramé?
Debbie creates a variety of macrame pieces, from imposing, bespoke originals to smaller decorative and functional. Many of these are available as kits, ideal for crafters beginning their macrame adventure. **www.kilnandcraft.etsy.com**

B1 Wild Woolers
Hand spun rare and British breed yarns made in partnership with the Wildlife Trust and local farmers. Botanically hand dyed yarns; taster kits; patterns & books for knit and crochet.
www.wildwoolers.co.uk

H9 William and Tilda
William & Tilda use locally sourced woollen cloth to create textile accessories inspired by 1940s wartime Britain, rooted in traditional techniques, storytelling, and a 'make do and mend' ethos.
www.williamandtilda.co.uk

H19 Wood, Stone, Feather & Bone
Whimsical needle-felted woodland beings, folklore inspired fibre art, beginner friendly felting kits and natural wool fibres. Discover the magic of needle felting through handmade creations and live demonstrations.
www.woodstonefeatherandbone.com

D33 Wool 4 Ewe
Based on the Isle of Lewis, we use weavers waste from the Hebridean Woollen Industry and have it re-processed into knitting yarn - 100% British wool produced in Yorkshire.
Find us on Facebook.

C23-24 Woolly Mama Yarns
We specialise in vibrant and eye catching hand dyed yarns, perfect for the most colourful knit and crochet projects. We also stock a selection of accessories such as project bags and stitch markers.
www.woollymamayarns.com

L27-28 Woolmouse
Woolmouse stocks a hand picked range of commercial & hand dyed yarns, including Lovehandyed by David. Also a range of accessories and woolly associated products, crochet and knitting kits & gifts. **www.thewoolmouse.co.uk**

K27-28 Wooltops
Suppliers of wooltops & yarns. Mainly from British Falkland Islands. Socks from Arbon Socks.
wwww.wooltops.com

I17-19 Woolyknit
A family-owned yarn company based in Diggle, Saddleworth that specialises in manufacturing British wool yarn in a range of weights.
www.woolyknit.com

H21-22 Worldwide Creative Project in support of UNICEF
Inspired by Yayoi Kusama's interactive Obliteration Room, we are creating an array of woolly dots to cover the auction mart in colour. Come and join us to woolly up the auction mart! In support of UNICEF. **yarndale.co.uk/making-with-yarndale/yarndale-worldwide-creative-project-2026/**

B15-16 Yarn etc
Award winning independent yarn store, specialising in yarns from around the globe and their own Harrogate Yarn Company yarns, both commercial & hand dyed in house by owner Fiona.
www.yarnetc.co.uk

Yarndale Exhibitors by name

C9 Yarn Food
Feed your fibres: Yarn Food cleans and nourishes your wool, cotton, and sock creations. No-rinse detergents and blocking sprays keep handmades soft and vibrant. Made with love in Devon.
www.yarnfood.com

I3-4 Yarn Unique
Hand dyed yarns in rich and saturated colourways on the most delightful bases of Merino, Silk and Yak. Dyed in small batches in Cheshire, Yarn Unique is your spot to head to for beautiful yarn for your next project!
www.yarnunique.co.uk

D1-2 Yarndale Shop
Our WYS Signature 4 Ply sock yarn in our own exclusive colourways and other lovely stuff.
www.yarndale.co.uk/yarndale-stuff

I29-30 Yarnundyed (AC Wood Speciality Fibres Ltd)
We're a long established producer and supplier of high quality undyed yarns (retail and wholesale) for knitters, crocheters and weavers in a wide range of natural fibres. **www.yarnundyed.net**

B5 Yellow Door Yarn
Bringing a wide variety of brightly coloured yarns from the dye pots to your stash. Also sells a range of notions and 3D printed yarn bowls.
www.yellowdooryarn.etsy.com

C4 Yewtree Yarncraft
Discover a world of hand dyed yarns in an array of beautiful colours and bases, then pair them with our OOAK project bags, pouches and while you're there grab a yarn bowl cosy.
yewtreeyarncraft.etsy.com

L5-6 Yorkshire Blankets
Eco-friendly family run business. Our blankets are made using redundant yarns from Yorkshire mills, which would have otherwise ended up in landfill. Hand made by us here in Barnsley with love, care and quality. **www.yorkshireblankets.co.uk**

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See you at Yarndale next year!

Saturday 25th September 2027 : 10am - 5:30pm
Sunday 26th September 2027 : 10am - 4:30pm

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