

THE WOOL CLIP

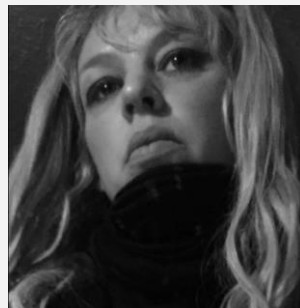
For all things Woollen

21 July 2023

Dear All

Thank you to everyone who has visited the shop (or shopped online) in recent weeks. We've had some fascinating chats and met lots of people who are using our yarns and tools as well as shopping for finished goods. We've also been pleased to welcome a new member - taking us back up to 14 people in the co-operative - and think you'll love **Susanna Smith's** woollen creations.

Susanna only moved to Carlisle earlier this year and she's already getting involved in the local textile community. As well as making versatile crocheted woollen vessels, Susanna also knits and creates unique necklaces. There are several of these now on display and also in our [online shop](#).



Of course, our established members are often keen to try new ideas or to create something a bit different too.

[Marion](#) is known for her peg loom weaving and also for upcycling woollen clothing with one-off embellishments. She's recently created a range of cushions, each one with needle-felted decoration.

[Alice](#) champions Britain's native breeds and their distinctive natural shades of wool, but her children's sweater kits in bright rainbow colours are proving really popular too.

In the past, [Debbie](#) was renowned as a wet felter and someone who could achieve realistic landscapes with wool as well as making bags and felted animal kits. In recent years, Debbie has been experimenting with eco-dyeing using natural leaves and flowers and the results are stunning.

If you've not visited The Wool Clip shop recently, there's always something new in stock and we hope you'll make the trip to Caldbeck some time soon. Or have a look at our [online shop](#) - some of the kits and projects could be just what you need to entertain youngsters over the school summer holidays.



Finally, we're continuing to make the last weekend of each month our demonstration weekend and the end of July will be no different.

There'll be spinning with [Jean](#) and weaving with [David](#) on Saturday 29th July. On the Sunday (30th July), [Jane](#) will be needle-felting one of her animal portraits while [Alice](#) demonstrates the art of knitting socks. Please drop in and have a chat - you could make a day of it as Caldbeck is a lovely village to explore.

Best wishes,

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PS We're also planning three days of demonstrations over the August Bank Holiday weekend - look out for details on our social media very soon.

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