



## *In The Skein Lane Loop*

Happy New Year!

It's time to regroup and reconnect! And a time to enjoy an open-house sale at [Skein Lane Studio](#) on Sunday, January 10. You will find many things both knitting and eclectic at extraordinary prices. Join us from 11am - 4pm at 208 Carmel Ave, El Cerrito.

Have you made New Year's resolutions? I tend to let those thoughts wander free-form through my thinking...but feel like being a little more concrete and sharing them this year.

So a few of my resolutions:

- An elementary "dear watson" is to knit more and to be allow my creative side more freedom.
- To continue fostering the love of knitting and its creativity.
- To make more time to enjoy family and friends.
- To continue learning.
- To be grateful for all of the joy that comes my way.
- and...there are more!

Skein Lane Knitting Workshop sessions begin again on Jan 5. Our knitting workshop sessions offer a chance to knit, learn new knitting skills, and to enrich our knitting friendships.

The blogs continue .....[Skein Lane](#), [The Fred and Alta Family Memoirs](#), [The Animal Farm](#), and now [The Aussie Connection](#). I continue to find things to say and I've learned so much along the way!

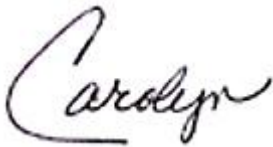
Our [Skein Lane Retreat](#) in mid-October was just wonderful with [Nancy Bush](#) and [Sally Melville](#) - We are offering the same instructors at the same location with new classes in October 2010. Check out our [website](#) and sign up as soon as possible. We are already nearing full!

## Classes

Again, the Winter sessions of [Knitting Workshops](#) begin January 5. Check our website for new offerings. One of our offerings will be a technical workshop once a month. We will begin a new knitalong for a sampler vest, and we will spend a lot of time knitting socks. Be sure to join us for field trips to neighboring retailers and designers.

Look forward to seeing you and hearing from you.

My best,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Carolyn". The signature is written in black ink on a white background.

Skein Lane Studio