

KNITTING4PEACE



Resource List for Yarn and Knitting/Crochet Supplies Donations

Thank you for your interest in donating your yarn and knitting/crochet supplies to Knitting4Peace. We appreciate your thoughtfulness in thinking of us. Unfortunately, we have very limited space and are currently unable to accept donations of yarn or supplies.

The list below was created with input from our Knitting4Peace Partners across the country. It includes state and national organizations who have accepted yarn and supplies in the past and is current as of October 2023. Please note that we have no direct connection to most of these groups and encourage you to contact them for more details regarding donations. If you know of a group we might include on this list, please contact jo@knitting4peace.org and we'll be sure to add your group!

DENVER METRO AREA

ReCreative Denver, a creative re-use store and community art center

765 Santa Fe Drive

Denver, CO 80204

Phone: 720-638-3128

Email: donate@recreativedenver.org

<https://www.recreativedenver.org/donate-your-stuff>

Renewed Treasures, non-profit store offering quality resale goods, open 9-5 on Tuesday-Saturday

6512 S. Broadway

Littleton, CO 80121

Phone: 720-446-1877

www.Loveinlittleton.org/renewed-treasures/

Kingdom Knitters, group of knitters/crocheters who primarily make prayer shawls and other comfort items; accept yarn donations

Cherry Hills Community Church

Highlands Ranch, CO

Contact: Tammy Kamrass

Email: tkamrass@gmail.com

COLORADO

Art Parts Creative Reuse Center, non-profit creative reuse center

3080 Valmont Road

Boulder, CO 80301

Phone: 720-379-5328

Website: <https://www.artpartsboulder.org/donations>

Hidden Treasure 2, accepts donations or consignments of yarn

2330 Main St, Suite D

Longmont, CO 80501

Phone: 720-340-9551

Email: hiddentreasure2@gmail.com

ILLINOIS

Crete Public Library, local library that collects yarn, hooks, needles, etc. to share with patrons; works with the Knot Just for Knitters group to make items for charity

1177 N. Main Street

Crete, IL

Phone: 709-672-8017

MASSACHUSETTS

The Knitting Connection, Inc., non-profit providing knitted items to children in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Arizona, accepts donations of yarn and supplies

PO Box 560065

West Medford, MA 02156-0065

Phone: 781-387-9171

Email: the knittingconnection@hotmail.com

NORTH CAROLINA

Welcome Baby Durham County Cooperative Extension Yarn Drive, yarn collection site in collaboration with the Durham County Cooperative Extension and the Butner Correctional Facility

721 Foster Street

Durham, NC 27701

PENNSYLVANIA

Art of Recycle, non-profit with free art classes, art supplies

27 Cloister Ave.

Ephrata, PA 17522

Phone: 717-466-6966

Website: <https://artofrecycle.org>

4 NINE Place, a totally volunteer-owned and operated thrift store that accepts donations of yarn

49 Smedley Street

North East, PA 16428

Phone: 814-899-7375

Email: 4nineplace@gmail.com

Scraps and Skeins, Creative Re-use Store

State College, PA

Phone: 814-234-6023

Email: sfields@sfionline.org

Website: <https://sfionline.org/donations/scraps-skeins/>

NATIONAL GROUPS

Goodwill

Various sites, location finder available on website

<https://www.goodwill.org/donors/donate-stuff/>

ARC Thrift Stores

Various donation sites, location finder available on website

https://www.arcthrift.com/donations?gclid=Cj0KCQjw9rSoBhCiARIsAFOiplkhINPn4a6y-iVU2Bc5ZXE2cCH9zX9OnepQ9yv_4eF0Z5kIU15RwZwaAkIMEALw_wcB

Salvation Army

Limited donation sites, some areas have a truck that will pick up your items

<https://satruck.org/>

NextDoor, an app to connect neighbors, businesses, and public services. Items may be sold or given away.

You must join the free app and indicate a neighborhood in order to post. Often, individuals will pick up yarn you have available.

www.Nextdoor.com

Buy Nothing Groups, available through their app or on Facebook, items must be offered free of any charge

You must join a local Buy Nothing group in order to post what you have available. Individuals who are interested in what you have will contact you.

www.Buynothingproject.org

Churches, Schools, Public Libraries, and Assisted Living Facilities

Many crafters and makers report success in reaching out to local organizations who may have a need for yarn or craft materials. Some of these organizations offer classes and/or supplies for free. We encourage you to check in your neighborhood.

Here's an article that also might be of interest to you:

<https://www.knittingforcharity.com/trim-yarn-stash-donating.html>