

8th Annual Germantown Library Fiber Arts Display

Meet the Artists

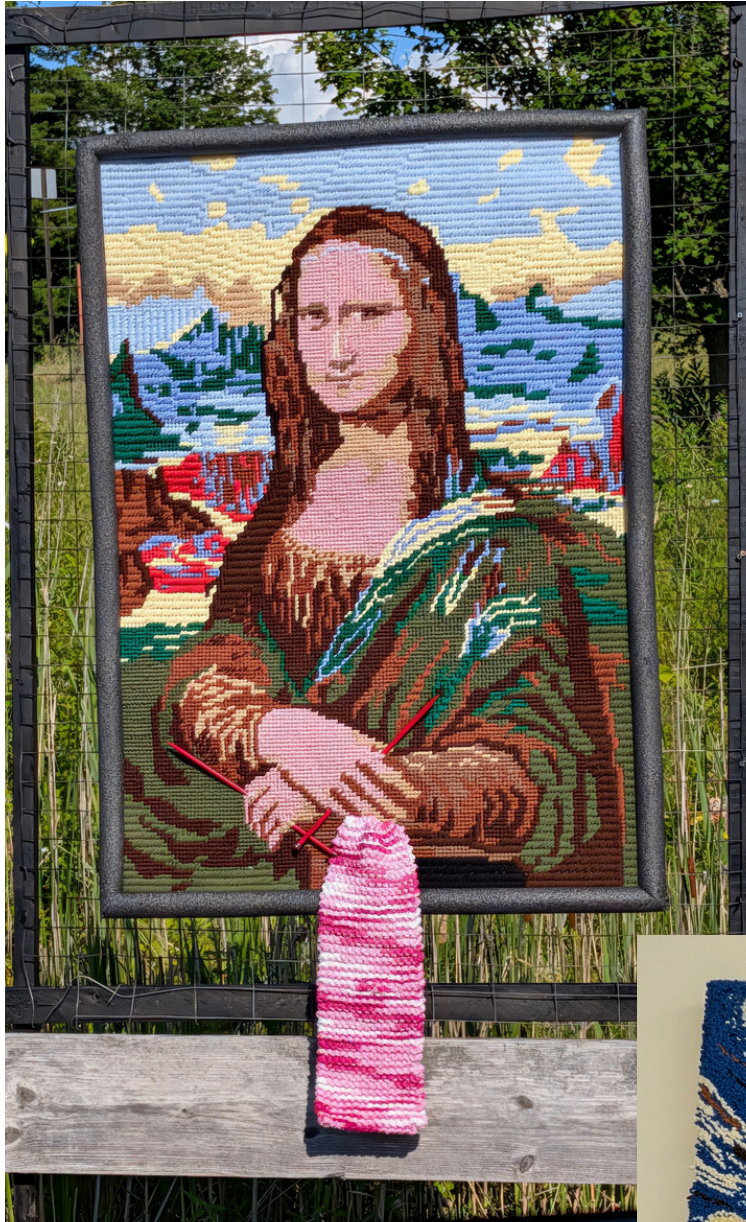
Kathy Overington is a long-time library volunteer who conceived the fiber art (aka yarn bomb) display idea during the mandated pandemic closures. It's popularity has made it an annual event. This year Kathy was inspired by the art of Keith Haring, Wassily Kandinsky, Edvard Munch, and Alexander Calder, along with making sure Bookie Monster returned. She also created several whimsical pieces inside the library. @komakersoul on IG.



Emi Olsson has been a member of the library fiber arts team since it's inception, and is well-known for her popular mandala creations. This year Emi was inspired by Alexander Calder and Piet Mondrian. For the latter she tackled the challenge of creating our largest hoop art to date when she used her mandala skills to create a piece almost 7 feet in diameter!



Nicky Sacco-Brown has been a valued member of the library fiber arts team for the past four years and is known for her ability to make impressive armature for fiber art pieces and for making the most amazing creations even when it's the first time she's tried a new skill! This year Nicky was inspired by Leonardo da Vinci when she created the knitting *Mona Lisa* (her first time doing needlepoint!) and by Vincent van Gogh when she created *The Starry Night* (her first time doing punchneedle!). The latter is on display inside the library.



Mary Howard joined the library fiber arts team in 2025 after joining the Library Board. Mary is a talented knitter who is well on her way to completing an Expert Knitter program. (Ask her about the amazing sweater she designed for her Capstone Project!) This year Mary had a full plate with work travels and being the library Board President (plus the knitting program), but she managed to find time to make the delightful melting clocks, inspired by Salvadore Dali's *The Persistence of Memory*.



You can see more of the current display and albums of past fiber art displays on the Yarn Bombing Germantown Library Facebook Page
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/769723947083060/media/albums>

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