

# YARNFITI 2025

**STITCHED TOGETHER  
COMMUNITY ART PROJECT**

Fiber artists, share in the magic of making as we create a universe of hand crafted art. Classes and meetups will be available to help collaborate on pieces from suggested patterns. Contributors are also encouraged to submit creations of their own design. Yarnfiti is an annual community-created art installation. In addition to knitting and crochet, contributors are invited to submit projects from a variety of crafts including, sewing, embroidery, weaving and more!

**SUBMIT BY AUGUST 30, 2025**



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# Macramé Star

*recommended for experienced crafters*

## Materials:

- Macramé cord or rope (not yarn)
- Scissors
- Tape to hold cord as you work

## Instructions:

- Cut your cord into 15 total pieces: 1 at 34 inches, and 14 at 30 inches each.
- Fold the longer cord in half with a loop at one end. Attach the 30-inch pieces to the 34-inch piece using a lark's head knot.
- Route the ends of the longer cord through the loop and pull it snug. This creates a circle shape with 15 groups of 2 cords hanging down.
- Separate your cords into alternating groups of four cords and 2 cords around the circle. For each group of 4, make a square knot and tighten it up to the center circle. This should give you 5 square knots with 2 loose cords between each square knot.
- Form another square knot below the first one, using the same 2 center cords, but skipping the outer cords and using the adjacent loose cords next to the first square knot. Be sure not to tighten too much or the shape will flip oddly. You'll end up with 5 more square knots, just below the first five, and no loose cords between.
- Add a third square knot below the first two, with the same center cords, this time skipping 2 outer cords on either side. There will be some overlap from knot-to-knot but this is part of the design. You should have 5 sets of 3 stacked-square-knots.
- Complete one more square knot, same center cords, skipping 2 outer cords on either side to form the knot. This creates a fourth knot in your stack, for a total of 5 groups of 4 knots each. Each stack of knots forms a point in your star shape.
- To finish, add a loop of cord to one of your star points to hang it on the wall, letting the cords drape down. Trim to your taste and enjoy your star!



Project source: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IcnANxZMVR0> - Soulful Notions DIY Ringless Shooting Star

## Yarnfiti: Stitched Together 2025 Submission Form

Please include a copy of this form with each item or group of items submitted for the Yarnfiti: Stitched Together Community Art Project. Submission(s) must be received at an Orange County Library System location by closing on August 30th, 2025.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

- Yes! Check here to be listed by name as a contributor in promotional material for the **Yarnfiti: Stitched Together Community Art Project**
- Yes! Check here to request your project be returned at the conclusion of the event.
- Please note: All items submitted to the project become the property of the Orange County Library System. While an effort will be made to return items, a request cannot be guaranteed.