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# Year of Gnomes 2025

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Inspiration



## a very simple knitalong for 2025

 **If you knit one of my patterns within a month, you can enter for prizes.**

 **If you enter a gnome in all 12 months, you are eligible for grand prizes.**

There will be a few themed months (like “Gnome for the Holidays” during July), knitalongs based on The Gnomes of Grimblewood book, and mystery gnome events. All of these are optional. You participate on your terms!

As with all of my make-alongs, I’m keeping this simple and low-key. There are LOTS of ways for you to participate.

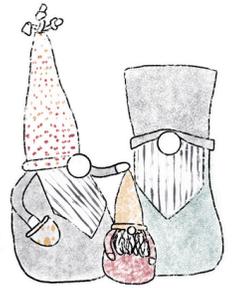
The best way to stay informed about what I’m planning is to sign up for (and read) my newsletter. I send an email about every other week.

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# Rules

- 1 You can make any number of gnomes. From any of my patterns. In any yarn.
- 2 You can enter a maximum of 1 gnome per month for a chance to win monthly prizes. Please cast on and finish in that month. No WIPs.
- 3 There's a special prize category for people who make a gnome every month in 2025.
- 4 There are no more rules.



## Entering for Prizes

### Monthly Prizes

Each month will have a separate Ravelry thread in the [Imagined Landscapes Group](#). You will post a picture of your finished gnome and link your project page there. That's all you need to do to enter. Winners will be drawn quarterly and contacted via Ravelry message. These threads will be locked during my breakfast on the 2nd day of the next month, giving you a chance to enter even if you were up late knitting until midnight on the last day of the month.

This is different than the Google Form entries of some of my other knitalongs, but it is necessary to keep the admin work of the event within my capacity.

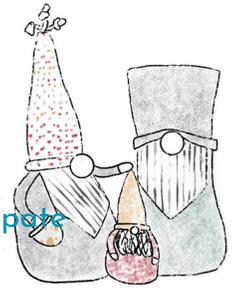
### Year-Long Prizes

To enter for the 12 Gnomes in 12 Months grand prizes, there will also be a Ravelry thread created exclusively for that on December 1 and closing January 4.

In that thread you will link to all 12 of the posts you made in the other threads, thereby confirming that you made the gnomes over the course of the year, **and** you will fill out a Google form linking your Ravelry username to an email so that I can contact you with your special celebration gift. And contact you if you win a grand prize, of course.

# Schedule

The Year of Gnomes 2025 will be an open-ended and fun knitalong. You can participate however you like. You don't even have to make more than one gnome



However, if you are participating, you might want to know what my plans are, so that you can have them in mind in case they change your plans.

I will host monthly Zoom chats for my Patreons on the last Saturday of each month at noon, Central timezone. [Join us on Patreon.](#)

Prizes will be handed out 4 times over the year. You will enter each month you complete a gnome, and I'll draw the prizes quarterly. If you complete all 12 months, you'll get a special celebration gift from me, as well as a chance to win a special set of grand prizes.

## My gnome plans:

(Reminder, these are just my plans, you can participate on your own terms.)

Empty months are just that - no fixed plans from me.

**January** -

**February** - publish a smaller version of Someone To Write Gnome About

**March** - Savour the Gnoment pattern rights revert to me, pattern available

**April** - mushroom-inspired mystery gnome

**May** - knitalong for Gnoddy The Earflap Gnome from the book (complete with free Zooms and tutorials)

**June**

**July** - Gnome for the Holidays knitalong (I'll be knitting some advent gnomes and thought people might like to join in with their own fun, whatever special day you want to knit for)

**August**

**September** - Mod Along (a knitalong where you modify a gnome, knit a mix & match gnome from the book, or otherwise mess around with your creativity and my patterns)

**October** - pumpkin-inspired mystery gnome

**November**

**December** - mystery gnome

**January 2026** - announce grand prizes



# List of Gnomes (in order of publication)

Never Not Gnoming  
Here We Gnome Again  
Gnome Pun Intended  
Gnome de Plume \*  
Oh, Gnome, You Didn't \*  
Gno Fun Like Gnome Fun  
Gnome is Where You Hang Your Hat \*  
Nice to Gnome You\*  
Adventure Gnome \*\*  
Gnot Just Another Gnome\*  
All Work, Gnome Play \*  
Leave Gnome Stone Unturned \*\*  
Make Gnome Mistake \*  
Gnedward of Grimblewood  
Gnola of Grimblewood  
Gneil of Grimblewood  
Gnormanda of Grimblewood  
Choose Your Gnome Adventure \*  
Gnome-Made Gifts \*\*  
The More You Gnome \*  
Gnando the Magnificent  
Gnilla the Regal  
Gnelson the Pirate  
Gnorhild the Viking  
Snow Matter What \*\*

\* mystery gnome

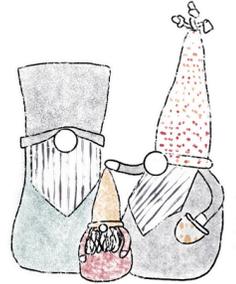
\*\* December mystery gnome

Gnome News is Good News \*  
Gnatty the Unexpected

Book Gnomes:

Gnorri  
Gnoodles  
Gnolan  
Gnoddy  
Gnicole  
Gnectar  
Gnatalia  
Gnarley

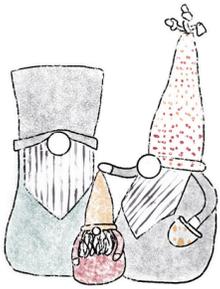
Someone to Write Gnome About \*  
Gnana's Visit \*\*



Are there more than 12 squares? Yes.  
Feel free to let your fancy run here - I don't know how you'll use this,  
but I can't wait to see!

# BINGO





# Special Collaborations

To make this year extra special, I am collaborating with several businesses in a new way to offer exclusive Year of Gnomes treats. Stay tuned for a mid-January reveal of the first offerings!



AdoreKnit is creating seasonal kits inspired by my gnome patterns. These kits will include project bags made with exclusive Year of Gnomes fabric, coordinating yarn dyed by Fibernymph Dye Works, stitch markers, and a code for a free pattern download from my Ravelry shop. Four kits will be created throughout 2025 on a seasonal basis beginning in January. Kits will be available through [AdoreKnit.com](https://www.adoreknit.com) and each kit will be unique, with no repeats, so you won't want to miss out on any of them!

For those who prefer a smaller treat, there will also be the option to purchase a special limited edition gnome marker set, so you can still join in on the fun and celebrate Year of Gnomes!

And here's the exciting part: anyone who purchases one of these seasonal kits will automatically be entered into a fabulous additional prize draw with some truly magical surprises! You won't want to miss out on this extra layer of gnome-y excitement!



[Twin Mountain Handcrafts](https://www.twinsmountainhandcrafts.com) is bringing their experience in custom products to offer stitch markers featuring my gnome art, wee little buttons for embellishing gnomes, and circular bases to use to stabilize your gnomes.

# Participating Dyers, Yarn Shops, and Guilds

So many great businesses are offering interesting combinations of yarn clubs, kits, subscriptions, events, and more. Please check the [Year of Gnomes spreadsheet](#) for a list of dyers that will be continuously updated.

I hope to do the same for Yarn Shops and Guilds early in the new year. I'll update this PDF at that time and make announcements.

If you are a dyer and would like to join, please [click here](#).

If you are a yarn shop or guild and would like to play along or offer classes, please [click here](#).

