

# knitty® rate card

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Alicorn by Julie Crawford for Knitty's 15th Anniversary issue

**knitty ad rates start at \$60 per issue!**

In 2017, we lowered our ad rates for the first time in a decade. How could we do this? Our Patrons have been providing Knitty with direct financial support since September 2015. That's allowed us to increase what we pay our contributors, update our back-end code and lower our ad prices.

Why did we do this? Our mission is to promote all aspects of the handknitting industry. Offering **even-more affordable ad space** where you can feature the knitting and craft products you sell is a very important part of that mission. Your products inspire our readers, along with our patterns and articles. We wouldn't want to make this magazine without you!



To learn more about our Patreon campaign, visit [patreon.com/knitty](https://patreon.com/knitty)

Questions? Write Amy at [knittyadmanager@gmail.com](mailto:knittyadmanager@gmail.com) - she's here to help!

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33,000+ Twitter followers 114,000+ Facebook likes

## Why advertise with Knitty Magazine?

With our passionate, engaged audience of knitters\*, we think there's no better place to spend your advertising dollars than with Knitty. We have a variety of ad spaces to suit every budget, **starting at just \$60 per issue!** Whether you have a product or service to sell, we can help you find the perfect spot to show off what you have to offer.

- \* More than **479,000** projects on Ravelry have been knitted using Knitty patterns. Take a peek here: [tinyurl.com/KnittyRav](https://tinyurl.com/KnittyRav)
- \* Our moderated forum on Ravelry is home to over **8,500** knitters

### Knitty advertising information

Issue name	Issue live	General theme	Ad deadline
<b>First Fall + Holiday Headstart '18</b>	June - Aug	Transitional cool-weather layers + projects to knit early for holiday gifting	May 15, 2018
<b>Deep Fall '18</b>	Sept - Nov	Cool-weather garments + accessories	Aug 15, 2018
<b>Winter '18</b>	Dec - Feb	Cold-weather garments, accessories, quick last-minute gifts	Nov 15, 2018
<b>Spring+Summer '19</b>	Mar - May	Warm/hot-weather garments + accessories	Feb 15, 2019

All advertisers in each issue are also listed on a handy "Our Advertisers" page so that readers may easily locate and visit the site of any advertiser, without having to search for their ad. This listing is in alphabetical order, text only and clickable, and is archived\* with the issue.

**Ad content** Knitty accepts ads for knitting, crocheting, spinning, weaving, and fiber-related supplies, tools, books, magazines, patterns, gifts and services, as well as handcrafted items and items of interest to crafters of all types. Knitty will not accept ads we feel are offensive, harmful, tasteless or inappropriate. Knitty reserves the right to reject any ad before publication. For content ads, Knitty reserves the right to choose the page your ad will appear on.

**How to book** Visit [knitty.com/bookit.php](https://knitty.com/bookit.php), select the ad category/ies you wish to book, complete and submit the form. Our Advertising Manager will contact you to complete your order and bill you the week we go live with your issue. Our preferred method of payment is Paypal. Ad fees are nonrefundable. Ads booked by Canadian companies or individuals are subject to HST. All prices listed are in US dollars.

**Artwork format** Ads must be submitted in the pixel size specified on pages 3-4 of this Rate Card, either as a static JPG or GIF, with a resolution of 180dpi. No animated GIFs, flash-based ads, pop-ups or pop-unders are permitted.

**\*Archived issues** Once a new issue goes live, the previous issue is available through our **Library** section, along with all other previous issues. Knitty reserves the right to apply secondary ads [i.e. Google] once an issue is archived in the Library.

### Issue Sponsorship: our most visible ad space

rotating • use up to 5 images per spot • 6 spots available

Your banner ad appears along the right side of **every single page in the issue**. Ads load randomly and all ads receive equal exposure over time. **Your ad will continue to work for you, even when your issue is in the Library** (see Archived Issues on pg 2). You can provide up to 5 unique ad images to share your own space, each with their own URL, and feature a variety of products! We have lots of ideas about how you can best use this space. Contact Jillian!



### TRY THIS! Build your own Issue Sponsorship co-op.

As our friends at *FiberBuzz* have been doing for years, assemble a group of up to 5 businesses to share the most visible space on Knitty! Simply provide us with artwork and a linking URL for each ad, and we'll take care of the rest. You and each of your partners will receive an equal share of exposure over time while splitting the cost of our most visible ad space between you and your fellow business owners.

was ~~\$2750~~ now **\$1000**

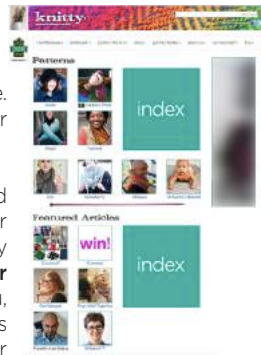
**160 px wide x 550px high**

### Index page (Table of Contents)

rotating • 15 spots available

To browse Knitty's patterns and articles, readers visit the Index page. Every pattern and article featured in the issue is accessible from our clean, engaging Index page that's optimized for all mobile devices.

There are two locations for Index ads: to the right of the Patterns and then several screens further down, beside the Features. So no matter what they're interested in, readers will be exposed to an Index ad every time they visit this page. This gives you **remarkable exposure on our highest-profile single page**. Your ad will continue to work for you, even when your issue is archived in the Library (see Archived Issues on pg 2). Ads load randomly and all ads receive equal exposure over time.



was ~~\$750~~ now **\$500**

**250px wide x 300px high**

### Library (Back Issues, Index of Patterns by Category)

rotating • 10 spots available

The Library is the **most-visited section** in Knitty, after our cover page. On these mobile-device-friendly pages, readers browse to find the next project they'd like to cast on. Your ad will be prominently displayed at the top right of more than 30 pages in our Library of patterns and features from 14 years of previous issues. Ads load randomly and all ads receive equal exposure over time. Your Library ad will be live on the site during the 3-month run of the issue you choose.



was ~~\$450~~ now **\$300**

**250px wide x 300px high**

### Pattern page

only 1 content ad per page

This exclusive space gives you **permanent prime visibility** at the top of a pattern or feature article that's optimized for all mobile devices. Your ad will be the only one atop the page. Advertisers may select from available content pages to match their ad message to our readers' interest *when possible*. First come, first served. Your ad will continue to work for you, even when your issue is archived in the Library (see Archived Issues on pg 2).

**Extra content:** 2 or 3 Surprise patterns go live the month after an issue launches. They stand out a little more than a pattern might when released with 15+ others in a new issue.

**BONUS!** Receive a free single Bizcard ad with every Surprise pattern booking!

was ~~\$225-250~~ now **\$200**

**600px wide x 100px high**



### Bizcard

2 sizes available • rotating placement

Covet Central is Knitty's 24-hour shopping mall, optimized for all mobile devices. Our readers visit this page specifically to shop and to see what's new.

A Knitty Bizcard is the most affordable way to be seen by our readers at exactly the moment **they're interested and ready to buy!** Every time the page loads, the ads appear in a new random order, giving all advertisers equal exposure on all parts of the page over time. Your ad will continue to work for you, even when your issue is archived in the Library (see Archived Issues on pg 2).

**Single Bizcard**  
**Double-tall Bizcard**

was ~~\$120~~ now **\$60**  
was ~~\$205~~ now **\$100**

**250px wide x 100px high**  
**250px wide x 210px high**



### KnittyBlog

rotating placement • 6 spots available per month

Featuring posts written by Knitty's Editors [Amy Singer and Jillian Moreno] and Editorial Assistant/Managing Tech Editor [Kate Atherley], knittyblog.com is a **vital source of interaction and information** for Knitty readers. It's also the place Knitty contests are hosted. Your ad will run for one calendar month. KnittyBlog is updated at least twice a week, with notices sent to our 33,000+ Twitter followers for every post.

was ~~\$125~~ now **\$100**



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