Subject: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by b_twin_1 on Mon, 03 Jan 2011 01:05:05 GMT
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Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by Fake Frenchie on Mon, 03 Jan 2011 06:42:21 GMT
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Nice pictures, especially the CAKE! I doubt Sarah's an amateur!

Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by Marina on Mon, 03 Jan 2011 13:13:28 GMT
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That is a gorgeous cake, and not a beginner's!

A friend of ours who knits endlessly has just given two shawls like the one pictured for Yule gifts--and she chose to add beads to the outer rows. What a lovely pattern that is!

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Posted by Robin on Mon, 03 Jan 2011 14:53:33 GMT
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Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by jmeadows on Mon, 03 Jan 2011 18:00:35 GMT
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Posted by abigailmm on Tue, 04 Jan 2011 04:01:03 GMT
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Even prettier to see and touch (*smug*)

Livvi and her friends all seem to work in the finest yarn I have seen, with tiny skinny needles. I have always been a fan of crochet that moves along at least a quarter inch per stitch. This stuff was quite out of my league.

(Though when it comes to the beadweaving that I took up in my fifties, people are always commenting on the tininess of the beads and the patience it must take. But with beads, at least if you drop one you don't get a ladder propagating itself down the whole piece.)

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Posted by blondviolinist on Wed, 05 Jan 2011 00:15:00 GMT
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Posted by b_twin_1 on Wed, 05 Jan 2011 00:20:04 GMT
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Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by blondviolinist on Wed, 05 Jan 2011 02:22:08 GMT
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jmeadows wrote on Tue, 04 January 2011 21:11
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Posted by livvispatula on Wed, 05 Jan 2011 05:30:19 GMT
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Posted by Ithilien on Wed, 05 Jan 2011 08:41:10 GMT
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And if you don't want it, I think it would like to live on the other side of the world... :)

Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by jmeadows on Wed, 05 Jan 2011 10:04:19 GMT
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snork

I actually do want to try lace this year. Hence all the lace supplies. I've just got to decide which one I want to start with. :)

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Posted by blondviolinist on Wed, 05 Jan 2011 14:38:25 GMT
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You are so brave. I have yet to get up the courage to dye any yarn for a project, yet. Is there a chance of closer pictures of the shawl, either here or on Ravelry? ::is greedy to see more of the pretty::

Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by livvispatula on Thu, 06 Jan 2011 04:16:39 GMT
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I'm generally too lazy to post things on Ravelry, but...

shawl
shawl on cat
cat likes shawl

And for good measure, these are the Chalice-inspired gloves I started at the party; I finally finished them today. I particularly like the lacing up the sides :d

lace closeup
cuff closeup

Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by blondviolinist on Thu, 06 Jan 2011 04:26:00 GMT
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Thank you! Those are beautiful.

Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by jmeadows on Thu, 06 Jan 2011 10:32:53 GMT
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So beautiful!!

My favorite is "shawl on cat."

Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by Marina on Thu, 06 Jan 2011 10:54:43 GMT
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I like cat likes shawl!

My cat Mithril ignored things like rabbit fur or fake fur--she'd nurse on things made with acrylic fibers, at any age. It was bee-zarr.

Subject: Re: PRC Roundup: Did I forget anyone?? – black bear
Posted by southdowner on Thu, 06 Jan 2011 12:57:42 GMT
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gorgeous shawl... and so helpful of your cat to model it :d