

# SCRAPSTORE

## Reuse Centre



Swindon Childrens  
Scrapstore

Turning waste things  
into play things



## September Newsletter

Dear Sir or Madam,

### SCRAPSTORE OPEN DAY / FUN DAY

We would like to say Thank you to everybody that attended the Scrapstore Open Day at the new Scrapstore premises in West Swindon, we had a fantastic day and would like to say a HUGE thank you for helping us to raise £280.

The bouncy castle was a huge success and we would like to thank Crunch Media for donating it for the day, the children loved it and so did a few adults!

## Welcome!



We would like to welcome Mel Thompson as the latest member to join the Scrapstore Team as a Craft Facilitator.

Mel is a trained Teaching Assistant and will be offering affordable Creative Arts and Craft workshops at the Scrapstore or will bring the workshop to you!

Mel has 2 ½ years working in a local nursery, where she obtained my NVQ levels 2 & 3 in Early Years Child Care and Development. Mel then worked in a local Infants School, as a Teaching Assistant for nearly 5 years working mainly with reception classes and also ran movement groups during PPA time. If you would like to find out more about our workshops please contact Mel on Tel: 01793 513982 or email: [mel@scrapstore.co.uk](mailto:mel@scrapstore.co.uk).

## Thank You !!



We would like to Thank Involve Swindon for their help in finding a volunteer to help the Scrapstore set up a membership database. We were contacted by Nigel of Arval in Swindon offering to help with the mammoth task, we would like to personally say Thank you to Nigel who not only produced us a bespoke database designed for our needs but also for donating his valuable time.

Involve Swindon provides help for charities to find volunteers in the commercial sector, Swindon employers allow their staff to volunteer their field skills in their working week, and so donating much needed skills that charities are not able to access.

If you would like more information about volunteering, please call Olivia on 01793 513982.

# Great News !!!



## MEMBERSHIP SPECIAL OFFER !

The Scrapstore is even better value for money with 33% discount available to new members.

We are open to the general public and support schools, community groups, child-minders, nurseries, colleges, students, youth groups, after school clubs, crafters, art and drama groups, to name a few with the provision of low cost creative materials.

Membership Benefits - Pay our annual subscription, we will issue your membership card and you can collect materials from the Scrapstore resource centre free of charge all year round.

Non Members – Pay a donation for the materials they collect per visit, guide prices – A carrier bag = £5 or a large bag £10

Level	Cards	Applies to	Discounted Cost
Bronze	1	Students, Persons on Benefits and other Individuals	£ 20
Silver	up to 5	Not For Profit Groups, Non-fee paying Nurseries, Pre & Special Schools	£ 50
Gold	up to 10	Not For Profit Groups, Primary and Secondary Schools	£100
Platinum	up to 15	Profit Making Organisations, Fee-paying Nurseries and Schools	£140

## ONE DAY TASTER WORK SHOPS – WORKING WITH CREATIVE ART THERAPEUTICALLY



Come and build on your existing skills, Scrapstore is running a series of one day workshops. Training workshops facilitated by Angela Quick B.A. (Hons.) Post Grad. Dip. Somatic and Art Psychotherapy, which varies from relaxation and story making, working with nature, photography, creative working with clay, dance and movement, creative writing and poetry, stress management and confidence building and includes a course handbook.

The workshops will involve using innovative techniques to develop your abilities, whilst demonstrating that all kinds of materials thrown away from local business groups can be used in creative and practical ways.

Courses will be held monthly and start from Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September 11am – 3pm.

Midweek and Evening Courses Available on request. Please call Angela on 07966 151932 or email: [angela@goldenlight.yahoo.com](mailto:angela@goldenlight.yahoo.com)

Foundation Courses also start on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2011 – Discounts NOW Available!

**COST PER PERSON £60 (10 PEOPLE MAX PER GROUP)**

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*Open – Tuesday to Friday 10am till 4pm*

*Every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month 10am till 2pm*



