

Hi Scrappers,

Here is the email you've been waiting for. Lots of information in here. Grab a coffee, your calendar and read on.

Our new scrapbooking name is **"Scrappin' Gypsies"**. How appropriate, eh? No home at this moment!! Fantastic choice!!!

'Scrappin' Gypsies' will be operated by Mary Stanton and Cheryl Arends. Joan Harwood will be along once in a while to teach some classes etc. and I (Juanita) will continue to keep you informed, register you for classes, bring along the tools to crops and get to scrapbook along with you. Hooray!!!

'Scrappin' Gypsies' crops and workshops will be held at the Kozlov Centre on the corner of Bayfield and Cundle Streets in Barrie, in the community rooms in the lower area. One community room (C21) is in the lower level beside food court... the other is around back where the old 'liquor store' used to be across from Zellers lower entrance. (This 2nd area by Zellers is where our first crop day will be.)

Kozlov rents out this space in the hope that people will come into the mall for an event and use some of the Kozlov facilities...thus, we ask that you get your refreshments or lunches from some of the food court people or Metro. (Or brown bag it or go to Timmy's etc. but we cannot bring in too much for you.. might be a surprise or two once in a while! Did I say that???)

1. **Crop Days:** These will be in 4-hour (\$5) or 8-hour (\$10) time slots, depending on how long you wish to stay. We will start crop time at 9 am and go to 9 pm. You can choose what time slot you want, but must tell me when you email or phone to register for it. For example:you may wish to come from 9-5 or 10-6 or else 9-1 or 11-3 or any other 4 or 8 hour combination that suits your day between 9 am-9 pm. These days are just for your enjoyment... no pressure, no hoopla.. just a chance to visit with your friends and get your layouts, cards or projects finished.

The dates are as we had announced before:

Thursday, October 13, 2011

Wednesday, November 9, 2011

Tuesday, December 13, 2011

Email me your preference as soon as possible. You may pay on arrival...Please pay with cash. There will be some limited cardstock and adhesive available to purchase (also with cash).

Tools available are:

- Original cricut and some assorted cartridges...you have to have your own mat.. there will also be a limited amount of mats for purchase too. (If you have a specific cartridge you need...bring it with you or contact us to see if we have it.)
- Cuttlebug and embossing folders
- Grand Calibur and spellbinder dies
- Variety of punches -page maps/idea books
- Big Kick and some dies

2. Workshop Days: \$40

These workshop days will run from 10:00 am to 4 pm.

Usually there will be one – one page layout and one – two page layout and a little goodie bag and a prize or two. (Some surprises may occur). If you have extra time available on workshop days, you may do your own scrapbooking.

When you register for these classes, have a credit card number to hold your place. When you come to class we do hope you will pay with cash or a cheque. The credit card number will only be used if you do not show up and do not call to cancel.

I will send workshop participants a list of items the teachers wish you to bring to the classes as soon as they get them to me.

Saturday, October 29, 2011 (fall theme classes)

Saturday, November 26, 2011 (Christmas classes)

Saturday, December 3, 2011 (Christmas classes)

3. Copic classes continue with Mary.

These classes will be held at the Excalibur Office at 142 Commerce Park Drive, Barrie, door 'M'. Mary will have beginner and advanced classes. When you email me your interest in Copic, I will direct it to Mary. She will let you know the colours she is using and order markers needed for you.

Beginners are \$30 and include 3 markers (depending on the numbers, this beginner class may be held at another location) but still 6:30-8:30pm

Wednesday, October 19, 2011

Thursday, November 24, 2011

Advanced are \$40 and include 5 markers

Tuesday, October 18, 2011

Tuesday, November 22, 2011

4. **Cardmaking class: \$30**

This class will also be taught at the Kozlov Centre. In this class you will do 3 designs but end up with 9 cards...yes, 9!

Thursday, October 27, 2011

You can choose either 1-4 pm or 6-9 pm

5. **ATC Swap**

The first trade is going to be held on **Tuesday, October 25, 2011.**

This will be at a home in Midhurst at 7' clock. When you email me your interest, I shall send your email on to our host who will confirm with you. She will let you know the cut off date to register and the number of participants you need to make cards for. This is a free swap...just need to register at least a month ahead. There will be opportunity for anyone that wants to, to teach a technique or create a card with the whole group. I believe at the first trade, our host will demonstrate her Copic air brush technique for backgrounds. If you have Copics, bring 2 or 3 of your favourites. If you don't, just show up ready to see how exciting this is. More info on other times at the first swap.

What a lot to take in!!!..... keep this so you will be up to date with our goings on!!

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