Hi everyone,

We are really happy to see the further lifting of Covid19 restrictions & are pleased to announce that we will be reverting back to our regular shop trading hours from tomorrow -Thursday 1st April. We're also pleased we're not in Brisbane!! Please keep in mind that we are teaching classes most mornings & we usually have our hands full then. If you are coming with a group of friends or you'd like to visit during quieter times, afternoons are best for you. We still have customer quotas & don't want to be overcrowded. Masks are not required in our shop at the moment, but of course you are welcome to wear one. Shopping hours are on our Website, Facebook page & also on our business cards. For those who don't have access to any of these they are: -

- Monday Thursday 11am 3pm
- Friday 1pm 5pm
- Saturday 1pm 4pm
- Other times by arrangement

We are still in the midst of a global pandemic & things have been known to change quickly. Keep an eye on emails or call in advance if you are unsure when to visit.

Product of the month for April is stencils. All full-priced stencils will be 20% off this month.

What's new:-

Graphic 45's latest offering is called Elegance. This is a beautiful, feminine range with pink & cream roses, French elements & dress form designs. We have 12x12 paper packs, 8x8 paper pads & ephemera packs as pictured below.





We have had more Lavinia stamps arrive as pictured above, but none are part of their latest release. We hope to have March release stamps mid-April, but they are not available for suppliers to order yet???? We are checking twice a day & will get our order in as soon as we can. We are now able to purchase their Eco glitter & we have a few colours to try. If glitter is your thing, Lavinia's is a gorgeous, biodegradable blend that is kind to the environment too.

Classes

Jenn has a couple of great new classes. In class 1 you create 3 beautiful cards & one sample card using **Cosmic shimmer Glitter kiss**, gilding polish & some new Tim Holtz 3D embossing folders. You will learn some great ways to use these products to add dimension & a subtle sparkle & sheen to your cards

In Class 2 you create 3 amazing cards learning **Gel press techniques** using paints, stamps & pan pastels. You will also leave with up to 20 usable samples from all of the different gel press prints.

Tamara has a fabulous new class using **Mica flakes**, **alcohol ink**, shaker domes & new Paper rose dies. In this class you will create 3 cards using these delicate flakes & learn some more great ways to use alcohol ink.

Classes with availability in April/May

We are teaching 7 days a week during April, but most of these classes are fully booked. If there is a class you'd like to do & the dates don't suit, please call Chris to arrange another time. There are places in the following classes: -

- Friday 16th April 10am 1pm 3 cards using Mica flakes with Tamara \$25
- Thursday 29th April 9-30am 12-30 pm 3 Lavinia-style cards with Chris \$25
- Friday 30th April 9-30am-12-30pm 3 gel press cards with Jenn \$25
- Saturday 1st May 10am 1pm 3 cards using Mica flakes with Tamara \$25
- Tuesday 4th May 9-30am 12-30pm 3 cosmic shimmer cards with Jenn \$25

10 card class using Kaisercraft Morning Dew range with Chris

We make a combination of masculine/feminine cards with a modern garden theme in green, pale grey & white tones. We include some creative folds, gel-press & alcohol ink techniques. If you already have this class booked for your group then kits have been put aside, otherwise these will be the last dates we run as the range has been discontinued: -

- Sunday 18th April 10am 4pm 10 cards \$55
- Saturday 10th April 11am 2-30pm part 1 five cards \$30) these two classes
- Saturday 24th April 11am 2-30pm part 2 five cards \$30) are done together

Chris is also repeating a 10-card class using the **Couture Creations "Sunburnt Country"** 6×6 paper pad. We use these fabulous Aussie papers to make a waterfall card, shaker card & do some stamping, colouring & alcohol ink backgrounds. We have one place left doing all 10 cards on Friday 23^{rd} April from 9-30am - 3-30 pm. Cost is \$55

We will be closed over the Easter break from 2^{nd} - 5^{th} April (Good Friday - Easter Monday). We will re-open on Tuesday 6^{th} April at 11am. Have a safe & happy Easter break & make sure you fit in plenty of craft projects!!

We will be open on Monday the 26th April as this <u>is not</u> a Victorian public holiday in lieu of Anzac Day.

Keep smiling 😊



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