Hi everyone,

Thanks for all your calls & messages regarding our September workshops with Aida from 13@rts. Unfortunately, we are still waiting on photos & kit details. As soon as the samples arrive, we will send a separate email with photos so you can confirm your places. We did ask that deposits were paid by now, but we will extend this for a few weeks as we don't expect payment until you have all project details. Final payments will still be required by 19th August as we need to order & pay for kits. We will be sending a message with all the information you need along with photos very soon!!

What's new:-

It's lovely to have some new paper collections from 13@rts this week. The gorgeous "Sweet summertime" is a floral range featuring peach & pink summery images with a touch of blue. The fabulous "Travel journal" range features many holiday scenes including beach, shells, palms, lighthouses, suitcases & an outback scene. The 3rd collection in this release "Beautiful moments" has been delayed. We hope to have this next month.

13@rts has chosen not to have 6x6 paper pads in any of these releases, but we have 12x12 paper pads, some individual 12x12 double-sided papers (as pictured below), die cut packs, stencils & some lovely new vellum label frames.











We decided to try some of the EZ2O clear storage solutions called buddy bags. They have a
large range of different sizes & shapes to store your favourite craft bits. They have a clear
plastic outer with a Velcro seal & also have a harder plastic case inside to keep things neat.
The type pictured below is called Edna & is 11 inches wide, 3.5 inches deep & 4 inches high.







 Dina Wakely keeps coming up with fabulous new collage paper designs. This pack is called "jumbled" & features great alpha combinations to add interest to your favourite projects. • We have received numerous new 3D embossing folders this year. We liked this new standard fern leaf embossing folder (pictured above) from Couture Creations for great backgrounds.

Classes

Card-making

Vanessa has a few classes on the go in July including her gorgeous new 4 card set using the 13@rts Memory Lane range. These cards feature rustic florals in white, dusty pink, plum & taupe using die cut shapes including teddies, rocking horses & clocks. She combines these with her favourite rose gold embellishments & some great card designs.

She is also repeating a class using the Paper Rose "Bee happy" range. These cheery cards incorporate bees, honey & gnomes in bright yellow & green tones.

Vanessa is continuing with her wonderful 13@rts "secret garden" cards. These 4 cards are predominately in shades of blue & green featuring peacocks, feathers & florals. She has designed various lovely, shaped cards to enhance this vibrant patterned paper.

Chris

Chris has completed some new cards using the lovely "Memory Lane" range from 13@rts. Her 10-card set are on display & are quite technique based using the 6x6 paper pad. In this class we use some great new dies with gilding flakes, embossing folders, Lavinia sticky stencils & stamps, Julie nutting stamps, gel press techniques & plenty more. As usual, these cards can be made in an all-day 10 card class or 2 five card classes. If the 10-card date works for you, but you only want to do 5 at a time, we're happy for you to do 5 cards in this class & we will schedule another date for the second 5.

She has also designed a new set of 5 cards using the Mintay "Nightfall" 6x6 paper pad combining wine, lanterns, music, picnics & starry nights. We did make some kits for you to do at home during lockdown with these papers, but these cards are totally different to those. The new five cards feature techniques using gilding flakes, brusho crystals, oxide inks, background stencilling & some interesting folds with purple, gold & teal tones.

Tamara is back from her holiday refreshed & relaxed. She will be designing some new cards for classes in August & they will be on display later this month.

Card making classes with availability for July include: -

- Tuesday 4th July 10am 1pm 4 Secret Garden cards with Vanessa \$28
- Friday 14thth July 10am -1pm 4 "Bee Happy" cards with Vanessa \$28
- Thursday 27th July 10am -1pm 4 Memory Lane cards with Vanessa \$28
- Saturday 29th July 10am 4pm 10 "Memory Lane" cards with Chris \$60
- Sunday 30th July 11am 2pm 5 Mintay "Nightfall" cards with Chris \$32
- Tuesday 1st August 10am -1pm 4 Memory Lane cards with Vanessa \$28

Art Journalina

Meagan's classes are booked solid for July with no vacancies. We hope to have a new class running in August to free up some places.

Scrapbooking

Vanessa's new layouts have a fabulous Aussie flavour using the Couture Creations "Australia's natural beauties" paper range. Her rustic new pages feature native flora & fauna ephemera paired with our favourite Aussie die cuts & are suitable for all occasions.

She is repeating her Paper Rose "Bee Happy" paper layouts in July in case you missed them. These bright yellow & green pages are surrounded with sunflowers, daisies & bees & with a delightful "friends" theme.

Vanessa is also working on some masculine layouts using 13@rts "Industrial Zone" paper range. This range features cogs, taps, chains & pipes on brown, rust & grey backgrounds. These layouts will be on display later this month. Dates for Vanessa's scrapbooking classes with availability include:-

- Wednesday 12th July 10am 1pm "Bee happy" scrapbooking layouts \$28
- Saturday 15th July 11am 2pm "Australia's natural beauties" layouts \$28
- Wednesday 26th July 10am 1pm 13@rts "Industrial Zone" layouts \$28

Vanessa will be teaching regular monthly scrapbooking classes on the 4th Wednesday of the month from 26th July so if you'd like to join her classes on a regular basis, let us know & we'll book you in.

Our walls & shelves are covered with amazing papercraft projects and most are available for you to learn. We have classes to suit all skill levels, some are technique based using all sorts of different mediums & others are using patterned papers. If you see a project that you like & don't see any dates advertised for the class, make a note of the description tag & contact us to arrange a day for you.

Chris will be taking a short break in mid-July. If you need to speak to anyone at the shop during our regular hours, please call the Shop phone on 0493 051331. Chris will have a message on her phone with this number, it will be on our Facebook page & our website in case you forget.

It's that time of the year when our back carpark often gets boggy. Just a reminder if the gates are open you can park against the fence & off the street. If the gates are closed, you are welcome to park in the driveway.

Keep smiling



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