



THE GIFTING GNOME



ARTIST CO-OP | GIFT SHOP | WORKSHOPS

Newsletter - August/September 2025

Welcome to the Gifting Gnome!

We're excited to bring you the second edition of our Gifting Gnome newsletter—a little something to keep you in the loop with all the goings on in the shop. While we hope this will be a bi-monthly treat, let's be honest... life can get in the way sometimes! So we will do our best to keep you up to date as often as possible.

The Gifting Gnome is a true artist co-op showcasing the work of over 25 incredibly talented local artists. Our shelves are brimming with handmade treasures—unique art, jewellery, décor, homewares, and more—each created with heart and imagination. And the best part? There's always one of our lovely artists in store to help you find that perfect piece.

But we're not just about shopping—we're a community hub for creativity! From Resin Art to Macramé, Mosaics to Candle Making, we run a colourful calendar of fun, hands-on workshops that are as affordable as they are inspiring. No experience needed—just a love of making and a smile.

And don't forget our Friday Night at the KNOB events—something is always brewing, and you won't want to miss it! Come visit, get inspired, and support local creativity—we can't wait to welcome you in!

Peta, Sharlene and The Gifting Gnome Artists xx

Friday Night at the KNOB Community Markets

**October 3rd
5.30pm - 7.30pm**

Gifts Markets Fashion

Sausage Sizzle

**Get to know your
Local Businesses and Community**

Village on Varley | Follow the Flags

FRIDAY NIGHT AT THE KNOB

Enjoy a relaxed evening of shopping, browsing and connecting with your local community. Market stalls | Handmade gifts | Fashion | Sausage sizzle
Mr Dairy Whipp | Good vibes

October 3rd | 5.30-7.30pm

Save the date, spread the word ❤️

HIDDEN @ YORKEYS WORKSHOP

We've teamed up with Hidden@Yorkeys for a fantastic Afternoon Tea & Candle Workshop. Spend a relaxing afternoon unleashing your creativity while enjoying the tranquil surroundings of Hidden @ Yorkeys.

Your Experience Includes: A delicious Afternoon Tea, all materials to bring your candle creations to life & step-by-step guidance

You'll Take Home: A happy, full belly from a decadent afternoon tea, your very own set of custom candles to treasure

Date: August 23rd | **Time:** 3pm | **Cost:** \$95 | **Book:** <https://www.trybooking.com/CYJFN>



Hidden @ Yorkeys Candle Workshop

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SEA GLASS ART

Dive into creativity with our Sea Glass Art Workshop! This unique and inspiring workshop is perfect for those looking to explore their artistic side and create stunning, ocean-inspired masterpieces.

Date: August 29th | Time: 6pm | Cost: \$85

Book here: <https://www.trybooking.com/CYJLX>



Sea Glass Art Workshop



Resin Embed Workshop



RESIN EMBED

Beach Treasures - In this hands-on beach-themed workshop, you'll learn how to embed natural elements like shells, sand, and driftwood into resin to create your own stunning keepsakes. Sandra will guide you through the basics of working with resin, including how to layer, pour, and arrange your beachy finds.

Date: August 30th | Time: 1.30pm | Cost: \$90

Book: <https://www.trybooking.com/DAYQH>

MOSAICS

Mosaics with Liz Workshop. We are very happy to be able to give you the next workshop date from Zilmo Mosaics. In this workshop you will get to create your own Mosaic masterpiece for your garden and home. These workshops book out quickly so get in early!

Date: August 31st | Time: 11.30am | Cost: \$95

Book here: <https://www.trybooking.com/CYJLX>



Mosaic Art Workshops



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RESIN ART

Resin Boat Oars Workshop

Learn the art of colour mixing and layered pours in a fun, relaxed environment. No experience needed – just bring your imagination! All materials and PPE are provided.

Date: September 5th | Time: 6pm | Cost: \$95
Book here: <https://www.trybooking.com/CYJLX>



Resin Art Workshop



Bottle Top Art Workshop



BOTTLE TOP ART

Create Your Own Funky Bottle Cap Art using recycled bottle tops, you'll design and assemble your own vibrant, textured piece—full of colour, character, and personal flair.

All materials and PPE provided

Date: September 7th | Time: 10am | Cost: \$85
Book here: <https://www.trybooking.com/DEIEI>

DECOUPAGE WORKSHOP

With many years of experience, Sam will guide you through the process of transforming seashells into beautiful, personalized works of art using decoupage techniques, (cutting, gluing, and sealing). How to apply decorative paper | Tips for achieving a smooth, flawless finish. All Materials Provided

Date: September 13th | Time: 10am | Cost: \$85
Book here: <https://www.trybooking.com/DAHYY>



Decoupage Shell Workshop



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MACRAME WORKSHOP

Sharlene from Hanging Around Macrame is back after a break from workshops. Create your own pot plant hanger in a choice of 3 colours - Cinnamon, Natural or Sage.

Book early as she will only be holding a couple of workshops this year

Date: September 14th | Time: 10am | Cost: \$85

Book here: <https://www.trybooking.com/DEIER>



Please note: For some of our workshops your project may not be ready to take home on the day.



High Tea & Candle Workshop

COMING SOON

We are finalising the details for our September High Tea Candle Workshop so stay tuned for more information

SPECIAL EVENTS

Interested in hosting a special event or party?

We can create a custom workshop or experience just for you!

Contact us at info@thegiftinggnome.com to learn more.

With Christmas just around the corner get your staff party sorted now.

COSI FASHION

Be sure to visit Cosi Fashion next time you're at the shop—it's located directly across from The Gifting Gnome. Wendy curates a stunning collection of Italian fashion and accessories designed to flatter every figure. With plenty of exciting things in the works, be sure to stay tuned and follow her on social media for the latest updates!

Wendy also offers private shopping experiences for you and your friends or family—just add bubbles, nibbles, and a relaxed, no-pressure vibe for a fun and memorable outing.