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MAY NEWSLETTER

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DOWN THE RABBIT HOLE
The Creative Afterglow

Welcome to our May newsletter...
or should we say... welcome back from Down the Rabbit Hole!

What a wonderfully full and creatively chaotic month it has been here at Scrappingclearly. Between retreat preparations, new releases, World Scrapbooking Day celebrations and a magical weekend spent creating together, May absolutely flew by in a swirl of papers, paint, laughter and late-night creativity.

This month truly filled our cups — not just with beautiful projects, but with friendship, inspiration and the joy that comes from sharing creativity with such an amazing community. From the whimsical wonder of our Alice in Wonderland retreat to seeing your gorgeous creations shared online from our World Scrapbooking Day free download, we've loved every moment of this wonderfully creative season.

Inside this issue we're taking a little look back at the magic of the retreat, showcasing some beautiful new Luckyfindings Fragments releases, and celebrating the incredible inspiration shared by our creative community.

So pop the kettle on, settle into your favourite creative corner, and enjoy this little collection of May's creative afterglow...
we're so glad you're here.



Spectrum STORIES
a year through the colour wheel

May's Spectrum Stories kit is here and this month we're embracing the richness and creative depth of the colour palette RED in true Scrappingclearly style. Packed with beautiful coordinated elements ready for layering, storytelling and mixed media play, this kit is designed to spark inspiration from the very first page.

Available now for $89.95 plus postage
— but be quick, these beautiful kits never last long!

SHOP HERE

Down the RABBIT HOLE Retreat

The Creative Afterglow

This month we gathered for our long-awaited Down the Rabbit Hole Retreat, where a beautiful community of creative souls stepped into a world of curiosity, imagination, storytelling, and just the right touch of delightful madness.



Across the weekend, we created a bumper-sized mixed media album taught by Tracey Thorne — a storybook-style journey bursting with peek-through windows, hidden elements, moving parts, and layer upon layer of Wonderland-inspired magic. Classic characters intertwined with beautifully detailed new designs, with every page revealing another curious surprise as the story unfolded.



But the magic didn't stop at the craft table…

The entire retreat space was transformed into an enchanting Wonderland escape, filled with whimsical details in every direction. A huge heartfelt thank you goes to Karen, whose incredible styling and creative vision brought the room to life as a true Wonderland dreamscape — overflowing with charm, curiosity, and pure amazement. From the moment guests arrived, it truly felt like stepping inside the pages of Alice in Wonderland herself.

The beautifully styled High Tea table added another layer of magic to the weekend and became such a special gathering place — filled with laughter, friendship, and shared creativity.
A heartfelt thank you also goes to Jason, our resident chef, for keeping everyone so wonderfully nourished throughout the retreat.

And to every single retreater who joined us on this curious adventure… thank you. Your creativity, kindness, and joyful spirit brought the story to life in the most beautiful way. It truly was a weekend that filled our cups in every possible sense.

We cannot wait to see more of your gorgeous creations, favourite pages, and finishing touches shared in the ScrappingClearly Share & Inspire group — the inspiration flowing from this retreat has been nothing short of magical.

Thinking about joining us next time? Keep an eye out for future retreats {on the next page}…. you never know where the next rabbit hole might lead.





2026

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Vivid & Vintage RETREAT

A weekend of creating, inspiration and vivid and vintage

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW

DATES
20TH, 21ST & 22ND NOVEMBER 2026

Starts Friday at 4:00pm
Finishes Sunday at 3:00pm

VENUE
ST PATRICK'S HALL

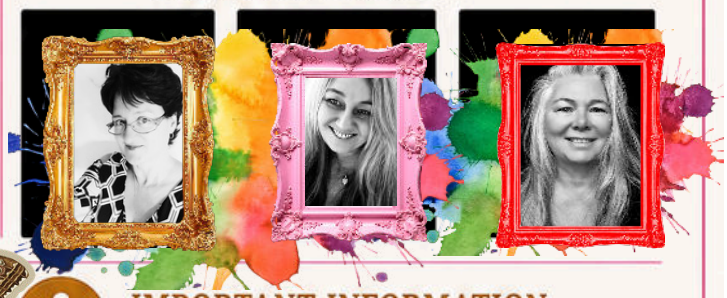
Cnr Homer & Sheridan Street
Gundagai NSW 2722

COST
TOTAL RETREAT COST: $500

PAYMENT PLAN:

- $100 non-refundable deposit to secure your spot
- $200 – 1st instalment
- $200 – 2nd instalment due 20th August 2026

TEACHERS
Learn from our amazing Curative Collective Team as they guide you through vintage-inspired and vibrant creative projects all weekend long!



INCLUSIONS
- Morning & afternoon tea
- A delicious lunch each day
- Inspiring classes & projects
- Class project kit
- A creative & friendly environment
- Laughter, connection & memories that last forever!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION
Due to venue commitments, catering, class preparation and kit ordering, all payments become **non-refundable from 20th August 2026.**

If you are unable to attend, please provide at least three months notice prior to the event (by 20th August 2026) so we can offer your place to someone on the waitlist.

JOIN US FOR A VIBRANT & INSPIRING WEEKEND!

CREATIVITY ♥ CONNECTION ♥ LAUGHTER ♥ BEAUTIFUL ART

in true Scrappingclearly style

CLICK HERE TO GO THE SHOP TO BOOK IN FOR RETREAT

NOW WE'D LOVE TO SEE WHAT YOU MADE!



TO CELEBRATE WORLD SCRAPBOOKING DAY ON THE 2ND OF MAY, WE GIFTED OUR CREATIVE COMMUNITY A DOWNLOADABLE PACK FILLED WITH GORGEOUS DESIGNS READY TO PRINT, LAYER AND CREATE WITH.

IF YOU'VE CREATED WITH THE FREE DOWNLOAD, DON'T FORGET TO UPLOAD YOUR PROJECTS INTO THE DEDICATED ALBUM OVER IN SCRAPPINGCLEARLY SHARE & INSPIRE — WE ABSOLUTELY LOVE SEEING YOUR PAGES, JOURNALS AND CREATIVE INTERPRETATIONS COME TO LIFE.

CLICK HERE TO GO TO THE DEDICATED ALBUM AND POP YOUR CREATION IN TO INSPIRE OTHERS

CURIOUSER AND CURIOUSER....

the rabbit hole has delivered even more creative treasures!

Released during our Down the Rabbit Hole Retreat, we unveiled

10 brand new Luckyfindings Fragments ranges

inspired by the wonderfully whimsical world of

Alice in Wonderland.



Filled with curious characters, vintage storybook charm, playful details and beautifully layered imagery, these new releases are perfect for journals, scrapbooking pages, mini artworks, tags and mixed media adventures.

So pour yourself a cup of tea, embrace your inner Mad Hatter, and wander into the Scrappingclearly shop to discover the newest additions to the Luckyfindings collection... because in Wonderland, one Fragment is never quite enough.

The first 5 have been loaded to the shop and the next 5 sets will be in store by the end of the week... the White Rabbit is running Late .....

SHOP NOW

COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

This month we're celebrating your beautifully curious creations: layered storytelling pages, fabric + paper experiments, bold colour play and those glorious "happy accidents" that turn into the best part of the page

Keep sharing in the group — it's like our very own Mad Hatter's table of creativity.

Creativity isn't always tidy. Sometimes it's a rabbit hole, a paper scrap, a stitch out of place — and suddenly, it's something extraordinary.

The Scrappingclearly Curative Collective Team