DRAWING WORKSHOPS for kids 5 & up

MAY 2015 - NEWSLETTER # 1



Welcome to our very first D2S Newsletter - bringing you drawing news, reviews, information & inspiration all in one short & sweet read each TERM.

Our aim is to let you know what's coming up in the next school holidays, SPOTLIGHT a Workshop from the previous Holidays & share with you some LIKE-MINDED FOLK, SITES, BOOKS, BLOGS & anything we think is worth having a look at ...

SO HERE GOES!

WINTER Holiday Drawing Workshops 30th June - 10th July 2015

Our WINTER School Holiday Timetable has been finalised & bookings are now OPEN

We have some revised (but tried & tested) favourites in:



Inside, Outside Upside Down &

Sticks & Stones, The Bones You Own

& some **NEW** very exciting Workshops:

Through The Looking Glass (Art, Science & Wonder)

Taking kids on a drawing journey through the magnifying glass & down the microscope to discover the beautiful visual world of natural science up-close & personal!



(WEDNESDAY 1 July, 1:30-4:00 & THURSDAY 9 July 9:30-12:00)

Fin, Fur & Feather

Getting to know a little more about the amazing animals of the sea, land & sky through drawing

exploration of their unique forms, features & habitats

SPOTLIGHT ON:







Music, Movement & Drawing Machines

Inspired by a mutual love of Drawing Machines, Mark Making & Soundscapes, we devised a Drawing Workshop for the April School Holidays combining ALL three!

Drawing Soundscapes in INK to tracks by Mozart, Kraftwerk and a Percussion Ensemble produced an energy in the room that was palpable! We turned kids into human Spirographs, created a body movement colouring-in montage & finished with open experimentation using a host of drawing machines. As we watched the kids move between the wind-up chickens, spinning washers, old school typewriter (there was a line for this one) & other makeshift drawing tools we marvelled at each new approach & knew we had to share this wonderful world of Music, Movement & Drawing Machines again (& again & again) (including next holidays: WEDNESDAY 8 JULY 10:00-3:00).





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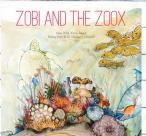
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