



Newsletter

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Mission Statement:

ArtsJunktion mb gathers and provides free quality reusable materials for all who work with art and children in Manitoba

ArtsJunktion mb is a non-profit, community based organization.

Membership in ArtsJunktion mb is open to all community members and is free of charge.

Pop by the new ArtsJunktion site ~ 312 William Avenue (enter through Cre8ive Art Supplies and Services or on the left side of the building on the loading dock)

- a desk chair
- garbage cans
- stepping stool or small ladder
- fold up tables
- desk lamp
- 2 teapots
- electric kettle
- 40 cup coffee perculator
- bank of cupboards (uppers and lowers)
- clothing rack



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The new and beautiful ArtsJunktion site is now ready! Thanks to all of the people who donated their time and expertise to get the space ready!



Co-Chairs Report

We're very excited to be moving into our warehouse space at 312 William Avenue. Although we're not yet fully moved in, it looks fantastic! ArtsJunktion mb is a non-profit grassroots organization accessible to all Manitobans. We collect clean "waste" materials that would end up in the landfill, sort and stock them, and make them available to all - for FREE! Our members include artists, environmentalists, teachers, daycares, crafters and crafts groups, service groups, and individuals who want free junk. ALL are welcome.

Now that we have secured a space and have a strong executive of committee chairs, we need more help. We urge you to get involved with ArtsJunktion mb! You can contribute by:

- telling everyone you

know about us and what we do; encourage them to visit the website and join our mailing list

- connecting us with companies that have good junk to donate; there is so much going into the landfill that we could use!

- encouraging a local business owner to consider becoming a financial sponsor of ArtsJunktion mb. We support local businesses and strongly encourage our members to support those businesses that support us.

- making a donation yourself. ArtsJunktion mb is run entirely by volunteers and relies on the generosity of donors. Please consider making ArtsJunktion mb your charity of choice. All donations receive a charitable tax receipt. We need your help more



than ever!

We hope to see you at our upcoming **Fundraising Social, November 10th at The King's Head Pub, 5-10 pm**

Contact us for tickets. Please come out and show your support for this most worthy organization!

We hope you consider contributing to ArtsJunktion mb and supporting our local arts, environmental and downtown development. Sincere thanks to our committed executive, volunteers and donors.

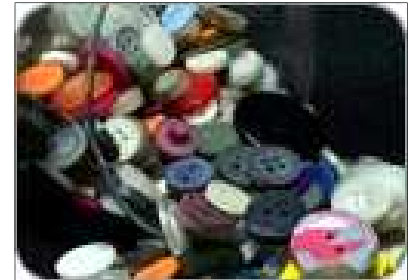
Finance Committee Report

By Suzanne Simpson

Over the summer Finance committee has been busy applying for grants and soliciting businesses to donate as part of our partnership program. Businesses who donate a minimum of \$1000 are considered a partner and will

be featured on our new website. Please consider supporting the businesses who are supporting ArtsJunktion mb the next time you are shopping. Please contact the Finance committee with any grant suggestions or if your interested in getting involved in the

grant application process.



Membership News

by Tracy Nanka

With ArtsJunktion mb's new downtown location comes the prospect of preparing to move in! We are thrilled at the location and the space is perfect... now we need **volunteers** to help set up this exciting new space!

Please note the following important info:

We need immediate **VOLUNTEERS** to help with: painting and set up and transporting materials.

We are also looking for volunteers who can help throughout the year by: working depot

hours, picking up materials, phoning companies to inform them of AJ and soliciting material donations, and helping out with fundraisers and Junktion Funktions, etc.

If you can help out in any way, please reply to artsjunktion.mb@hotmail.com with an email indicating what specific job you would like to do. We appreciate any and all contributions!

Also, please stay tuned to our website at www.artsjunktion.mb.ca for a new look, new

information about upcoming AJ events, and new AJ depot hours!

*Members are always invited to attend ArtsJunktion's meetings to learn more about AJ or to join a subcommittee. Our next meeting is **November 19, at Arts Junktion, 312 William Avenue.***



Materials Committee Report

Michelle Bradley-Hakimelahi and Laurie Cessford

We have officially moved into our new location at 312 William, attached to the Cre8ery and also the future site of Cre8ive Art Supplies and Services. The site is undergoing radical transformation!

Thanks to all the volunteers who have been helping get the space up and running and especially to those who came out to help paint.

Some of the upcoming work sessions will involve setting up shelving, cleaning our out-

door space, and moving items from our old space at École Seven Oaks Middle School. These sessions will be TBA on our website.

We are in desperate need of industrial shelving, storage receptacles, and volunteers to help with the above jobs as well as volunteering for depot hours once the depot is up and running. We will open November 2, with the hours being: Mondays 4:00 to 8:00 and Saturdays 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. We are always collecting items. If you are interested in volunteering or would

like to donate items to ArtsJunktion, please contact Laurie or Tracy at artsjunktion.mb@hotmail.com



Creating a "sustainable" learning environment for children

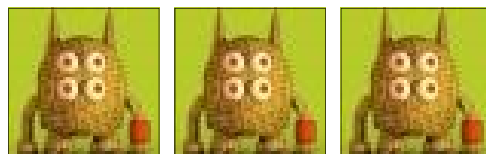
with Barb Batulla

7 to 9 PM, Wednesday, November 4, 2009

ArtsJunktion 312 William Ave.

Registration: email Donna at ncdmc@shaw.ca by **Oct. 27**

\$10.00 payable at the door



**Executive Members
for 2009-2010**

Co-chairs: Andrea Stuart
Melanie Janzen

Vice Chair: Donna Massey-Cudmore
Secretary: Barb Batulla

Treasurer: Dianne Harms

Membership Chair: Tracy Nanka

Education Committee Chair:
Donna Massey-Cudmore

Finance Committee Chair:
Suzanne Simpson

Materials Committee Co-chairs:

Donations:
Laurie Cessford

Volunteers/Depot:
Michelle Bradley Hakimelahi

Members-at-large: Geri Altman
Corrine Chia
Gary Jackson
Isabel Jones
Faye Vickar Lazer
Darla Forbes
Heather Stuart

Non-elected position:

Newsletter: Donna Massey-Cudmore
Tannis Nishibata-Chan /Suzanne Mole

ArtsJunktion mb

2009-2010

Depot Hours at 312 William Avenue

Mondays 4:00–8:00

Saturdays 10–1 p.m.

Starting November 2nd, 2009

BYOB—BRING YOUR OWN BASKET!

*Join us for the official grand opening of our new warehouse at
our OPEN HOUSE on Tuesday, January 12th.*



**Watch for our
new website
coming soon!**



Do you have any baskets that you could donate? We need baskets for silent auction prizes for the social FUNKtion on November 10. If you do email www.artsjunktion.mb.ca



thanks to our recent
supporters:

Plezia Insurance Brokers
Spray Wave
Western Paint
Jim and Leslie Johnston
Cre8ive Supplies and Services
Seven Oaks School Division
Redhouse Design
Manitoba Children's Museum
PitBlado Barristers and Solicitors
**Canadian Association of
Young Children**
**Manitoba Association for
Art Educators**
The Winnipeg Foundation



A social FUNKtion fundraiser

November 10th

at The King's Head pub 120 King St.

5:00 to 10:00

Tickets available from all executive members
(\$12.00) or email www.artsjunktion.mb.ca

Meeting Dates for 2009-2010

September 17th, 2009
October 15th, 2009
November 19th, 2009
December 10th, 2009
January 21st, 2010
February 18th, 2010
March 18th, 2010
April 15th, 2010
May 20th, 2010



We desperately long collapsible tables If you have any to donate or can connect us with someone who can, let us know. www.artsjunktion.mb.ca