

NEW SCRAPBOOK & CRAFTING RETAIL STORE OPENS IN YORKVILLE

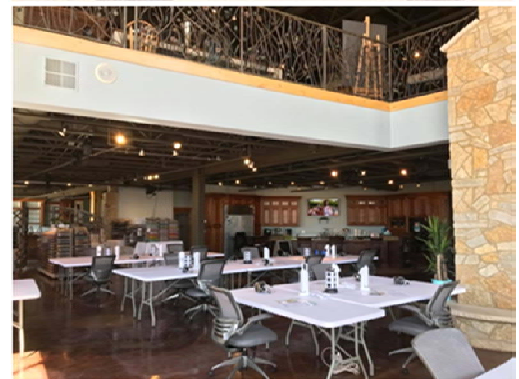
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Scrap Cabana Studio opened recently in Yorkville at 129 Commercial Drive (630/973-8013).

Popular Weekend Retreats are special events hosted by Scrap Cabana Studio. Even though there has never been a store in the Fox Valley Area, these retreats have occurred throughout the Chicagoland area for the past 11 years in different locations. Now with the establishment of a retail store and studio, local crafters can meet new people and engage in what they love by escaping to a retreat designed especially for them which takes place over a three day weekend, from noon on Friday to 5 PM on Sunday. Take note of all Retreats that have been scheduled through the end of the year: May 18-20, June 1-3 & 8-10, June 29-July 1, July 12-16 & 20-22, August 10-12 & 24-26, September 7-9, 14-16 & 21-23, October 12-14, November 2-4, 9-11 16-18, December 7-9 & 14-16. In addition a 5 day event has been scheduled for October 4th – 8th. In both cases, guests can attend an entire event or, if time is limited by personal demands, they can participate for the day if there is availability.

The weekend registration includes a 6x30 table space with no additional fees, welcome goodies, lanyards and custom mugs for all newbies, games and challenges for those who are interested in participating and raffle drawings. Each table has a Power Tower, 4 Outlets and 2 USB ports per person, an individual OttLite and ScrapMaBob, trash and cup holder.

Early Bird Registration is available by mail or on-line, until event is full and closed. Spaces are limited to 40 per session. Check the continued availability of all sessions online.



For those who cannot make a weekend Retreat, open crafting times can give help to complete a project, Daily on Tuesday & Wednesday from 10 AM to 6 PM, Thursday evenings from 3 – 11 PM, Friday from 3 – 11 PM, or Saturday from 11 AM to 1 PM. Fees apply and registration can be made on line or crafters can take advantage of walk-in availability. It would help to Email a day that you plan to attend if at all possible (michelle@thescrapcabana.com). Note that weekend open options only apply to those on which Retreats are not scheduled as noted above. Open events provide a 6x30 table space for one, use of Power Tower & OttLite, 10% off all product purchased during the event and availability of the kitchen's refrigerator and microwave if attendees choose to bring food.

If people do not consider themselves skilled crafters, guests are invited to visit the store to explore their potential creativity at “Gals Nights Out”, Bachelorette or Birthday Parties, Baby or Bridal Showers, including Vinyl & Painting or Woods & Wine or by signing up for a 5 page layout creative session. Ask about the Cabana Kids Club and Cutting Machine Training. New classes and Art Projects are featured monthly. Scrap Cabana will host classes or private parties and supply the necessary materials and designs.

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