Bridge Collective Activities & Groups



Mon

Art at the Bridge:



Women's Art Group: once a month on a Monday from 10.30am – 12.30pm (see *What's On* for current dates). These art sessions aim to give women some much needed personal space and an opportunity to explore their own artistic ideas. **Art for all:** once a month on a Monday from 2-4pm (see *What's On* for current dates). These groups have a real sense of community and a relaxed creative atmosphere.

Tues

Experts by Experience:



Mental health awareness workshop team. We are a group of people who use or have used mental health services as well as people with experience of supporting friends and family. We aim to share our experiences to: promote positive public awareness, increase confidence in talking about mental health, and increase access to a wide range of understandings about mental health. Our monthly meeting is on the first Tuesday of the month 11-1pm.

Company systems working party:



This monthly working party is for skill sharing, learning and doing bite size chunks of our company running systems e.g. – admin, safety, finance, advertising. Currently we're learning about health & safety checks, counting petty cash, stock taking, typing, cleaning, photocopying. Once a month 2.30-4pm on the 2nd Tuesday of the month.

Wed





Open Minds is a peer support group for people who see, hear or sense things other people don't (sometimes labeled 'psychosis'). We meet from 1-2.30pm on the 2^{nd} Wednesday of the month for chat, coffee, support, sharing ideas and general discussion.

Greenwood Project:



This Project provides access to the physical and mental health benefits of being in woodland and other outdoor environments. Making meals and cooking on a fire in a woodland clearing, telling stories and making music under the stars and making things by hand from natural materials we collect ourselves: all allow us to see and experience life in a new healing way. We meet in a variety of venues across Devon on a Wednesday and other days. (see *What's On* for current dates)

Thurs

Open Afternoon:



On the first Thursday of the month and see <u>What's On</u> for additional Thursday openings. Drop into the Bridge Collective between 12noon and 4pm to find out about the Bridge Collective. No prior appointment or registration is needed. All welcome to find out more.

Community meeting:



We're a social enterprise, building a company and community. The Bridge Collective has a unique organisational structure. It is a flat organisation aiming for everyone involved to have the same power to make decisions as everyone else. Decisions about the running of the collective are made at monthly community meetings open to all; 1-3pm on the 2nd Thursday of the month.

Sat

Rainbowbridge:



First Saturday of every month 12.30 – 2.30pm. An informal and friendly group for lesbian, gay, bi-sexual and trans people affected by mental health issues. Meeting for chat, coffee, support, sharing ideas and general iscussion.

Visit us



For more information and to find out more about what we do - you are very welcome to come <u>visit us</u> at Unit 4 King Street Business Centre, King Street, off Fore Street, Exeter, EX1 1BH

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Details of our openings can be found here:

- What's On page: http://www.bridgecollective.org.uk/whats-on/
- Calendar page: http://www.bridgecollective.org.uk/calendar/
- Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/bridgecollective
- On our front door.