

Robert Brasington Workshop

When: 27-28 June 2015

Where: Longmead Centre, Sefton Road, Epsom KT19 9HG

Cost: £65 plus the cost of the chosen kit(s)

Sandra and Andrew Scott, in association with the Grumpy Old Gits, are organising a workshop led by **Robert Brasington**.

Places are very limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. A deposit is required in advance to ensure costs are covered.

Three kite options are being offered. There will be a kit to work from.

The cost of the workshop will be £65 plus the cost of the chosen kit(s). Participants may purchase additional kits of the same design they have chosen to do in the workshop, enabling trains to be completed at a later date.

Options

Butterflies

This unique and original design provides an extremely reliable and forgiving platform. They fly in a very wide wind range. There are six colours in the wing design. The kit uses carbon, fibreglass, ripstop and organza to make up the finished kite. It should be possible to finish the kite in a day and a half.

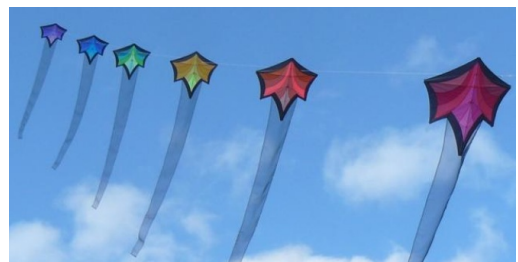
Size: the head is 1.6 M across and the tails are 3 M long, resulting in a well proportioned kite.

Kit cost: \$140 Ausd



Waif train

This popular workshop kit focuses on the use of organza and of unique appliqué templates to build up the kite's head profile. The time needed to finish one kite is about 3-4 hours. Participants may choose to purchase more than one kit to enable them to build a train. Most should easily be able to complete one, two or three kites and finish the remainder at home.



The full train of six has rainbow colours graduating up the train. In the past most participants elected for the full six.

However custom colour ways may be requested for that extra sense of originality. Generally each head has 4 graded colours from dark to light fading into the centre of the head.

Size: the heads are 600mm wide and 600mm high with 3M long tails. The stack lines supplied are 3M long. [Full length of the train is 15M from front kite to rear kite]

Kit cost: \$27.50 Ausd per single kite [Full 6 pack is \$185 Ausd]

Gothic Delta

This option examines the accepted shape of a delta and goes on to create a low aspect ratio platform with an unconventional keel arrangement. The kite flies in light winds and is capable of flying comfortably in the upper ranges as well. The main body is black and embellished with three other colours of the participants choice.



Size: 2.8M long x 1.5M wide

Kit cost: \$160 Ausd

Additional information

You will need to bring a functional sewing machine (plus the usual bits and pieces – scissors, thread, pencil, stitch ripper, etc, as per usual). Lunch will be provided on both days.

A deposit of £65 is needed to secure your place. To check whether space is available and to find out how to pay your deposit, please email sandrascott990@gmail.com.

The workshop has been costed to run on a not-for-profit basis. In the unlikely event that a profit is made it will be donated to the Great Ormond Street Hospital.