

Our Service Providers (Nov–Dec 2014)



Marc Amijs
Service Provider

Mr Marc Amijs is a football fanatic from the Netherlands who is currently on his second work assignment in Singapore. A close friend of Kah Ying, he has decided to support AMW by conducting a football clinic for autistic individuals. Marc has been playing football for over 40 years and has a lot of experience in training participants of all age groups and levels.

Friday, Nov 28th

Fitness: Football

Conducted by Marc Amijs

Monday, Dec 1st

Lifeskills: Baking I

Conducted by

Kelvin Soh

Tuesday, Dec 2nd

**Fitness: Functional
Training**

Conducted by Coach

Sandy Snakenberg



Kelvin Soh
Service Provider

Kelvin Soh is a co-founder of Dong Po Colonial Cafe whose mission is to preserve confectionery from Singapore's past. Since its opening in April 2013, the bakery cafe has found tremendous popularity with Singaporeans. Due to his previous participation in Carehearts, a local befriending programme with MINDS, Kelvin has always had a soft spot for individuals with special needs: "I particularly enjoy working with the autistic community because... they have such unique and fascinating perspectives on things. It's sad loss that people fail to see beyond their inability to adapt socially."



Coach Sandy Snakenberg
Professional Service Provider

A former World Record holder for inline speed skating and an official/coach for Olympic weight lifting, Coach Sandy Snakenberg is a speedskating and functional training coach with significant experience in training individuals with special needs. He often utilises fitness tools that he has designed to help his clients to achieve their fitness goals.

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Mr. Moh & Ms. Mas
Professional Service Providers

Mr. Moh and Ms. Mastura, both special needs educators with more than 20 years of experience in this field, are the co-founders of The Special People. This centre specialises in provided a variety of individualised learning programmes and intervention programmes for people with diverse special needs, particularly those with autism. Apart from academic activities, the centre also engages the participants in art and other hands-on activities. Finally, it also offers consultation services and workshops for parents with special needs kids.



Michael Cheng
Professional Service Provider
BA, Psychology & Theatre Studies
Diploma in Special Education
Diploma in Play Theatre Leadership

Currently Artistic Director of Tapestry Playback Theatre, Mr. Michael Cheng is an experienced applied drama practitioner and facilitator. He has worked with participants across a wide spectrum, including people with special needs. As a former teacher and a current drama educator, he has worked with special schools like AWWA School and Rainbow Centre. He is also an artist-educator in Grace Orchard School under the NAC Artist-SPED School Partnership Programme.



Selina Tan
Caregiver Service Provider

Ms. Selina Tan is a dedicated mother who resigned from her position in a bank to raise Kenny, her son with autism. He was three years of age when she started this journey of coaching him. Kenny is now 21. She continues to guide Kenny in diverse activities including Art, Piano, Baking, and Craftwork. Her years of experience has given her invaluable experiential wisdom that she has shared with other parents on this journey.

Wednesday, Dec 3rd

**Lifeskills and Art:
Building a Miniature
Garden**

Conducted by Mr. Moh and
Ms. Mas

Thursday, Dec 4th

**Creative Arts:
Drama and Movement**

Conducted by
Michael Cheng

Monday, Dec 8th

Lifeskills: Baking II

Conducted by Selina Tan

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Elizabeth Rutten-Ng
Professional Service Provider
MA Dance Therapist
Member of NVDAT & ADTA

Founder and director of Embodied Movement, Ms. Elizabeth Rutten-Ng had been interviewed and featured in Singapore and Kuala Lumpur local press, magazines, and websites. She has worked with adults, elderly, youth, parents, babies, and children. In addition, for 20 years, she has taught children and youths, as an educator and a drama and movement teacher. She is familiar with interacting with participants of different international cultures, both in Asia and Netherlands. She presented her thesis at the ECarTe conference in Paris, as well as co-presented with Dr. Suzi Tortora at the ADTA conference in New York in 2013 and EADMT conference in Riga in 2014. www.embodied-movement.com

Tuesday, Dec 9th

**Creative Arts:
Embodied Movement**

Conducted by Elizabeth
Rutten-Ng



Jerome Poudevigne
Caregiver Service Provider

Jerome Poudevigne, originally from France, has been living in Singapore for the past eight years. He's no stranger to helping those in need, and has done so over the years for various humanitarian causes. As a primary caregiver of Sebastien, he has been introduced to the world of autism. For the assembling activity he is conducting for AMW, he combines his enthusiasm for assembling IKEA items and his support of worthy causes.

Thursday, Dec 11th

**Lifeskills & Art:
Assembling & Colouring**

Conducted by
Jerome Poudevigne
