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oddsinaddis@googlemail.com Odds and Sods in Addis Ababa - An email listserv that gives updated listings of classifieds, inquiries, etc... for the expat community. Email them to be placed on the list.

boleplaygroup@gmail.com Playgroup in Bole area - Every Thursday, there is a baby/toddler group in the bole area. Mornings are for the youngest babies and toddlers. The afternoons are dedicated for the older toddlers. Email them to be placed on the listings and schedule.

<http://groups.google.com/group/addis-diplo-list?hl=en> Addis Ababa Diplomat Google group - Sort of like a craigslist for diplomats here in Addis Ababa. Join the group by using a google account.

Back To School!! Green Crafts!

A Recycled Pencil Bag

Skiptomylou.org has found an amazing way to reuse old CapriSun juice bags, turn it into a pencil holder bag!

You need 4 juice bags and an 8 inch zipper for this little pencil case. If you need a larger pencil bag try 3 bags lined up vertically. Cut a slit in the bottom of each empty juice bag and rinse. Allow bags to dry.

Full tutorial with detailed step-by-step pictures at: <http://www.skiptomylou.org/2008/08/13/a-recycled-pencil-bag-for-the-first-day-of-school/>

Ways to Reuse a Glass Jar



Naturemoms.com covered an awesome way of reusing discarded glass jars. On their website they have more uses for a glass jar.

2. Lantern or candleholder – This is a good project for a glass jar of any size. The kids can use glass paint to create a stained glass look. Use the candle for dining outdoors in

the evening...add a citronella candle and you have a bug deterrent too.

4. Flower vase – Glass jars make charming vases. You can give them a layer of paint or a ribbon if desired. Then have your kids pick some wildflowers and you have a lovely arrangement.

7. An ispy jar – Fill the jar with rice and a few secret objects like a coin, a paperclip, a button, a bead, a small toy, dice, etc and have kids see if they can find all the treasures. Of course make sure to keep an eye on young ones when doing this. :)

8. Jack-o-lantern jar – This is a great Halloween project. Cut shapes for the eyes, nose and mouth out of masking tape, and place them on the jar. Paint with orange paint, and remove tape when dry. Add a candle or small light to make it glow.

Classifieds

To submit an advertisement, e-mail the editor at cloaddisababa@state.gov.

Miscellaneous

LOOKING FOR A BABY CRIB—I would like to buy a baby crib (baby bedding) if you have one please contact me. 0921-467325 Hareg Thanks



New Bamboo Furniture - 2 chairs, 2 stools and 1 table. \$125.00 Contact Rick Ryan - 0921562823 or Joanna Morrison 0911529771

PLEASE HELP! PET-SITTER ANY-ONE? New to post coming August 31. GYSgt Juan Gaytan needs someone to be kind enough to watch his 2 large dogs and 1 cat for about 30 days. He will be in temp lodging that does not accept pets! Contact: Gaytanjr74@gmail.com or Rosie Muniz at ext. 6141

Domestic Help

Driver Available: Extremely Courteous and Reliable. Melkamu Gameda: 091-148-7321 or 091-189-6402. Melkamu has driven for previous Embassy employees and has his own vehicle if needed. He drove my toddler to/from preschool unsupervised without incident. Submitted by Kary Hintz-Tate (hintztate@gmail.com).

NEED A GREAT DRIVER? Bereket Hagos – 0911547794 – drove for my family for nearly two years. Safe and courteous driver. Punctual. Reliable. I highly recommend him. Call Brendan if you need a reference – 0911200628.

COOK : Lemlem is an excellent cook and a very pleasant person. She has ten years experience and a cooking diploma. She comes very highly recommended. If you want to contact her, please do through Yolanda, mobile 0911-201909

Housekeeper Available – Bole Area-1 day per week

New to Post? Need someone to clean your house just once each week? Betty has Wednesdays available to work in the Bole area. She is currently working for 2 other Embassy employees and has years of experience. Betty has excellent English language skills and can cook, clean, shop, do what needs to be done. Please contact Betty directly if you are interested. She can be reached on 0911 45 57 68. Beyola can also be reached as a reference at 0911 21 66 07.

Experienced driver and is looking for work.

He has been working as a driver for 4 years in two different Ethiopian companies. Also his English is good.

If you are interested, please give him (Wendwesen) a call on 0913 819 710 or 0911 653 045

We are desperate for a live in nanny who will also work as an aide during the mornings in the school. Please let me know if you know of anyone who speaks excellent English, loves children, is motivated and has the desire to learn.

Jane Pyecha, Director

Head To Toe Early Learning Center 0911 54 77 82

My domestic cook and my child minder is looking for work as we are leaving the end of July, if anyone is interested

Kindly contact Mechelle on 0920222650

The sister of our guard has just graduated from her TVET cooking class and is now looking for a job. I only know her brother who is very reliable and always eager to help – I assume that his sister Almaz has the same attitude. If you are interested in getting in touch with her: Almaz' number is 0910807421

Excellent babysitter/cook available for a new family. Betlehem has worked for us for the past three years, caring for our youngest child and cooking lots of delicious meals. Kind, fun, honest, hard-working, well educated, fluent English, pleasure to have in our home. Contact Laura at 0920538086 or call Betlehem directly, 0911193681

Teachers

ICS seeking experienced certified teachers: Please contact Hubert Gordon, Elementary Principal at 011-371-1544

Hubert.gordon@icsaddis.edu.et

We are looking for a Part Time Art teacher with excellent English to teach our program 3 mornings per week. The program is scripted and no art background is necessary. It is designed to help parents learn how to do art with their young children at home. The ability to manage a small group of 5 or 6 children is a must. An assistant is provided to help with set up, clean up and management. Hours are 8:30 - 12:30 preferably. Interested candidates should contact me via email.

Jane Pyecha, Director—Head To Toe Early Learning Center 0911 54 77 82

Services

Shabbat service. Every Friday evening, Rick Hodes opens his home in Bole to others. The service is open to all, no matter your religious affiliation. If you are interested in attending this Friday evening (July 22), please contact Glenda (est. 6709 or SiegristGL@state.gov) and she will provide more details.

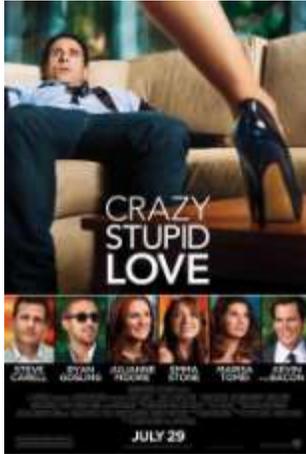
Dog Grooming: The Sisay sisters will groom your dog with affection and patience. Call 0911 380 154 Recommended by Martin Schulman.

Massage in your own home. Fere has her certificate in massage therapy: Swedish, Shiatsu, hot stone, aroma therapy massage, and reflexology. She brings her own massage table. She has been serving the American Community for many years. Contact Fere at 091 168 9475 Recommended by Diane Corbin

Personal Tailor: I highly recommend Wendi's tailoring services. Wendi does not have a store front, but comes to his customers! He procures all the necessary materials and brings samples with him. I was especially impressed with my suit, as many tailors cannot quite manage to make feminine suits. Wendi is skilled and charges a fair price. Contact Wendi 0913.241.733 wondesenof@yahoo.com Brendan if you need a reference – 0911200628.

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