



*Kelly Barrow-Smith runs two very distinct businesses in Angus, all under the roof of one charming old house at 71 King St. Two separate hand-carved wooden signs hang from the porch: Barrow-Smith Consulting Inc. and Angus Artistry. When clients enter the front door they will either go directly upstairs if they need accounting services, or straight ahead into a charming little shop/classroom full of folk art, crafts and supplies. While the professions are very different, both are true passions for Barrow-Smith.*



*When Kelly's husband, who is employed with the Canadian Armed Forces, was posted to Base Borden in 1995, Kelly already had a successful career built on her degree in Business Administration. Kelly founded Barrow-Smith Consulting in 1993. The firm provides a full range of accounting and business services, with a staff of four full-time employees. Services include designing accounting systems for sole proprietorships, franchises, partnerships, not-for-profit organizations and corporations. They also provide business and personal income tax returns bookkeeping and payroll services. Accounting packages are tailored to each company's individual needs and staff pride themselves on treating each client as if they were their only client.*



*"I've been interested in painting since I was about 11 years old," says Kelly Barrow-Smith, owner of Angus Artistry.*

*Barrow-Smith started folk art painting in 1992 and three years ago took up teaching the craft. Her new location at 71 King St. in Angus consists of a charming shop full of competitively-priced art supplies including paints, brushes, books and patterns, kids' painting projects, paintable wooden pieces and furniture. It's also where classes are held, from beginner to advanced level. Plenty of inspirational finished projects adorn the shop. While Barrow-Smith loves teaching the craft to anyone with a keen interest, she especially enjoys teaching children and has even taught classes at local schools.*

*"I really encourage kids to get involved," says Barrow-Smith, who has a growing photo gallery of proud young artists showing off their impressive work. Barrow-Smith and her teaching staff (which now includes a certified one-stroke artist) offer all kinds of classes and projects for students of all ages and abilities. Kids' projects are offered regularly as well, including an upcoming Easter project. The shop also offers a craft session for kids on the first Saturday of every month.*



*Left to right: Jocelyn Glass, Terri Kent, Kelly Barrow-Smith, Julie Langlois and Kim Miller.*

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*Left to right: Kim Miller, Kim Amon-Forbes, Kelly Barrow-Smith and Joy Estey. Missing from photo is Lori Kelley.*