



Work Box

The objects in this reminiscence box are connected with men's working lives, activities and interests outside the home. There are objects relating to office life, to smoking cigars and cigarettes, wearing a smart suit, and a range of crafts and hobbies. They've been selected to stimulate memories and help men talk about their working lives and interests.

The objects provide a useful starting point for conversations about the past in a time when men went out to work while women generally stayed at home with the children. Some of these objects might remind men of their father's and grandfather's working days too.

You could use the objects as the basis for a range of sensory activities. For instance, on a one-to-one basis, you could use the magnifying glass to look through the coin collection together, or use the magnet to sort the metal and non-metal objects. You could also polish a pair of leather shoes or boots together.

Remember that objects can stir both good and bad memories and strong feelings in all of us; use your own judgment wherever necessary.

Who knows where your conversations might take you!



Some Online Resources

These websites will provide supporting information for your sessions and give you further ideas for activities.

<https://remarc.bbcrewind.co.uk>
<https://www.peoplescollection.wales>

Bocs Gwaith



Mae'r pethau yn y bocs atgofion hwn yn gysylltiedig â bywydau gwaith dynion, gweithgareddau a diddordebau y tu allan i'r cartref. Ceir yma wrthrychau sydd a wnelont â bywyd yn y swyddfa, ysmygu sigârs a sigarêts, gwisgo siwt drwsiadus ac amrywiaeth o grefftau a diddordebau. Fe'u detholwyd i brocio atgofion a helpu dynion i siarad am eu bywydau gwaith a'u diddordebau.

Mae'r gwrthrychau'n fan cychwyn defnyddiol wrth siarad am y gorffennol – am gyfnod pan oedd dynion yn mynd allan i weithio a'r merched fel arfer yn aros gartref gyda'r plant. Gallai rhai o'r pethau hyn atgoffa dynion o waith eu tadau a'u teidiau hefyd.

Gallech ddefnyddio'r gwrthrychau'n sail ar gyfer amrywiaeth o weithgareddau synhwyraidd. Er enghraifft - mewn sesiwn un-i-un - gallech ddefnyddio'r chwyddwydr i fwrr golwg ar y casgliad o geiniogau gyda'ch gilydd. Neu defnyddiwr y magned i rannu'r eitemau yn rhai metel ac anfetel. Gallech hefyd roi sglein ar bâr o esgidiau lledr gyda'ch gilydd.

Cofiwch y gall gwrthrychau godi atgofion melys a chwerw, a theimladau cryf – defnyddiwr eich synnwyr cyffredin lle bo angen.



Adnoddau ar-lein

Ar y gwefanau hyn fe gewch chi wybodaeth i seilio'ch sesiynau arnynt, a syniadau am fwy o weithgareddau.

<http://intranet.corp.conwy.gov.uk/cy/Main/Conwy-Cares/Conwy-Cares.aspx>
<https://www.casgliadywerin.cymru/>