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Each year at the festival we hold a swap shop, ( Some call it a Swish!) It's a chance to bring unwanted items and swap for something else.

Over the years people have swapped garden shears for floral dresses, or a rucksack for a headscarf. This year we thought that a Street Swap could work in the same way so why not have a go...

## STREET SHOP RULES

- Identify someone/a group to lead on collecting for the Swap and where goods can be delivered in advance
- Let everyone know your plan
- Ask everyone to ensure all goods have been thoroughly cleaned in advance
- Set a 24 hour deadline before the swap
- designate an area: yard/ front garden/ pavement for the day of the swap
- Ask people to bring an item that you can carry and want to swap. Identify the things you don't want We suggest **NO ELECTRICAL ITEMS**
- If you want to, you can set up a simple "pricing" structure by having three colours of raffle tickets for goods of different value – affix to items as they arrive
- Though this is not essential
- Hopefully there will be nothing left over at the end – but you could identify a charity you want the leftover goods to go to

