

It's holiday time once again and now more than ever, we want you to know how much you mean to us. In addition to providing community-focused high-quality products througout the year, we want to also give you the gift of mindful holiday giving. Most of our gifts are handmade and Fair Trade Certified and all of them are individually chosen by our amazing Wellness Department Manager, Matthew (pictured below and with bison.) As you can see by the surrounding photos, we're pretty excited about these selections and we hope that you are too. Whether you're buying for yourself or taking time to "treat yo'self," we hope you enjoy our selections and, from our co-op family to yours, we hope you have a joyous holiday season.

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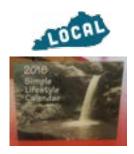
The Unemployed Philosophers Guild makes life a little more fun through their products and a little more good through its charitable giving. Each year they give more than \$60,000 to organizations like Amnesty International, Doctors Without Borders and the Southern Poverty Law Center.

Freudian Slippers	\$18.99
Changing picture mugs	\$9.99
"Secular Saints" candles	\$8.99



From Star Trek to Sunflowers to Sloths and Tiny Houses to Outhouses to Hipster Animals and everything in between, we have a calendar for every taste. With dozens of wall, desk and engagement calendars at less than \$20, you can buy one for everyone on your list.

We have two calendar selections from right here in Kentucky. The Woodford Humane Society's planner features pictures of adopted animals and proceeds go to help pets find homes. The 40th edition of the Simple Lifestyles calendar celebrates Appalachia and proceeds go to help educate, advocate and demonstrate innovation in the mountains of eastern Kentucky and beyond.

















White felt stocking \$21.49 Knit Noel stocking \$27.49 \$17.69 Felt cat stocking \$7.49 Animal ornaments Skiing animals \$8.49 Felt Mary or Joseph \$21.49 Felt birdhouse \$22.99 Stuffed toys \$34.99 \$21.49 Nativity set



**dZi** has partnered directly with artisans in Tibet, India and Nepal for 25 years seeking to offer products that celebrate the beauty of the natural world and the culture of their region. Their wares are handmade by people who are paid promptly and fairly and work in safe and empowering conditions. As a member of the Fair Trade Commission, dZi also prioritizes respecting the cultural identity of their artisans and cultivating environmental stewardship.



This Colorado-based company is family-owned and exists to inspire and support healthy, active living. Their line of filtration products ensures that you have clean, fresh water whether you're camping, traveling or at home. The shower and bath filters help keep your skin and hair feeling great by eliminating chlorine and other additives.

\$116.99 Water filter

\$34.99 Shower filter

\$25.99 Bath filter





Alkaline Pitcher Filter

Alkaline Pitcher Filter \$8.99 Replacement Cartridge



Twist Barrier Filter Pitcher

Bacterial Removal Cartridge

Arsenic Reduction Cartridge \$10.99

Standard Cartridge

\$17.99

\$20.99

\$8.99

\$10.99

3 gal. BPA-free Water Bottle \$17.29

2 gal. refrigerator jug w/ handle and spigot \$15.99



B & W Porcelain Dispenser Striped Porcelain Dispenser Black Metal Counter Stand Hardwood Counter Stand

\$29.99 \$26.99 \$11.99 \$14.99

\$35.97







Yak & Yeti







Yak & Yeti is a family-owned company that believes everyone they do business with should be treated like family. This means their producers are paid and treated fairly and that their products are sold fair prices. Each year the Yak & Yeti team travels to Nepal to visit with the people who make their products and to check the quality not only of the products being made, but the quality of the lives of the people working with them.

Products listed clockwise from left

Hand-embroidered print dress	\$28.99
Long-sleeve button-up meditation shirt	\$13.99
Wool fleece-lined handwarmers	\$10.99
Peekaboo Tree of Life pullover	\$24.99
Chiffon high-low tunic	\$13.99

**Green Toys** are designed with safety as a top priority. They're made in the U.S.A. and are 100% recycled. Even the packaging is recycled and recyclable.

Submarine- \$14.99 Tractor- \$21.99



Thames & Kosmos products were created to give children and parents engaging and fun ways to learn about the world around them.

Biology Lab- \$39.99 Human Body- \$39.99 Nature Walk- \$39.99



**Wild Republic's** mission is to foster curiosity and teach children about wildlife. They strive to be as environmentally- friendly and ethically responsible as possible.

Small plush toy- \$3.49 Medium plush toy- \$11.49 Large plush toy- \$44.99



### **World Buyers**



# MINGA FAIR TRADE IMPORTS

This company puts their belief that everyone should earn not just a "living wage," but a "sharing wage" into practice. They pay all of their artisans enough to allow each person to share their income with their families and communities. The word "Minga" comes from the Quechua idea of a communal work day that benefits everyone involved.







## MINGA

#### Previous page; clockwise from top:

1. Cable-knit pocket scarf	\$18.84
2. Flat acrylic scarf	\$9.99
3. Wool fleece-lined kids hats	\$13.99
4. Wool fleece-lined mittens	\$13.99

### This page; clockwise from top:

5. Leather Aussie hat	\$49.99
6. Acrylic blanket	\$36.99
7. Fleece receiving blanket	\$13.99







**Earth Divas** is a company entirely focused on offering income to women in third-world countries. Their goal is to pay artisans as much as they can and give any profits back to them. They've opened a tailoring school in Nepal and encourage women to use the skill they gain there to improve their own lives and the lives of others.

Wool knit hat \$15.99

Fringe triangle bag \$25.99

Large fringe sling \$25.99

Crossbody sling \$25.99

Fringe passport sling \$25.99

Patchwork sling \$25.99



