

# THE GOOD GIFT GUIDE 2022



| PARRAMATTA



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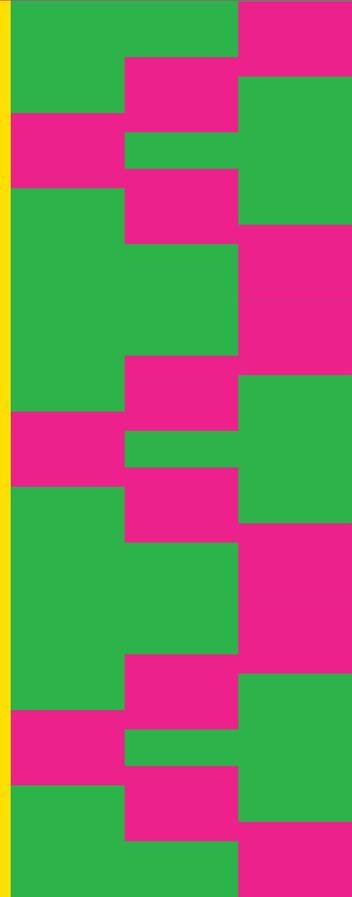
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**On these pages you'll find many gifts that give twice, or even thrice! Whether you care about protecting rainforests, disadvantaged children, or homeless puppies, you can buy beautiful gifts and make a positive difference to the world.**

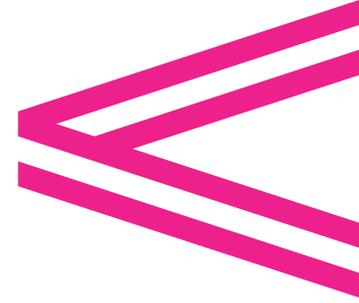
All of the retailers listed here actively seek to make a positive impact on a range of social, cultural or environmental issues. Through your purchase, you will be supporting innovative and inspirational projects in Australia and across the world. All this while shopping - amazing!





# FOOD & DRINK

DELICIOUS TREATS THAT GIVE BACK



## Miks Chai

Miks Chai sells authentic chai masala that is made in Australia, ethically produced and organic, sugar free and gluten free. As a social enterprise, this business gives 50% of its profits towards supporting suicide prevention – So share a cuppa and help support others in need.



## Sample Coffee

This small business wants you to appreciate the different (and exceptional) coffee flavours as you would with wine, and are committed to building social and environmental outcomes along with financial success. Buy fancy coffee, coffee equipment or even a coffee subscription for your favourite coffee addict.



## Chocolate on Purpose

Share culture through chocolate. Using Australian bushfoods, this Indigenous-owned business on Wiradyuri Country (NSW Central Tablelands) offers such flavours as white chocolate and Illawarra plum, and milk chocolate with macadamia and quandong. Check out their (meat free) chocolate salami!



## Natif

Natif is a Melbourne-based social enterprise working with Indigenous communities to harvest wild native plants for drink mixers for cocktails, powdered native fruits for smoothies and desserts, a bushtucker wellness range, and lots more. Try their bush tomato and river mint popcorn!



## Old Bones

Old Bones is a veteran-owned Sydney-based small-producer of hot sauces employing Disability Services Australia for their labelling. With a delicious range that includes smoked chilli churri, buffalo sauce and jalapeno and garlic beef jerky, the exceptional flavours will impress!



## Aussie Biscuits

Make someone's day with the gift of bikkies! Try Ginger Crunch, Short Bread or Classic Anzac. Not only are they delicious, Aussie Biscuits help change lives by providing employment for people with disabilities in Forbes (NSW).



# FOOD & DRINK

DELICIOUS TREATS THAT GIVE BACK

**Nutjob**

## Nutjob Bakery

Sustainable desserts? Yes! Nutjob creates uniquely handcrafted cakes made with organic/sustainably farmed produce and decorated with pesticide free flowers or native wild greenery. They focus on seasonal produce, allowing the natural flavours to shine. With no refined sugar, butters or oils in the recipes, you can go back for seconds without the guilt!

**SOBAH**

## Sobah

Aboriginal owned and led, Sobah makes non-alcoholic craft beer brewed with Aussie bush tucker, to give a better choice to non-drinkers. They're breaking down the stigma of socialising sober and stereotypes about First Nations people – and your loved ones will be in love with new flavours like Davidson Plum GF Ale.

**kua**

## Kua Coffee

Kua Coffee is a Sydney-based social enterprise that reinvests 100% of profits back to the farmers in Uganda who produce the coffee. Sustainably camera-swap initiative so farmers and consumers can learn about each other.



## The Good Good

The Good Good is a social enterprise employing workers with disabilities and producing organic and premium blend teas in loose leaf, pyramid and plastic-free teabags. 50% of profits are donated to programs that help disadvantaged kids in Australia get better access to education.



## Chocolate Artisan

Chocolate Artisan partners with South Pacific Cacao to support farming communities in the Solomon Islands by making artisan chocolate in Sydney's Inner West from their beans. Impress your loved one with novelty fine chocolates such as – a high-heeled shoe, golf balls, designer handbag or a fully-edible golden ticket for the Willy Wonka fans.





# GIFT HAMPERS

BASKETS OF GOODNESS



## Mettle

With gift boxes for all sorts of occasions from new baby to thanking a bridesmaid, Mettle's organic, vegan and locally sourced gifts are sure to delight. Sustainably packaged, this gift service employs women who have experienced domestic and family violence.



## Curated With Conscience

Beautiful hampers filled with products from Australian artisan businesses, design-led ethical brands, and social enterprises. You'll find everything from hampers for chocolate-lovers, barbecue-lovers and food lovers, as well as housewarming gifts, an indigenous flavour fest, and more!



## Welcome Merchant

Your gateway to refugee- and asylum-seeker-powered businesses in Australia. Choose from a range of gifts such as the Nourish Me Good Hamper with fresh-baked H'Risseh (Syrian semolina and nut cakes), Habibi tea and ginger tonic.



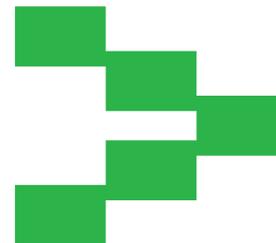
## GG's Hampers

Hampers packed by people with special needs, and most items come from Australian social enterprises. This Canberra-based business offers hampers that include ethical coffee, delicious chocolate, artisan crackers, and other delights. They'll even create personalised packaging for your occasion.



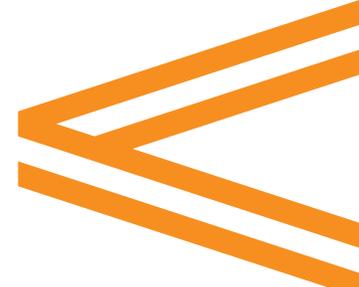
## Aggie

This little online gem sources all its products locally, and they want to ensure that all their Australian bushfoods come from Indigenous communities. Here you'll find Davidson plum chocolate, quandong and mango chutney, a native foods sample pack, wattleseed vinegar and lots more. Yum!



# HOMEWARES

BEAUTIFUL THINGS MAKING A DIFFERENCE



## Florapeutic

Bautiful framed pressed flower arrangements made from flowers rescued from events. Buy from their online shop, or arrange to have the fresh flowers from your own event preserved as artworks or donated to hospitals or aged care facilities.

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## The Bower

The Bower sells a wonderful array of quality vintage and refurbished goods in its aim to keep waste out of landfill. Plus you can give the gift of knowledge with a workshop on basic furniture restoration, making hives for native bees and more.

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## Blessed Earth

Blessed Earth sells clothing, manchester, rugs and carpets made from certified organically-produced materials. Their range now includes sustainable cookware (like low-carbon steel non-stick frypans), mosquito nets, homeopathic items, quality knives, bags, and much more.



## SisterWorks

A range of beautiful homewares and food handcrafted by migrant, asylum seeker or refugee women in Melbourne, Australia. They gain financial independence by developing their entrepreneurial skills. And now in the age of Covid-19, you can donate a handmade facemask through them to vulnerable people in the community.



## Aksa

Aksa's mission is to produce quality products in an ethical and environmentally responsible way. Combining beauty with function, they offer delightful gifts like the handmade watering can, a novelty bicycle-shaped pizza cutter, and hand painted ceramic bottle stoppers.



## Sampan

Sampan specialises in ethical and eco-friendly gifts and homewares from South East Asia and India. All products are handmade from natural, recycled or renewable resources, right down to re-using packaging when shipping customer orders.



## Koskela

This Sydney-based retailer creates beautiful furniture, homewares and art in partnership with Indigenous artists and designers. The lovely wares include ceramic hanging planters, hemp rugs, Australian wool hats, handwoven lamp shades from the Tjanpi Desert Weavers, and oilskin-cotton picnic blankets.



## The Natural Bedding Company

This little business makes solid timber bedroom furniture from sustainably managed Australian oak hardwood, and mattresses are made to order from natural fibres such as latex, organic cotton, coir and wool. Try out the Cloud 9 Mattress in their Stanmore (Sydney) showroom and you'll be in love.



## Kayu & Co

Working with Indonesian artisans in remote communities, Kayu & Co pays a living wage for the production of 100% compostable items. Their items include Scandinavian-inspired dustpan and brush sets, the prettiest toilet brush set you've ever seen, and gorgeous tableware.

# KITCHENWARE

PRACTICAL, CREATIVE AND GOOD FOR THE PLANET

**BigBiteEco**

## Big Bite Eco

Eco-ware for food lovers. Created in Sydney, the beautiful, affordable and reusable items include food storage, lunchboxes, bento boxes, drinkware, produce bags, and more. They're made from biodegradable bamboo, linen or silicone. Oh, and they sell face masks as well.



## The Swag

The Swag have created a range of food storage bags made from 100% natural, unbleached, unseeded cotton. As well as their original produce bags that extend the life of your fruit and veges, the range now includes a bread bag, wine chill bags, and even a clothes swag to keep your best outfit fresh on the hanger.

**TWO GOOD CO.**

## Two Good Co

Help create opportunities for someone to rebuild their self-worth and independence and break free from the cycle of homelessness, domestic violence. Two Good Co products include luxury throw blankets, candles and room spray, a cookbook, foods and more - plus you can donate meals to a women's shelter.



**#untrashy**

## #Untrashy

A huge range of sustainable and reusable alternatives to single-use plastic products. Everything from a personal straw pack to some brightly coloured squishy, un-smashable silicone wine glasses - you're sure to find something for everyone.



## Amber's Food Wraps

Throw away your clingwrap and use non-toxic wax wraps to keep your food fresh. They are made from 100% cotton designed by traditional owners of the Northern Territory, Australia, and dipped and finished in locally sourced organic beeswax, organic resin, and organic jojoba oil.



## Hobart Ironworks

The small Tasmanian Hobart ironworks hand-forges knives and cooking tools from reclaimed carbon steel and creates handles from natural sustainable materials found in Tasmanian bushland. Check out the beautiful BBQ toolset, or the hefty cleaver!



## Natural Panaa

A beautiful alternative to plastic party plates and cups with products made from the Areca leaf. Make these a talking point at your next party! Did you know these products are created from fallen Areca leaves - so no trees are harmed in the production of these products - WOW!



## Boomerang Bags

Created to help divert unwanted material from landfill and reduce reliance on single-use plastics. There are over 1000 Boomerang Bags groups worldwide. Encourage the sewer in your life to use up all the material they've been hoarding for a rainy day by gifting them a bundle of Boomerang Bag labels!

# KIDS

GIFTS FOR CHILDREN  
WITH INSPIRATION AND FUN



## Honeybee

For a beautiful range of timber and natural toys for children of all ages, head to Malvern (Melbourne) store Honeybee. You'll find nativity sets, music and jewellery boxes, wobble boards, castles, learning sets, and even a kitchen sink.



## Grow Your Mind

If a child in your life has difficulty with emotional regulation, these little gifts could be just what they (or their parents) need. From a fridge magnet that reminds children how to put their problems into perspective, to a "feelings" version of Snakes and Ladders and a breathing-style treasure wheel, this is a lovely and way fun to help.



## Green Pennies

has a lovely range of toys that are educational and eco-friendly. There are toy dinosaurs made from bamboo, beautiful felt ponies, a wooden toy carpenter's toolkit, a seaplane made from recycled milk bottles, an indigenous bush food snap card game, and even a gnome house made from coconuts!



## Natural Toy Store

Gifts are made from all-natural materials including natural rubber, sustainable timber, wool and organic cotton. From rubber bath toys designed to keep mould and bacteria away to DIY sewing kits for older children, these toys are both simple and delightful.





# ARTS AND CRAFTS

ART CHANGING THE WORLD



## **Parramatta Clay and Arts Inc. Gallery and Studio**

A range of handmade ceramic items including bowls, platters, mugs, jugs, ornamental jewellery and Christmas decorations as well as gift vouchers for classes. Check out their online shop or drop in to view the collection at Shop 5, 10-14 Hunter Street, Parramatta.



## **Injalak Arts**

A non-profit Aboriginal-owned social enterprise. 200 artists and weavers from Gunbalanya and surrounding outstations produce artworks, beautiful screen-printed fabric and unique Pandanus baskets. Buying from Injalak Arts supports a 100% Aboriginal owned business and delivers positive social, economic and cultural outcomes for its members.



## **QArt Gallery**

Find a beautiful, unique or quirky piece of art from QArt Gallery. Their gallery is full of work featuring the exceptional talents of artists with intellectual disability. Find original paintings, prints, greeting cards and art tiles.



## **Better World Arts**

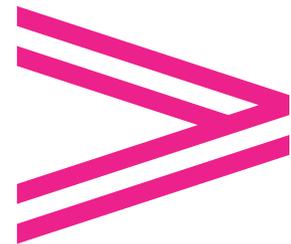
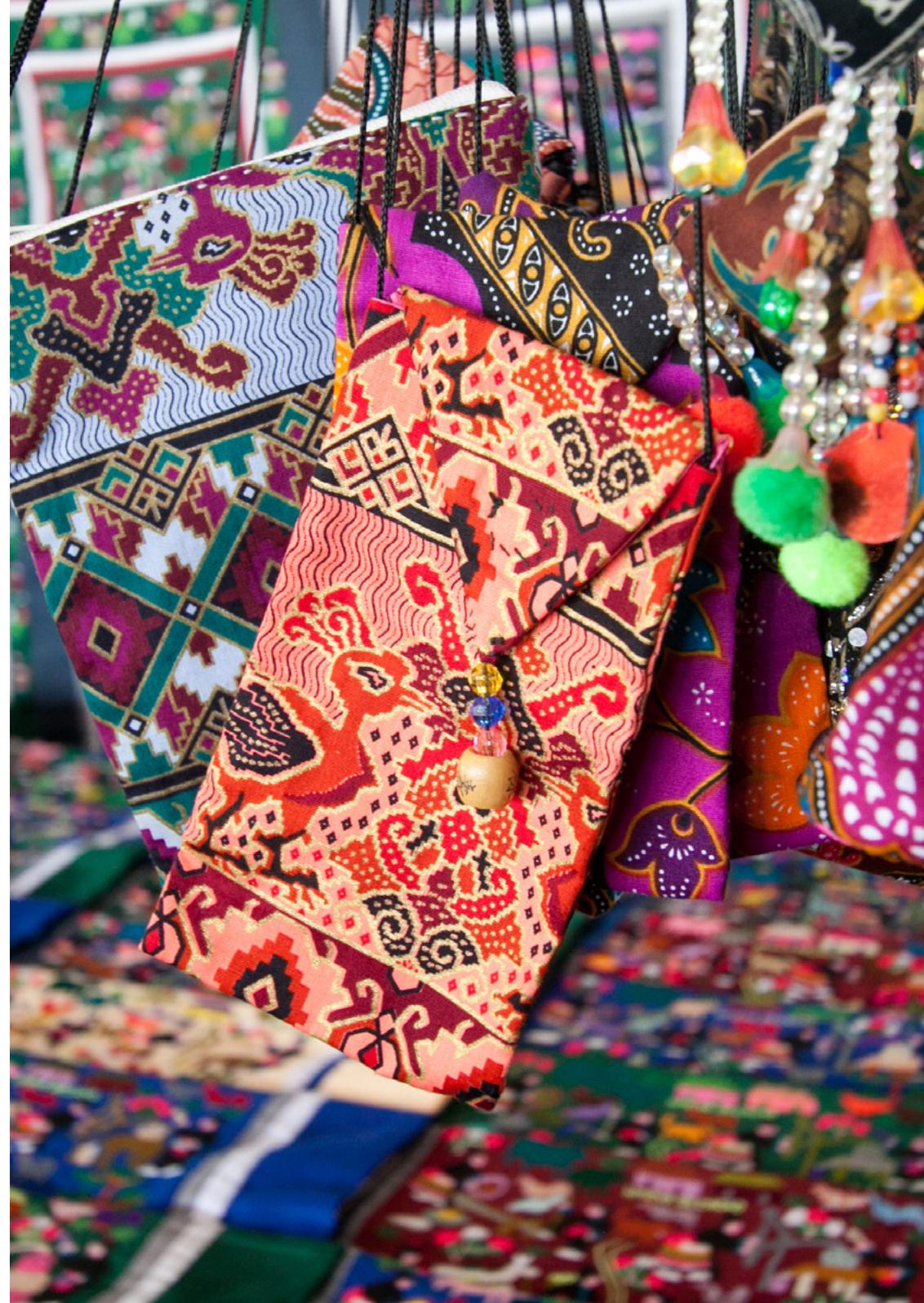
Working with traditional artists from remote regions of the world (including Australia's Arnhem Land), Better World Arts sells original artworks as well as putting artists' work onto practical items such as cushion covers, bone china homewares, laptop bags, and artist-designed baby blankets.



## **The City of Parramatta Art Society**

This studio aims to encourage, promote and foster appreciation of arts throughout the local community. Buy artworks, or book your loved one in for a workshop or art class! Drop in to view the collection at Shop 6, 4-14 Hunter Street, Parramatta.

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# CLOTHES AND ACCESSORIES

LOOK GOOD. FEEL GOOD.



## The Conscious Closet

Fast fashion is bad for the environment and your bank balance – so here you'll find some high quality, pre-loved clothes and accessories that deserve to find a second home. 100% of the profits support women experiencing disadvantage to get work, keep work and navigate their world of work.

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## The Social Outfit

A fashion label with a difference. It employs and trains people from refugee and new migrant communities in clothing production, retail, design and marketing. Collaborating with fashion designers, they hand-make clothing, homewares and stationery.



## Conscious Step

Socks that fight poverty? Conscious Step donates a portion from every pair of socks sold to organisations that protect oceans, fight hunger, treat HIV, provide clean water, educate kids, plant trees and save LGBTQI lives.



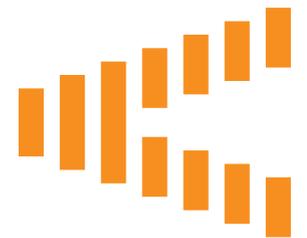
## Hilda

Apart from selling a gorgeous collection of batik clothes and accessories from Ghana, West Africa, Hilda is an Australian brand that's providing regular employment and support to women in Ghana.



## Created by Culture

Sustainable and stylish jewellery made from broken glass bottles that would otherwise be in landfill. An ethical business that provides a fair wage to artisans and helps to keep traditional Ghanaian crafts and traditions alive.



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**Bellroy**  
This B Corp Certified business makes accessories from sustainable leather and recycled fabrics. Their products include slimline wallets, phone and laptop cases, and a wide variety of cases for your technology.



**WEFTshop**  
A registered charity and social enterprise, WEFTshop sells fair trade homewares, accessories and jewellery aiming to ensure artisans can build livelihoods, develop skills and train others. Find bangles made from traditional sarongs in refugee camps, appliqued bags and totes, shawls and more.



**The Very Good Bra**  
Solve the problem about what to do with worn-out underwear: they've made their bras and undies out of all-natural materials so they can be safely composted! No spandex, lycra or polyester in any part, including the thread, labelling and elastic!

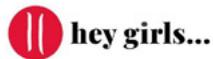


**Maggie Goose**  
Aboriginal owned social impact business that partners with First Nations artists to create statement, hand screen printed and environmentally responsible clothing. You'll find clothing for the adults and little'uns, including the dog!



**Reinspired Threads**  
A second hand clothing shop selling quality garments for women, men and children at very low prices. Reduce waste by buying second hand, and feel good about supporting the Parramatta Mission's work assisting people in need with essential food.

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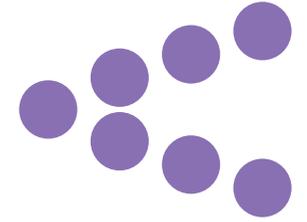
**Hey Girls**  
Help to ensure everyone has access to quality period products with the Hey Girls collection of plastic free disposable and zero waste reusable period products. For every product you buy, another one will be donated to someone facing period poverty. Choose from a range of sustainable pads, undies, cups, tampons and liners.





# WEIRD AND WONDERFUL

FOR THE PERSON WHO HAS EVERYTHING



## Taste Cultural Food

Send your loved ones on a mouth-watering food adventure in Sydney! Taste Cultural Food Tours is building strong social connections and cross-cultural understanding through unique food tours. The tours also make memorable parties or office events.

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## Parramatta Bike Tours

Explore the beautiful parks and riverside tracks around Parramatta. You can buy gift vouchers for guided bike tours along the River or you can hire a fleet of bikes for a fun day out for the whole family.

Based in Parramatta



## Angkor Flowers

Send someone a gorgeous flower arrangement and you'll also be helping them to provide employment and training opportunities and financial independence for women from low-skilled migrant and refugee backgrounds in Sydney.



## yourtown

With the gift of a lottery ticket from yourtown (formerly BoysTown) you will support Kids Helpline and your loved one could be inviting you over for tea in their new luxury home or taking you for a drive in their prestige car.



## who gives a crap

For a really unusual present, how about a box of toilet paper? These rolls are made from 100% recycled paper or bamboo. They're Australian-owned, with half their profits used to build toilets in the developing world. They even have gift cards!



## Nue Bar

A selection of PH balanced hair care bars. Everything you want from your shampoo and conditioner but without the plastic bottle. The products are palm oil free, handmade, vegan, cruelty free, contain no SLS, SLES, parabens, silicones, petroleum by-products or artificial fragrances. Now Curly Girl Method approved!

# WEIRD AND WONDERFUL

FOR THE PERSON WHO HAS EVERYTHING



## Sahaja Yoga Mats

Made from natural tree rubber and recycled plastics to give you the sweaty grip of a towel and the support of a yoga mat. Their designs are all based on Sacred Geometry, yogic texts and life experiences, and a solar light is donated to a family in Mozambique for every mat sold.



## Sustainable Handmade Collective

An online gallery and concept store showcasing Australian sustainable and handmade design. Made from delightful upcycled vintage fabrics, you'll find kids' and women's clothing, produce and fashion bags, and other delightful items.



## 2xo

Designed in Bondi Beach and made in Western Sydney, these quality bags are made from upcycled billboards, firehoses, banners, sail cloth and rubber. From laptop sleeves to totes and tiny "fortune cookie" bags for coins.



## Go Neutral

For the person who really has everything except a clean conscience, the gift of carbon neutrality for their car is a practical way to introduce climate action into someone's life. It might not stop them churning through petrol, but you'll be helping to fund Australian projects that do help fight climate change.



## RREPP

Sports balls made to international match standards (plus smaller balls for junior players) and under fair trade conditions. They are PVC free, which makes them better for you and the world.



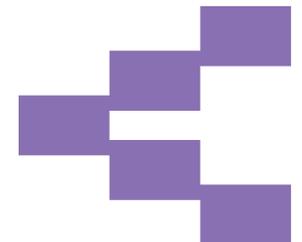
## Amnesty International Australia

Clothes for adults and babies, books, bags and stickers to fund their work in protecting human rights around the world. Your loved one will look great in an anti-racism face mask, and the baby in your life will look cool as a human rights defender.



## Hotel Etico

Australia's first Social Enterprise Hotel, and a registered charity. As well as providing wonderful holiday experiences in the Blue Mountains with accommodation, fine dining and live music, they break down barriers and create a more inclusive world by providing training, employment and independence to young adults with intellectual disability.



# ONE-STOP SHOP

FIND ALL YOUR 'GOOD GIFTS' IN ONE PLACE



## Flora and Fauna

An Australian online store that guarantees that all your purchases will be vegan-friendly and ethical. Look for pretty cloth nappies, stylish water bottles, mushroom elixirs, bags, clothing, eco-crayons and lots more. They also support Sea Shepherd and the Where Pigs Fly Sanctuary.

Based in Parramatta



## Spend With Us

Set up to promote Australian rural and regional small businesses affected by drought, bushfire and COVID-19. You can buy pretty much anything here, from a hand-forged herb chopper or cocktail set made of rose gold to a handmade timber lazy susan. There are even dozens of pay-it-forward gifts where your money goes directly to an Australian in need.



## Go for Zero

On a mission to help every home be toxin-free and conscious of their environmental impact. Discover fantastic Australian products which are great for you and the environment. You can find some beautiful and unique gifts from bath products, perfumes, makeup, skincare, health foods and tea.

## Avenue

### Shop Avenue

Products from a range of ethical brands, as well as brands created by in-house Avenue Entrepreneurs. Purchasing from Shop Avenue supports people with a disability to work and develop their individual skills regardless of their support needs.



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## Goods 4 Good

Buy a pack of condoms and a pack will be donated to a community in need. Buy a book of sandwich recipes from famous people that supports young carers. Or treat the dog with a range of dog biscuits including peanut butter and kangaroo flavour. Or just buy chocolate.



## Uplift Fair Trade

Products purchased directly from fair trade organisations. They have clothing, chocolate, trinkets, homewares, toys, laptop and iPad bags and a wide range of Christmas decorations. They can also organise corporate gifts.



## Oz Fair Trade

By buying from Oz Fair Trade, you are helping to improve the lives of many women and their families who live in extreme poverty. Full profits go back to purchasing more fair trade products. Find spoons and jewellery made from bombshells, super soft t-shirts, cards, cushion covers, bags, slippers, and lots more.



## Eco at Home

All sorts of everyday but beautiful essentials including baby olive oil soap, books on eco living, natural house paint (which actually has a pleasant smell), children's gardening tools and gifts. Available online or in their Willoughby (Sydney) store.



## Community Projects Worldwide

A social enterprise adhering to fair trade principles. Their unique gifts include crooked stem wine glasses, colourful telephone wire bowls, handpainted teapots, and a cushion cover featuring giraffes at sunset.



## Hello Good World

An online marketplace for sustainable businesses selling clothing, gifts, food and drink, shows you the good from every purchase you make. Buy one of their divine Kenshi Candles and 3kg of pasta will be provide to Australians in needs. Buy an organic cotton apron for a preschooler chef and you're helping a woman in India gain financial independence.



## Biome

Everything you need for an eco-lifestyle: bags, skincare, educational toys, home décor, natural makeup, natural deodorant, crayon rocks made from soy wax, lunch boxes, sustainable clothing, cookware, Manchester and lots more. Online or in store (Queensland only).



## Upcycle Studio

A gorgeous and eclectic range of gifts made from upcycled materials. Check out their bags and accessories made from sail cloth, fire hoses and billboards, sustainable lunch boxes and water bottles, and more. Shop online or in St Peters (Sydney).



## Hamlin Shop

An ethical charity gift shop raising funds to prevent and treat injury from childbirth in Ethiopia. Artisans across Africa employed in fair trade conditions produce fashion, homewares, toys, Christmas decorations, and jewellery.



## Fair Go Trading

A Perth (Australia) based retailer of fair-trade and organic goodies. Go retro with their beautiful hand-painted cake tins. Get stylish with their artisan bags. Treat your flowers with a hand-painted and upcycled watering can. Or browse the wide range of hemp bags, puppets, jewellery and more.



## Made By Many Hands

A collection of stores owned by migrant women that empowers female entrepreneurs to interact directly with their customers. Check out the paper mache skull earrings, and brightly coloured handmade Colombian platform shoes.



# SUPPORT A CHARITY

GIVE A GIFT WHERE IT'S REALLY NEEDED



## Australian Red Cross

Give a 'Real Good Gift' - a gift card and donation in one. How about a gift card shaped like a chocolate box that provides emergency supplies to help a family through an Aussie disaster or a mug shaped gift card which gives a cuppa and good company for someone who's lonely.



## Care Australia

A great range, from \$10 drought resistant seeds to \$75 to stock a medical clinic. Care Australia is a non-government and non-religious charity.



## Humane Society

Give a gift that celebrates and protects animals with Humane Society. You can help protect India's elephants, rescue dogs, protect whales and dolphins, and more.



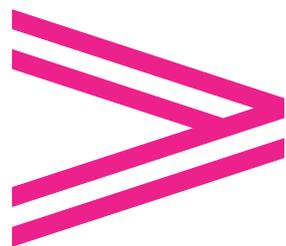
## Muslim Aid

With Muslim Aid you can give personal or business Zakah, pay Fedyah or cleanse your income received from interest. You can choose how the money is spent, such as for sustainable development, orphan aid, health and education.



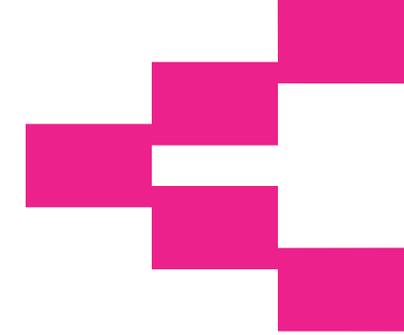
## The Smith Family

Give a gift that puts a Christmas present under the tree for a disadvantaged child who might otherwise go without. You can also support disadvantaged kids' literacy and numeracy, provide a mentor for an Indigenous child, and lots more.



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## Bush Heritage Australia

Give a Bush Gift Card to support the conservation of magnificent Australian landscapes and irreplaceable native species.



## Oxfam Unwrapped

A massive range of cheesy gifts for people who already have everything they need. "This gift might be crappy" says the card with a gift of a faecal sludge plant.



## Rainforest Rescue

Rainforest Rescue's gift cards include a cassowary care package, tree planting in the rainforest and buying back the rainforest to protect it forever (every \$10 protects 2-square metres).



## Children's Medical Research Institute

Selling Jeans for Genes branded apparel, as well as lab coats and science kits for the budding child scientist. Money goes to research into children's genetic diseases.



## WWF

Help conserve endangered animals such as tigers, orang-utans and pygmy elephants by "adopting" an animal through WWF, and your loved one will receive an adoption certificate, sticker, factbook and other goodies, including optional soft toy.



## GiveNow

An Australian online donations platform that connects you to the causes you and your loved ones care about. You can donate money on someone's behalf or find other creative ways to give, like donating stamps to help a charity reach a bigger audience.



## RSPCA

RSPCA has five gift cards representing the five freedoms for animals, including freedom from hunger and thirst, freedom from fear and distress, and freedom to express normal behaviour. A lovely set of gifts for the animal-lover.



## Simply Giving

With Simply Giving, you choose a Christmas present for a disadvantaged Australian child through Barnardos, Anglicare, The Children's Hospital at Westmead, The Smith Family and more – and you get a certificate, gift card or origami for your tree.



## Tear Australia

This is where the concept of giving to people who need it most actually started. Tear Australia is a Christian group helping the world's poor. Gifts are priced from \$5 (for chickens) to \$5,000 (to help a community transform their village). There are even some mini-cardboard constructions instead of cards for crafty recipients.



## Purple Card Project

Help fund some local environmental action with the Purple Card Project! Choose a lovely card, add money, and allow your loved one to choose which project to support, like community education about textile waste in NSW's Hunter region.



## Unicef

Buy a range of gifts helping with education, clean water, nutrition, maternal health and more. For just \$47 you can provide a community with 9,000 water purification tablets or for \$271 you can give a 'school in a box' - a portable way to ensure children continue to learn during times of crisis and conflict, or in the hardest to reach areas.



## Leprosy Mission

This Christian charity seeks to defeat leprosy and transform lives. They raise money selling "gifts of love" such as goats, school kits and toilets for people who need them, as well as fashion, homewares, stationery and more for someone who prefers something to unwrap.



# GREETING CARDS

SEND A MESSAGE AND HELP OTHERS

## *Noteworthy* CARDS

### Noteworthy Cards

Find some beautiful, funny, weird and wonderful greeting cards made from recycled materials and produced carbon neutral. 100% of profits towards life-changing gifts that support community, education, food and livelihoods, good health, safe water and sanitation for people suffering in poverty.

*rosie lou*

### Rosie Lou

Australian designed and made cards are beautiful and quirky, like the play-on-words "I love you from my head tomatoes" card, printed with vegetable ink on recycled paper. There are also gift packs of seeds, wrapping paper, notebooks and some textile items as well.

*Words With Heart*  
STATIONERY | PRINT | DESIGN

### Words With Heart

Combining environmentally responsible production, funding for women's and girls' education projects, and words that empower. With your artwork they'll make anything from business cards and stickers to posters and notepads, and they'll use the profits to pay for education for women and girls in the developing world.

  
charitycardmarket

### Charity Card Market

Customise your gift cards with a company that donates 20% of the takings to your chosen charity (over seventy to choose from!), prints the cards on eco-friendly paper and uses soy-based inks. You can even upload your own image.

  
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100% earth friendly

### Earth Greetings

For beautiful Australian-made cards printed on 100% post-consumer waste recycled paper, head to Earth Greetings. They have cards for a wide range of occasions, and also sell wrapping paper, gift tags, bookmarks, and calendars. 10% of their profits are donated to environmental organisations.

  
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### Notely

Beautiful notebooks printed with sustainable ink onto FSC certified paper, and with 100% post consumer waste recycled, carbon neutral paper on the inside. Planet friendly, attractive and supporting real artists.



# BOOKS

STORIES THAT CHANGE LIVES



## Dirt Lane Press

A wonderful collection of children's picture books. Find award-winning books like 'Just One Bee' or an edition of 'Where Happiness Hides' in Wiradyuri Language, the First Nations Language of the central-west region of NSW. All profits from their beautiful books go to WestWords, who run literacy programs for young people in Western Sydney.

Based in Parramatta



## Lost in Books

A kids' bookshop in Western Sydney with titles in 65 languages, also a café, safe space for women, creative learning centre and language exchange hub. The books cater for newborns through to young adults and grown-ups.



## Feed your Reading Habit

Find a pre-loved book curated by this bookstore in NSW's Lake Macquarie region.



## 100 Story Building

Books and a quarterly magazine edited by young people for young people. Read some crazy tales and find a whole lot of inspiration to get writing, drawing and creating. New in store is a story building activity box for your young writer.



## Palmera Projects' cookbook HANDMADE

Go on a journey of amazing food shared through the stories of 34 women. Money raised from the book sale will help to ensure vulnerable people are economically empowered.



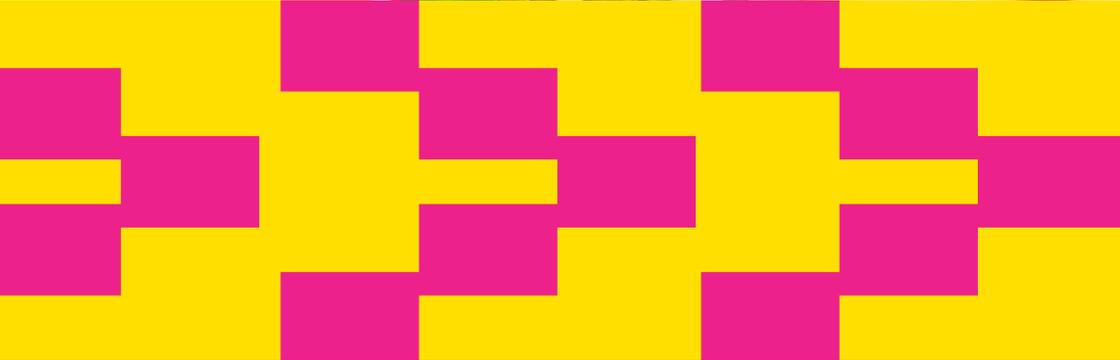
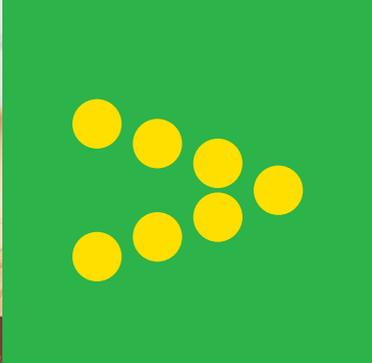
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