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# WINTER GIFT GUIDE 2021



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Welcome to the  
Muswell Hill Creatives Winter Gift Guide 2021.

We bring you inspiring gift ideas from independent artists, designers and makers in our collective and guests to help you shop SMALL and LOCAL this season. Enjoy having a browse of a beautiful range of jewellery, ceramics, prints, homewares, accessories, textiles and more.

Many makers are offering free local delivery and collection to help make your gift shopping easier and for the personal touch.

Our Winter Fair is on Saturday 27 November  
from 10.30am – 4pm outside in St James Square,  
Muswell Hill, N10 3HS

Scan the code below for the online version of the  
Gift Guide with clickable links to each maker's  
shopping platform or social media.



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## BY CECIL

By Cecil creates modern textiles using traditional weaving techniques. The fabrics are designed on a floor loom in Crouch End with a limited edition of scarves and snoods produced by a micro mill in Bristol. A selection of scarves are handwoven as unique high-end pieces in merino wool, cotton or silk. A gift wrapping service is available for all goods. The luxury silk eye pillows (£35) and the merino wool scarves (£85) are available in gift boxes. Shopping locally this Christmas has never been easier. *Free UK wide delivery by 19 December. Local click and collect available by appointment until 23 December.*

[www.bycecil.com](http://www.bycecil.com)

## CERAMIC JUSTICE

Ceramic Justice is the brainchild of Jeremy OrNSTIN, a former barrister/solicitor. Recently converted to the creative life, Jeremy now makes colourful pottery pieces. From vases, cups and mugs, to bowls and jugs, his influences come from moods of the Kent coast and its skies. Prices vary from £12 for a basic cup or bowl, to £40 for the larger items. Away from the wheel, Jeremy expresses a love of wildlife, exploring the animal kingdom with his hand-fashioned bears, hedgehogs, badgers and birds – revealing their quirkier personalities. Jeremy welcomes commissions. View images on Instagram at [www.instagram.com/ceramicjustice](http://www.instagram.com/ceramicjustice) *Free delivery to N10, N2, N6, N8 and N19.*

email: [jeremyornstin@hotmail.com](mailto:jeremyornstin@hotmail.com)





## CROUCH END CANDLES

Crouch End Candles makes the world a happier place, one luxury candle at a time. They know that power of scent can evoke long forgotten feelings and emotions. Their range of scents is inspired by travel to magical places, or special moments in time, lighting up precious memories for you. 100% vegetable waxes are blended with the highest quality artisan fragrances which are vegan and never tested on animals. Posted nationwide. *Free local delivery in Crouch End, Highgate, Hornsey, Stroud Green and Muswell Hill. Collect from Crouch End or Bowes Park by arrangement. Candles are handmade in small batches, so please allow up to 10 working days from order to dispatch.*

[www.crouchendcandles.co.uk](http://www.crouchendcandles.co.uk)



## HILARY SKETCHES

Hilary Masetti is an urban landscape artist, inspired by the stunning architecture in Muswell Hill, Crouch End and Highgate. Hilary's urban sketches use both ink and watercolour pencils or ink and brush pens. She sells giclee prints and greeting cards of beautifully detailed drawings such as the Prince of Wales in Highgate, Hillfield Park in Muswell Hill and the Crouch End Clocktower. Giclee prints can be bought in 3 sizes and range from £22 to £50. There are also 3 card collections to choose from. They are the perfect Christmas gifts! *Free UK wide delivery by 15 December.*

[www.hilarysketches.co.uk](http://www.hilarysketches.co.uk)

## EVA FAY DESIGN

Eva Fay Design hand crafts one-of-a-kind jewellery pieces using clay, a lightweight material, in Crouch End. Christina finds inspiration from natural elements, such as autumn leaves and botanicals to natural stones. She uses subtle textures, gold accents and minimal lines to create classic, elegant pieces. Stud earrings start from £10, dangle earrings range from £15 to £22 and necklaces start from £26. Every item is wrapped up ready for gifting with a mini dried botanical bouquet and gift messages are printed on card. *Free delivery or collection by prior arrangement from central Crouch End.*

[www.evafaydesign.etsy.com](http://www.evafaydesign.etsy.com)



## ISABEE

Isabee makes beautiful handmade applique T-shirts featuring original designs for babies and children. The range is all about colours, simplicity, fun and quality. Isabee's organic and ethically made cottons are gentle and soft to the skin - a perfect gift for little ones. A classic range of handmade dressing up outfits is also available. All products are carefully made to last and designed to have more than one owner in North London. T-shirts from £20, £26 Baby Sleepsuit. *Message Isabee via the website for local delivery.*

[www.isabee.co.uk](http://www.isabee.co.uk)





## NIGHT PRESS

Looking to gift unique works of art this Christmas? Look no further than Night Press. With a selection of original prints including colourful alphabet flashcards (£11), cityscapes (£15) and graphic novel posters (£35) for the bibliophile in your life, every print is hand carved on lino blocks and printed using traditional block printing methods.

*Whether you're buying for yourself or as a gift, every print is wrapped in eco-friendly packaging and shipped twice a week for a speedy delivery.*

[www.iprintatnight.com](http://www.iprintatnight.com)



## PAPERSHADES

Papershades are colourful, original paper lampshades which come as a flatpack and fit into an A4 envelope. You have the fun of assembling them at home. Muswell Hill artist Rosalind Freeborn creates paper collage designs which she then prints onto panels of paper which are held in place with two 'wheels'. Papershades cost just £30 (including p&p). Check out the pretty florals, the thoughtful nostalgic designs, the culinary collection and the range of lampshades depicting British counties, cities, towns and places – including Muswell Hill! Papershades will brighten up a room, whether the lights are on or off. *Ros offers in-person delivery to N10 and surrounding areas or a rendezvous on the Broadway.*

[www.papershades.co.uk](http://www.papershades.co.uk)



## QUEENIE ORGANICS

Queenie Organics makes handcrafted skincare that is suitable for vegans and one of extremely few brands that make cream without palm oil derivatives. Formulated for skin type, they have both face creams and hand & body creams that range from £7.50 to £24. Gift boxes and bags are also available. All products are certified organic, vegan and palm oil free and rated 2<sup>nd</sup> most ethical skincare brand by *Ethical Consumer* magazine. *Click and collect is available from Turnpike Lane or free next day local delivery.*



[www.queenieorganics.com](http://www.queenieorganics.com)

## ROMOR DESIGNS

Rob Jones created Romor Designs after falling in love with Japanese textiles following a seminal trip to Japan to study Shibori resist dyeing and Katagami stencilling with international textiles artist, Bryan Whitehead. Rob designs, stitches and dyes fabrics using Japanese indigo and natural plant dyes and makes beautiful handmade accessories and homewares including scarves, tea towels, napkins and cushions. He also repurposes vintage kimono silks and cottons as unique scarves. Rob teaches Japanese textiles courses online and in and around London. Gift vouchers and making kits are available. *Free local delivery in N10, N22, N8 and local collection by appointment.*

[www.romordesigns.com](http://www.romordesigns.com)





## STEPH RUBBO SADDLERY & LEATHER WORK

Steph Rubbo Saddlery specialises in making beautiful, durable, bespoke leather goods, using traditional saddlery tools and techniques to the highest quality workmanship. Each of her pieces is unique, handmade from English bridle leather, linen thread with solid brass or nickel fittings. The result is a truly personal product that gains character over time. Last date for bespoke accessory orders is 15 December, stock items until 22nd. Made to measure belts from £90, and made to measure pet collars from £60, doorstops £15, coffee cup sleeves £20, Gift Vouchers £50 – £100. *Free local delivery in North London Postcodes N6, N8, N10, N11, N13, N15, N17, N22 or collect by arrangement.*

[www.steprubbosaddlery.co.uk](http://www.steprubbosaddlery.co.uk)



## THE IDLE BINDERY

The Idle Bindery is a small bookbinding and artist studio based in Muswell Hill that specialises in handmade photo albums, sketchbooks, notebooks, and bullet journals (starting from £25). Bound using traditional methods and a variety of beautiful papers, there is something for everyone. Foiled personalization is available on request for ready-to-buy items and for that extra special gift or occasion, custom orders are welcomed. Also for sale are beginners' bookbinding kits (£50) that make the perfect seasonal gift. Gift vouchers are available. *Free local delivery in N10.*

[www.theidlebindery.co.uk](http://www.theidlebindery.co.uk)



## WYCKOFF SMITH JEWELLERY

Wyckoff Smith Jewellery's bold and simple contemporary silver and gold designs are inspired by time hewn natural forms and textures made using traditional goldsmith techniques. Shop on Michele's website for a selection of gemstone stacking rings, organic shaped silver rings (starting at £75) and elegant earrings (starting at £30), gold hammered hoops (starting at £160), silver cuffs for men (£140), or personalised silver dog tag pendant (from £56.00). *For click and collect service, select "Local Pick Up" at checkout online. Gift vouchers are available.*

[www.wyckoffsmith.com](http://www.wyckoffsmith.com)

## WELCOME TO WAVE CAFÉ

Wave Café is a social enterprise that brings people together from across the community, creating opportunities for those with and without learning disabilities to socialise and have fun together. Based at the United Reform Church, Muswell Hill, the café is open 9am-5pm every Thursday and Friday. Drop in for a coffee or stay for a delicious lunch, join an art workshop or a yoga session. A great location to meet someone new, hang out with friends or hold a work meeting.

**The Wave Café Experience** – Thursday 2 December, 7pm-9.30pm. Come along for an exhibition of Wave and local artists, supported by Muswell Hill Creatives. Live music, art workshop, free drinks & canapes. All welcome.

[www.wavecafe.org](http://www.wavecafe.org)





## BAILEY & FREE

Bailey & Free is a feel good, laid back, casual clothing brand created to bring a little bit of sunshine to your life. Inspired by things that make us smile, Bailey & Free know that sometimes adding your own personal touch to your wardrobe can make a big difference. The collection features sweatshirts, jackets, accessories and homewares that you can customise at home with a selection of iron on patches. *Posted nationwide. Free local delivery in Crouch End, Highgate, Hornsey, Stroud Green.*

[www.baileyandfree.com](http://www.baileyandfree.com)

## BECCA CADBURY DESIGN

Lovers of artisan textiles will want to take a look at the work of local designer Becca Cadbury who specialises in making unique accessories from rare vintage Japanese Kimono silks. Metallic clutch bag shown is £35. New for this season are lampshades that glow and silk and velvet cushions that make you happy to be home. Made in limited editions, find that special something for that special person and support small. Prices start at £30.

[www.beccacadburydesign.etsy.com](http://www.beccacadburydesign.etsy.com)



## BRIGITTE HERROD

Local artist/graphic designer Brigitte loves creating affordable art, prints and sculptures. Painting, drawing and design are combined with found objects or ephemera. Sayings, gentle humour or a quirky twist pop up in her work. Many pieces shown on Instagram @brigitteherrodart are bespoke/customisable making them unique to the recipient. *Website offers local collect option.*

[www.brigitteherrod.com](http://www.brigitteherrod.com)

## COLE OF LONDON

Cole of London started with the idea of 'mug up on history', producing high quality, beautifully coloured bone china mugs featuring Sarah Cole's distinctive quirky line drawings of iconic figures, together with dates, quotes and facts. Ranges include great feminists, scientists, writers, artists, musicians, kings and queens of England, politicians, philosophers and the designs now appear on aprons, tea towels, prints and coasters. Great fun and really useful and brilliant presents.

[www.coleoflondon.com](http://www.coleoflondon.com)



## EMMA LACEY

Emma Lacey designs and makes functional ceramics from her studio in Crouch End. Pieces are hand-thrown using fine stoneware clay then finished to encourage sensuous, tactile everyday experiences. Best-selling mugs start at £36. Free, eco gift wrapping for two or more pieces ordered online. The pieces are dishwasher safe, available in a range of colours and designed to last.

[www.emmalacey.com](http://www.emmalacey.com)



## I'M LUCY'S TYPE

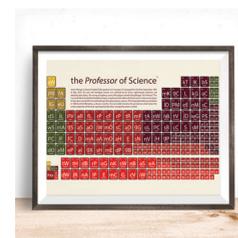
I'm Lucy's Type produces colourful, typographical tea towels, greetings cards and prints. Choose from a selection of fun, uplifting words (eg Glorious or Joie de Vivre). Tea towels (from £12.00) are organic cotton or a cotton/linen mix. Greetings cards (£2.80 each or 5 for £10.00). Prints are A4 (£10.00) or A3 (£15.00) unframed. Gift wrapping service is available. *Free delivery to local postcodes: N10, N6, N8, N4 and N22. Final order date 16 December.*

[www.imlucystype.com](http://www.imlucystype.com)

## JENNIFER LOISELLE

Jennifer Loiseau is a jewellery designer specialising in laser cut acrylic designs, all handmade in her Muswell Hill studio. Bold and colourful earrings, rings, brooches and necklaces are imbued with a sense of humour. Prices start from £23. More images of her work can be found via Instagram @jenniferloiseau. *Please get in touch for free local delivery.*

[www.jenniferloiseau.com](http://www.jenniferloiseau.com)



## ON A SIXPENCE

At On a Sixpence you will find structured and very geeky art prints which depict a wide range of subjects. From football clubs to the Tour de France, horror movies to hip hop, Shakespeare to tennis. Key metrics are researched, categorised and arranged into a periodic-table or spiral. Each image is then made into a high quality giclée print. Prices start at £60. *For free delivery add code SHOPLOCAL.*

[www.onasixpence.bigcartel.com](http://www.onasixpence.bigcartel.com)

## SOBU HANDMADE

Sonja Bucherer (SOBU) creates highly individual and personalised cushions, blankets, lavender bags and flower brooches by mixing new, vintage and recycled textiles. Sonja also runs Stitch Clubs and has developed Stitch Cloth and other making kits. *View Instagram @sobuhandmade to find out more and visit the online shop. Click "Pick up at SOBU" (N22) to save delivery time and cost.*

[www.sobu.co.uk](http://www.sobu.co.uk)



## TIN SOLDIER

Tin Soldier is the handmade 'arm' of N10 vintage shop Can't Buy Me Love. Their range includes a nostalgic collection of mid-century style wrapping paper, cards, decorations and gifts. One design is inspired by buildings in Muswell Hill. Tin Soldier is also known for their pop culture novelties, including a much-loved Dolly Parton Christmas tree angel. Prices start at £3.75.

[www.tinsoldiershop.etsy.com](http://www.tinsoldiershop.etsy.com)

