



SHOP LOCAL SHOP HOME SHOP BRANFORD

**2023 Branford
Holiday Gift Guide**



Welcome to the 2023 Branford Holiday Gift Guide. We hope this guide inspires you to visit these shops and restaurants as part of Small Business Season. Our small businesses support our children with their team and school fundraisers; they support our charities by donating to silent auctions and providing change donation jars; and they build our community.

Our small businesses make Branford a great small town! Let this guide encourage you to Shop Local, Shop Home, Shop Branford this season and every season.



Shoreline Chamber and Town of Branford Economic Development



★ Branford Businesses

Grey Goat Farmtique	11 N Branford Rd	Branford, CT 06405	greygoatct.com
Elements Massage	2 Chestnut Street	Branford, CT 06405	elementsmassage.com/branford
Allusions Boutique	1206 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	www.allusionsboutique.com
The Village Express Pack & Ship	1204 Main St	Branford, CT 06405	villageexpressbranford.com
Pearl Bistro & Wine Bar	1140 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	Pearlwinebar.com
Better Ways LLC	1122 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	www.betterwayscbd.com
Polished	1116A Main St	Branford, CT 06405	www.shoppolished.com
Marathon Sports	1088 Main St	Branford, CT 06405	marathonsports.com
Possessions	1074 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	https://possessionsclothing.com/
Fired Up!	1060 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	firedupbranford.com
P.S. Fine Stationers	1028 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	www.psfinestationers.com
Billy's Pasta Cosi	1018 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	www.pastacosi.com
Ashley's Ice Cream	1016-18 Main St.	Branford, CT 06405	www.ashleysicecream.net
Down-Towne Medical Equipment	1012 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	dtmedicalequipment.com
Splash Boutique LLC	1010 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	www.splashbranford.com
Bespoke Home	1008 Main St. Ste A	Branford, CT 06405	www.bespokehome.studio
BACA Art Gallery	1004 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	https://branfordarts.org/
Rock Garden	17 South Main St.	Branford, CT 06405	https://www.rockgarden.com
Branford Jewelers	567 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	www.branfordjewelers.com
Slackline Press	562 Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	slacklinepress.com https://icryo.com/location/branfo
iCRYO Branford	103 N Main Street	Branford, CT 06405	rd-ct/
East West Integrative Health Clinic,	217 Montowese Street	Branford, CT 06405	https://ewihealth.com
Gracious Gifts and Home	116 Montowese Street	Branford, CT 06405	www.graciousgiftsandhome.com
The Legacy Theatre	128 Thimble Islands Road	Branford, CT 06405	https://www.legacytheatrect.org/





Retail Cafe



candles



jewelry



cutting boards



pottery and decor



leather and travel bags



jewelry



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Clothing Boutique



Elan Brown Faux
Leather Pants



Kelly green sheath dress



Magenta Satin Jacket



Elan white/black
zip collar sweater.



Elan Dustin Oversize Blazer



Elan Animal Crew Neck Sweater.

1206 Main St. Branford CT | www.allusionsboutique.com



THE VILLAGE EXPRESS

Pack and Ship

****PACK & SHIP****

From the mundane to the unusual, our team of certified packers can take on any challenge. Custom made boxes and our expert packaging will help get your item to its destination safely in one piece!

Here are examples of our work:



packaging service

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- Incoming and outgoing local fax
- Incoming and outgoing international fax



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Fax Service

Passport Photos are AVAILABLE!

- We will make sure that the photo meets and passes all requirements for most countries
- Our pricing is THE BEST in town!



Passport Photos

Shredding Services

- Industrial grade shredding services at an affordable price!
 - The most effective way of eliminating identity theft



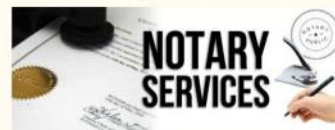
Shredding Service

Notary Services

Things we CAN notarize-

- Contracts
- Legal Documents
- Real Estate Documents
- School Permission Slips
- Medical Release Forms
- Car Title Transfers
- Child ID Kits
- Power of Attorneys & Wills
- NOTARY CAN travel to you if necessary

- **HOWEVER, we CANNOT** be witnesses to wills or power of attorneys.



Notary Service

1204 Main St, Branford CT | villageexpressbranford.com

pearl

wine bar & bistro

Restaurant & bar



Gift Basket



Gift Card



Gift Basket 2 bottles



Pearl Merchandise

1140 Main Street, Branford CT | Pearlwinebar.com



better ways

cannabis therapeutics

Local Branford born Cannabis Therapeutics store - Focused Balance with Hemp / CBD



Mayahuel 600 mg Infused Agave Nectar - This vegan, hypoglycemic sugar alternative has several essential B vitamins (B2, B6, and B9) that help support your immune system and is a highly concentrated sweetener so you can use less of to achieve the same sweetening properties of sugar or honey. This is a 600 mg Full Spectrum CBD product derived from Hemp....

Midnight Tincture - Our 1000 mg Midnight Tincture blend is just what you need for a restful night's sleep. With our Full Spectrum hemp oil and additional herbal ingredients, our Night tincture is designed specifically to help support getting to sleep and staying asleep without any groggy or lethargic effects the next morning!



Broad Spectrum Tincture - Our 2000 mg cold-pressed Broad Spectrum hempseed tincture is ideal for daytime or nighttime use. With all legal trace amounts of THC intentionally removed, this product is perfect for first responders, union workers, state employees, or anyone else concerned with THC showing up in a drug test.



Better Ways 1000 mg Full Spectrum Caramel Vanilla Tincture - This 1000 mg Caramel Vanilla flavored Full Spectrum grape-seed oil tincture is the perfect complement to your cup of coffee or any other beverage. The grape seed oil base helps the cannabis molecules (cannabinoids) and the caffeine molecules bind more evenly so there isn't a caffeine spike or subsequent crash. A great addition to start the day!!!



Better Ways 500 mg Pet Tincture - Our Better Ways' Broad Spectrum pet tincture uses sustainably sourced Alaskan salmon oil, perna canaliculus, and hemp-derived CBD. Perfect for any dog or cat in need of relief from separation anxiety, mobility and joint support in older animals, anxiety from lightning storms, fireworks, or large parties, digestion issues, healthier coats.

1122 Main Street, Branford CT | www.betterwayscbd.com

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Discover the latest trends in women's apparel at Polished Boutique in Branford, CT. Shop for basics, tops, bottoms, denim, dresses, skirts, and accessories. Perfect for women who value unique style but not at the expense of comfort or cost.



Gift Card at any dollar amount. Our gift cards never expire and can be used in store or online where we have our full inventory updated daily. Spoil that special someone with a Polished gift card.

The Addison Jeans: Addison Jeans are flattering and stylish.



Everyday Basic Long Sleeve Top Crafted for a perfect fit, this Everyday Basic Long Sleeve Top is ideal for layering with any style bottoms.



The Leah Top: A great wardrobe starts with solid basics, just like our Leah Top!



Take Me to Class Sweater: Stay stylish and cozy during the colder seasons in the Take Me To Class Sweater.

She Will Be Loved Cardigan: This cardigan is a stylish and versatile piece of clothing.



Marathon® Sports

Founded in 1975 in a renovated first-floor apartment near Harvard Square in Cambridge, MA. We have grown to 22 retail locations, bringing our unparalleled customer experience to runners, walkers, and fitness enthusiasts across New England.



rabbit Men's EZ Tee Long Sleeve
<https://shop.marathonsports.com/products/mens-rabbit-ez-tee-ls-black-charcoal>



rabbit Women's Outrun Mock Neck
<https://shop.marathonsports.com/products/womens-rabbit-outrun-mock-neck-rhodonite>



Men's HOKA Clifton 9
<https://shop.marathonsports.com/products/hoka-clifton-9-iwep-ice-water-evening-primrose>



Women's Nike Vomero 17
<https://shop.marathonsports.com/products/nike-vomero-17-fb8502-401-polar-lime-blast-blue-joy-white>



Feetures Merino 10 Cushion Quarter Sock
<https://shop.marathonsports.com/products/merino-10-cush-qtr-em201>



Garmin Forerunner 265 GPS Watch
<https://shop.marathonsports.com/products/garmin-forerunner-265>

1088 Main St Branford, CT | marathonsports.com

POSSESSIONS, LLC

Possessions Clothing Store offers a curated mix of on-trend, irresistible pieces that focuses on each customer's personal sense of style with an intimate, individualized approach. We offer the most coveted designers and sought-after styles from the industry's best brands.



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Blazers, Jackets & Coats -
styles from Day to Night



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Dresses - Day to Evening



Vegan Leather



Gift Certificates

1074 Main Street, Branford CT | <https://possessionsclothing.com/>



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Lighted Ceramic Christmas
Trees in three sizes



Christmas Gnome Tree



Lighted Truck with Tree



Snowman Salt and Pepper Shakers



Naughty/Nice Mug



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P.S.

FINE STATIONERS

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Frasier Fir by Thymes...always a holiday favorite



Byers Choice Carolers. A seasonal favorite



Louis Sherry Chocolates...when it's a matter of good taste



Holiday Ornaments by Michael Aram



Fa la la la Fabulous...Mackenzie-Childs Home for the holidays



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Holiday Ice Cream Logs



Eggnog and Peppermint Stick Ice Cream



Ice Cream Cakes

1016-18 Main Street, Branford CT | www.ashleysicecream.net

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Women's Apparel, Jewelry, baby, Branford Gear, Home Decor, and much more.

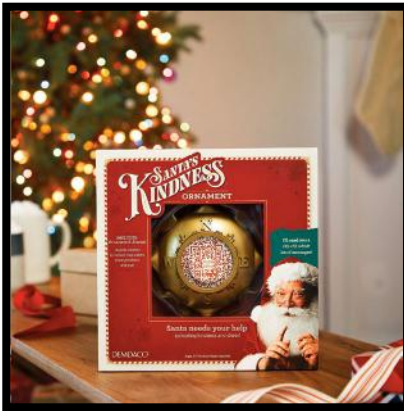


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Wanderful hydrobags make carrying your water, wine or other choice of beverage so easy. Hands free and a place to secure your valuables makes this a great gift for a person on the go.



Santa really needs children's help spreading kindness and cheer. With this magical ornament, children can hear directly from Santa. Starting Dec. 1, simply scan the ornament with a smartphone and Santa will appear in a video encouraging them to spread kindness, help with chores, draw a picture and more.



Get comfy cozy in the stylish, one size fits most, Hooded Wrap - It comes in sand, blue and pink.



This is the perfect gift for any coffee lover. Ovalware coffee pots have cold brew or hot brew styles. Add a special variety or two of organic coffee from Stonewall Kitchens and you are done.

A fabulous collection of necklaces, earrings and bracelets from Spartina. So many styles to choose from. A gift for you and a gift for her. These items available in store only.



1010 Main St, Branford CT | www.splashbranford.com



BESPOKE HOME
Home & Interior Design Store



Glasshouse Special
Edition Holiday Candle

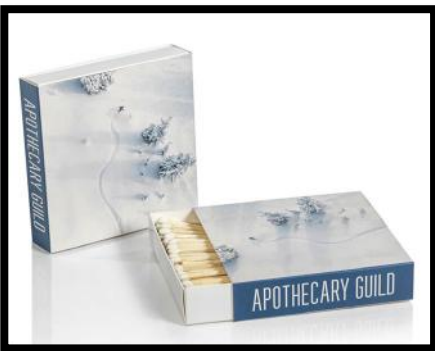
Pom Pom at Home
Capistrano Throw Blanket



LED multicolor sequin tree



Assouline Travel Series
Coffee Table Book
Collection



Apothecary Guild
Skier Matchbox

Needlepoint Holiday
Pillow



1008 Main Street Suite A Branford, CT | www.bespokehome.studio



Branford Arts & Cultural Alliance

BACA Art Gallery
Fine Art Gallery



1004 Main Street, Branford CT | <https://branfordarts.org/>



Rock Garden
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Eangee Faire Trade Leaf Lamps in many styles and colors. Made from Cocoa leaves.



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Retablos by Taos, New Mexico artist Lynn Garlick. Retablos are a devotional folk-art form from Mexico and the Southwest US. They are small paintings on wood of Catholic saints and angels.



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Nice selection of bead strands and loose beads. Make your own gifts!
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Branford Jewelers

Jewelry store



Ti Sento - Sterling Silver & Gold
Plated Cubic Zirconia Circle
Pendant with Adjustable Chain



Lafonn - Rhodium Plated Sterling Silver
Paper Clip Necklace with Cubic Zirconia



Asher - 14k Yellow & White Gold
Diamond Double Circle Dangle Earrings



Nava Dee - 14k White Gold Inside Out
Diamond & Sapphire Triangle Hoops



Tag Heuer Aquaracer Professional
200 - Automatic 40mm



Tissot PRX 35mm Quartz

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Holiday Dish Towels
<https://slacklinepress.com/products/happy-holidays-dish-towel-set-of-2>



Santa Letter Writing Kit
<https://slacklinepress.com/products/santa-letter-kit?>



Holiday Candles
<https://slacklinepress.com/collections/candles/products/holiday-cheer-mulled-cider-candle>



Hanukkah Garland
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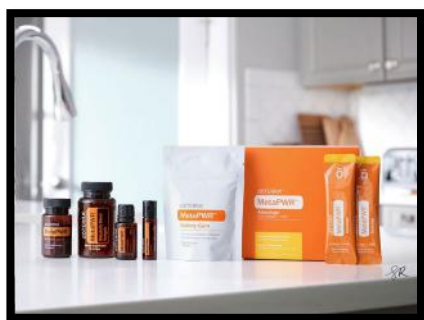


Get 1 Month Additional
with 6 Month PIF

103 N Main Street, Branford CT | <https://icryo.com/location/branford-ct/>



Medical office - East West Integrative Health Clinic, LLC focuses on services as well as products to help improve your health and wellness. We want you to have all the tools to make a lasting change and reach your goals for your health & wellness, so you can live the life you desire.



MetaPWR System -

<https://ewihealth.com/ewihealthmetapwr>



Healthy Start Kit -

<https://doterra.me/hLJKb3>



Simple Solutions Kit -

<https://doterra.me/5CwpYM>



Gut Health Support -

<https://doterra.me/CWkbIA>



doTERRA Holiday collection -

<https://www.doterra.com/US/en/pl/holiday-offers?OwnerID=4961995>



Aroma Essentials Collection -

<https://doterra.me/UuyOJ5>

217 Montowese St., Branford, CT | <https://ewihealth.com>



A gift shop featuring a large collection of artisan gifts and home goods. At Gracious Gifts and Home, you will find eclectic, handmade, and timeless gift ideas for every occasion and every budget. We feature the work of many local artisans and products from local small businesses. We believe products are not just a reflection of taste and style, but they represent stories, memories, and communities.



Hostess Gifts?? We've got too many to show you...pair this adorable holiday soap with guest towels or a candle. You'll be the hit of the party.

Do you need a holiday fashion accessory? We have some of the most beautiful beaded bags for both the holidays and for everyday use.



Handmade by a local Artisan, this Ocean Wave cutting board is sure to impress your guests



Your feet will thank you! Our Archies's arch support flip flops have hit Branford by storm. Many will attest to their being more comfortable than sneakers. Don't let the winter stop you from gifting this fantastic product. Winter toe socks available too.



If sweets are on your shopping list, then look no further. We have a great selection of marshmallows for winter (snowmen), Christmas (holiday themed), and for Hanukkah

If you prefer a more personal, natural vibe, our selection of Woodstock Chimes may be just what you are looking for.



116 Montowese Street, Branford, CT | www.graciousgiftsandhome.com

THE LEGACY THEATRE

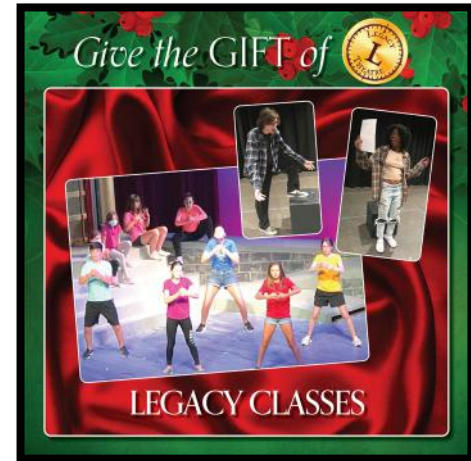


The Legacy Theatre is a professional theatre company that enhances the Connecticut Shoreline's economy, educational opportunities, and quality of life through live theatre and related programs. Legacy strives to be a premiere Arts house and to ensure ongoing seasons of uplifting, inspiring, and challenging professional theatre and theatre training for all. Seasons include Mainstage productions, a Broadway Concert Series, shows for families and children, and so much more!

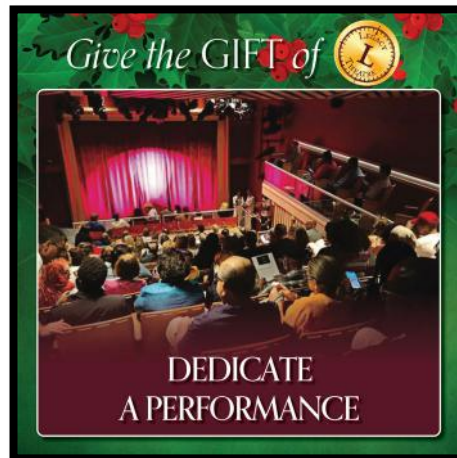


Gift Certificates - Give the gift of live theatre with a gift certificate to the Legacy Theatre! Gift certificates may be redeemed for any production, and they never expire.

Classes - The greatest legacy is not what we leave for people, but what we leave within people. Give the gift of a Legacy Theatre class or workshop -- Legacy offers educational opportunities for learners of all ages, from toddlers to adults!



Merchandise - Give that Legacy Theatre fan in your life the perfect gift this season! Sweatshirts, t-shirts, hats, totes, and golf balls are all available for purchase.



Dedicate a Performance - Honor someone special in your life by dedicating any upcoming performance! Dedicating a performance is truly a unique way to commemorate a birthday, anniversary, or achievement, or celebrate that special someone.



Naming Opportunities - Leave your legacy at the Legacy! Leave a lasting impact on the arts in your community by naming a seat at Legacy Theatre.

128 Thimble Islands Road, Branford, CT | www.legacytheatrect.org

The one gift that fits everyone – a donation to a favorite nonprofit serving Branford!

APK Charities Corporation
PO Box 1247
Madison, CT 06443
apkcharities.org

BCTV
40 Kirkham St.
Branford, CT 06405
branfordtv.org

Branford Arts & Cultural Alliance
1004 Main Street
Branford CT 06405
Branfordarts.org

Branford Community Foundation
P.O. Box 462
Guilford CT 06437
branfordcommunityfoundation.org

Branford Early Childhood Collaborative
PO Box 1032
Branford, CT 06405
branfordbecc.org

Branford Festival Corporation
PO Box 853
Branford, CT 06405
branfordfestival.com

Branford Food Pantry Inc.
30 Harrison Ave.
Branford, CT 06405
branfordfoodpantry.org

Branford Land Trust
PO Box 254
Branford, CT 06405
branfordlandtrust.org

Branford Lions Club
PO Box 406
Branford, CT 06405
e-clubhouse.org/sites/branfordctlions

Branford Rotary Club
PO Box 593
Branford, CT 06405
branfordrotary.org

Camp Rising Sun
PO Box 472
Branford, CT 06405
camprisingsun.com

Community Dining Room
30 Harrison Ave #1
Branford, CT 06405
communitydiningroom.org

East Shoreline Catholic Academy
62 Cedar Street
Branford, CT 06405
eastshorelinecatholicacademy.org


Friends of the James Blackstone Memorial Library
758 Main Street
Branford, CT 06405
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James Blackstone Memorial Library
758 Main St.
Branford, CT 06405
blackstonelibrary.org

Sarah Inc.
1620 Boston Post Road, Suite 200
Westbrook, CT 06498
sarah-inc.org

Shoreline Adult Education
185 E. Main Street
Branford, CT 06405
shorelineadulthood.org

Shoreline Family Health Care
221 West Main Street
Branford, CT 06405
shorelinefamilyhealthcare.org



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Shoreline Greenway Trail
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wordpress.shorelinegreenwaytrail.org

Shoreline Village CT
1204 Main Street #128
Branford, CT 06405
shorelinevillageCT.org

Smile Anyway
117 Pine Orchard Rd
Branford, CT 06405
smileanywaybranford.org

Soundview Family YMCA
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Branford CT 06405
soundviewymca.org

Stony Creek Museum, Inc.
84 Thimble Island Road
Branford, CT 06405
stonycreekmuseum.org

The Connecticut Hospice
100 Double Beach Rd
Branford, CT 06405
hospice.com

Vista Life Innovations, Inc.
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Madison, CT 06443
vistalifeinnovations.org

Women & Family Life Center
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Guilford, CT 06437
womenandfamilylife.org





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