



Welcome to the 2023 Guilford 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 Guilford a great small town! Let this guide encourage you to Shop Local, Shop Home, Shop Guilford this season and every season.





Shoreline Chamber and Town of Guilford Economic Development

## **Guilford Businesses**

A Better You At Skinsations Arthur Murray Dance Center	35 Boston Street Suite C	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 453-0368
Guilford	11 Water St.	Guilford, CT 06437	203-458-9000
Ballou's Restaurant & Wine Bar	51 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-453-0319
Blazing Fresh Donuts	16 Church Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 689-5330
Breakwater Books	81 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203.453.4141
Creek Chic Boutique	The Quonset Hut Shops 20c Church Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 453-3111
Ella, Where She Shops	90 Broad Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-453-4799
Evergreen Fine Crafts	21 Boston Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 453-4324
Flutterby	55 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 458-1941
Henry Whitfield State Museum	248 Old Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-453-2457
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J. Gresham Design	Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(202) 738-9501
LuLu's LLC	75 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-453-6887
Marijane Boutique	57 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-458-3933
Page Hardware & Appliance Co.	9 Boston Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 453-5267
	The Quonset Hut Shops 20c Church		
PaperScape Artwork	Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-494-9689
RockPaperSistas'	17 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 458-7625
South Lane Bistro	63 Whitfield St	Guilford, CT 06437	203-533-5845
Studio 317 A Holistic Salon	35 Boston St	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 481-3100
Surrender Wellness Spa	236 Church Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-506-9142
The Bird Nest Gallery & Salon Suite	s 25 Water Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 689-5745
The Village Chocolatier	79 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-453-5226
Tracy 2	71 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-458-9100
Tracy Brent Collections	71 Whitfield Street	Guilford, CT 06437	203-458-9100
Unlimited Potential	31 Boston Street	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 239-1966
Water Street Jewelers	61 Whitfield St	Guilford, CT 06437	(203) 444-2544



J. Gresham Design is an art glass studio and shop where we make and sell jewelry, art, and functional items for your home. We also offer fused glass workshops! We are located in The Quonset Hut Shops, just off the historic Guilford Green.



Dynamic Blue and Green Dichroic Glass Pendant



Star of David Suncatcher



**Abstract Blue Pendants** 



**Christmas Tree Ornaments** 



Sailing Away Charcuterie Board



Large Woodland Platter

The Quonset Hut Shops 20c Church Street Guilford, CT www.jgreshamdesign.com



#### Papermaking studio/artgallery



Matted 20 x 20 pressed flowers in wet cotton pulp, print. \$75.



Take Me to the River, Pulp Painting, 22 X 25 framed \$400



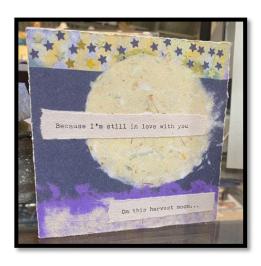
Peace Wreath \$40. add your own lights!



Indoor Harvest wreath \$75.



11 x 20, 2 panel mirror with pressed daffodil PaperScape \$225.



Song Lyric Collage Block \$30.

20 Church ST Guilford, CT | www.paperscapeartworks.com



#### Women's Boutique



Wonderful Scented Hand Poured Soy Candles



Hand Knit Wool Hats & Fingerless Gloves



Cozy Oversized Heart Sweaters



Super Soft Alpaca Scarves



Fun Fabric Totes and Handbags



Handcrafted One of a Kind Belt Buckles

20c Church Street , Guilford CT | creekchic.com



Made-to-order donuts in minutes!



16 Church Street, Guilford CT | www.blazingfreshdonuts.com



Women's clothing and accessories



Coatigans - wide selection of lightweight coats



Elegant fleeces from Dudley Stephen



velvet blouses and blazers

Spanx AirEssentials (Oprah's favorite)



Versatile handbags from Hobo



Fun and flirty festive pants, shirts and dresses.. add some sparkle to your world

90 Broad Street, Guilford CT | www.Ellawheresheshops.com



#### Coastal shop featuring highly curated handmade items

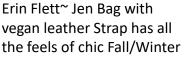


All things small are beautiful. These wee vase are perfect for creating an enchanting tablescape.

Granite Salt & Pepper Shakers<sup>~</sup> made from natural ocean and river stone.









Farm+Sea Candles~Hand poured in small batches these Coconut and soy wax blend candles with cotton wicks are "the best"! All white wax infused with subtle

essential oil fragrances create a beautiful glow to all setting.



Rope woven baskets. These small vessels are perfect for your "what nots", candles or a sweet treat!

Wee Cottage and accessories~ These pottery pieces come all the way from Guilford, England! So fun to collect!



17 Whitfield Street , Guilford CT | rockpapersistas.com



Come and experience an enjoyable lunch or dinner with us here at Ballou's Restaurant & Wine Bar. We have award winning "Lobsta Bisque" made Gluten Free! Our Tapas are delicious and great for sharing together. We make our food for you with love and attention to detail. Whether you want a snack or a dinner to enjoy with our Awardwinning Wine Menu. We have over 50 wines by the glass and a full bar, with awesome specialty cocktails.





Gift Cards purchase on website

51 Whitfield Street, Guilford CT | www.ballouswinebar.com



### Gift and Clothing Store

Our ceramic tree candles features a Cypress blend with a fiery woody fragrance with notes of pine needles, perfect for this holiday season!

A fan favorite! Our dragonfly wine glasses are handmade in the USA, and happen to be our signature glass!



Our best selling tank top for the past 10 years! Fitting sizes 2-12, these soft stretchy tanks work perfectly under any top, or all on their own!



Our Sling bags are one of the most popular bags, not only for style but for their practicability! With a variety of colors these bags are interchangeable with our collection of guitar straps. Made of vegan leather.



Our Blue Q socks make a wonderful gift for anyone in your life! With different funny sayings on each pair, there's sure to be a perfect fit for that someone in your life!

Our variety of clips are a great way to hold your hair up in style! All handmade in France, they are a stunning addition to any outfit!



55 Whitfield Street, Guilford CT | Flutterby-ct.com

## Marijane Boutique

Marijane Boutique offers a beautiful blend of exceptional consignment featuring upscale designer handbags, clothing, accessories, jewelry and more! "NEW" things too!



Louis Vuitton Keepall 45

Hermes Herbag



Chanel Classic Double Flap Bag





"NEW" Oat Collective East Coast/West Coast Sweatshirts



"NEW" Miracle Cotton Flag Sweater

"NEW" Dreamer's Cotton Cashmere Sweaters



57 Whitfield Street, Guilford, CT | www.marijaneboutique.com



### water street jewelers



### Luxury Jewelry and Jewelry Repair

Shy Huggie Earrings 14 karat gold and diamond huggie earrings for those who love the dainty! Custom diamond engagement rings, and Sylvie Collection engagement rings



Lola Charms, sterling silver and glass enamel handmade charms with beautiful sayings on the back.





Dainty diamond and gemstone earrings for ear curations!



14 karat and 18 karat gold necklaces and pendants for layering!

Sterling silver and turquoise Navajo and handmade jewelry.



61 Whitfield St, Guilford CT | waterstreetjewelry.com







Gift card Inspired dinners



Fireside dining



Vegetarian options



Festive location for your





63 Whitfield St., Guilford, CT | southlanebistro.com



Women's Clothing and Accessories Boutique

Orange Leather Handbag Nature's Collection Long Gloves



CXC Gold & Leather Bracelet



Kinross Cashmere Plaited Pullover



Rib Sleeve Cashmere Coat by Kinross

Cashmere and Silk Ikat Print Scarf



71 Whitfield Street, Guilford CT | www.tracybrentcollections.com





Hiker Plaid Shacket by Z Supply

Geo Print Knit Cardigan



Eloise wallet





Lilla P Waffle Henley Shirt



Legend Sweater Shirt by Flaherty

Z Supply Phoenix Pullover



71 Whitfield Street, Guilford CT | tracybrentcollection.com



Cozy Sleep and Loungewear, Luxury Candles and Body Care, Women's Apparel and Jewelry



Barefoot Dreams Cozy Chic Throws

Lafco Soy Candles in handblown glass



Petite Plume velour Pajamas



Barefoot Dreams Robe



MerSea Cozy Cabin faux fur earmuffs + mittens

**UGG Mittens** 



75 Whitfield Street, Guilford Ct | lulusguilford.shop

# THE VILLAGE CHOCOLATICK





Our best selling chocolate, dark chocolate nonpareils in a festive half pound bag, also available in 1 pound boxes.



A selection of our bestselling chocolates in 1/2lb, 1lb, and 2lbs.



A selection of assorted truffles in a convenient hanging box that you can pair with your favorite wine.



Grab and go stocking stuffers



Hostess gifts

79 Whitfield Street, Guilford CT | www.thevillagechocolatierguilford.com

## SPICE & TEA EXCHANGE



Crazy for Cocoa



Organic Catnip Toy



Party Dips



Peace, Love or Gratitude Bhavana Tumbler

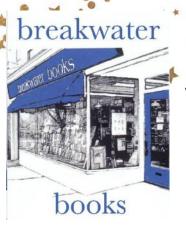


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Teas the Season

80 Whitfield, Guilford CT | spiceandtea.com



We are an independent bookstore located on the historic Guilford Green, est. 1972. We love books and hope to help you find the perfect one!



Our nonfiction section is a customer favorite and includes many fabulous finds https://livebreakwtr1690810609.pantheonsi te.io/book/9781324065463



The Giant Board Book with plush caterpillar is available online as well: https://livebreakwtr1690810609.panthe onsite.io/book/97803992377



Kids' nonfiction: DK Eyewitness Anthology series is. Try The Wonders of Nature: https://livebreakwtr1690810609.pantheonsit e.io/book/9781465485366



Two-time National Book Award winner Jesmyn Ward, Let Us Descend https://livebreakwtr1690810609.pantheonsite.io/b ook/9781982104498



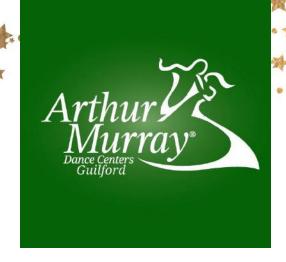
Coffee table books: Remarkable Books: The World's Most Historic and Significant Works (DK History Changers) https://livebreakwtr1690810609.pantheonsit e.io/book/9781465463623



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Young readers love series Try

81 Whitfield, Guilford CT | breakwaterbooks.net



Come and learn the most popular social dances from the ones you see on dancing with the stars to the ones you see out on the town. Lessons for Singles & Couples. No Partner or experience necessary. Don't miss a dance opportunity again!

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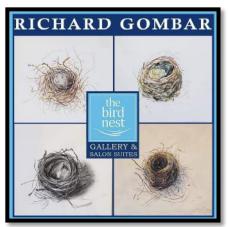


https://arthurmurrayguilford.com/gift-certificates/

11 Water St. Guilford CT | Amguilford.com



The Bird Nest is a Full Service Salon Suite business, and creative showcase space for local artists. Where HAIR meets ART



Bird Nests on Wood Panel by Rich Gombar

"Green Monster" by Laura Carroll-Koch 8x10 Acrylic



"Free As A Bird" by Stefanie Marco Lantz Acrylic on Reclaimed Wood / Cabinet Door



guilford

"Guilford" multi media on wood block by Kindspin Design



"Sunflowers" by Brendan Loughlin

Jewelry Designs by Crunchy Diva Designs



25 Water Street Guilford CT | www.thebirdnestsalon.com



Hardware & Appliance Co.

Page's has you covered for hosting, decorating your home, and gift shopping this season. Our staff is ready to help you pick out the perfect gift for everyone on your list. We also offer free gift wrapping. Use this link to see more of our curated gift selection: https://rb.gy/0icj8



Ornaments are always special gifts, especially those that are unique. We have a plethora of ornaments that will make lasting holiday memories for your loved ones.

Bees are all the buzz for 2024 and we are here for it. We have everything "bees" for you.



Dish towels make the perfect gifts for a party host or someone who loves decorating their kitchen for the holidays.





For the kiddos, toys are an essential part of gift giving! Come browse our collection of Legos, Hot Wheels, Barbies, and games.



For the one on your list who loves to cook, especially outdoors, check out the Gozney Pizza Dome. You can cook more than pizza in a Gozney, like wings, steak, and even cake.

We sure love our Stanleys and they make perfect gifts for anyone!



9 Boston Street, Guilford CT | www.pagehardware.com/



Evergreen is a contemporary craft shop, established in 1983. Their focus is American handmade crafts and they feature a distinctive collection of functional ceramics, wood, metal, fashion accessories, including hand bags and scarves, glass, jewelry, and so much more.



Cutting boards crafted from sustainably harvested North American hardwoods in Dorset, Vermont. Earrings and necklaces made of 24k gold and silver plated nickel-free pewter and adorned with semi-precious stones, Swarovski crystals, and glass beads.



Alpaca hats and handwarmers. This company only works with South American Fair Trade artisans and co-ops.





Bamboo boxes with gypsum lids that are hand detailed with botanical castings and finished with four layers of metallic pigment.



Wheel thrown pottery with wood ash or slip trailing glazes. They are microwave safe, lead free and ovenproof.

Mugs hand built from stoneware clay and decorated using stamps and nontoxic glaze. They are food, microwave, and dishwasher safe.



21 Boston Street, Guilford CT | https://evergreen-fine-crafts.square.site/



#### Skin Care Studio offering Services and Products



90 Minute Wellness Facial Therapy \$325

Bee 👊 Illuminated Moisturizer/Candle \$40.



Lip Service Gloss to Balm with honey \$22



Bee 🔑 Aglow Honey Facial Serum \$46



\$SO Gift Card for services at Unlimited Potential



La Selva Lemon 🥦 Facial Cleanser \$30



31 Boston Street | Guilford CT | upskincare.co





Voted Best Spa, Facial, and Massage on the Shoreline for 2023, A Better You At Skinsations is dedicated to providing elite medical esthetic services in a welcoming and friendly environment.



Microneedling (collagen induction therapy) help minimize the signs of aging, improve the appearance of acne scars and rejuvenate skin.



Exosome facials are highly targeted applications of exosomes to the delicate and time-worn skin of your face.



Laser hair removal for both men and women utilizing the Lutronic Clarity II <sup>®</sup> system - indicated for the stable, long-term or permanent hair reduction on all skin types, including tanned skin.



Hollywood Spectra ® is the Carbon Laser Peel treatment that provides a dramatic improvement to skin texture, tone and elasticity.



Clarity Laser Toning Facial results in instant rejuvenation of the face, neck, hands and decollate as it smooths, plumps and clarifies.



ProCell <sup>®</sup> Microchanneling helps to improve the appearance of fine lines, hyperpigmentation, acne scarring and other skin issues by aiding in the production of new skin cells.

35 Boston Street Suite C | abetteryouatskinsations.com



We are a green, organic & clean air hair salon specializing in modern coloring & cutting techniques utilizing cleaner organic products. We participate in terracycle and green circle salons reducing our salon waste by 95%.











35 Boston St, Guilford CT | www.vagaro.com/studio317

### Henry Whitfield State Museum, Guilford

Make a present of the past this holiday season! The Henry Whitfield State Museum gift shop features a wide variety of gifts for all ages. Proceeds from gift shop sales help support the museum and its mission to preserve the 1639 Whitfield House and the museum collection. Open 10-4 most weekdays.



Learn all about the local Stony Creek Pink granite industry – and even take a piece home with a book or paperweight. Candles made by the Scenic Route Candle Company in Branford.

Kids have been playing with these classic toys and games for centuries because they're just plain fun! No batteries required!



Traditionally burned on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve, these genuine bayberry taper candles known for the luck they bring to the home are made by Helsher House in Manlius, New York.



An alternative to candles was made by soaking rush (tall marsh grass) in melted fat. Once set and hardened, the rush was placed in the clip of a rush light to burn. This rush light is a hand-forged reproduction that also features a candle socket.



Copied from originals on display these museum-quality redware reproductions are handcrafted by Maine potter, Kenneth Henderson.

Purchase a sign with the name of your favorite Guilford location.
Designed and hand-painted by museum staff.



248 Old Whitfield Street, Guilford CT https://portal.ct.gov/ecd-HenryWhitfieldStateMuseum



A small boutique spa we have Massage Therapy, Floatation sessions and Reiki. Our variety of massages include Swedish, Deep Tissue, Ashiatsu, Hot Basalt and Himalayan Salt Stone as well as Pregnancy and Post-Partum Massages.



One Hour Float
Session - Relax in a
perfectly warm
Pharmaceutical
Grade Epsom Salt
Bath Solution and let
your tension and
stress melt away.

One Hour Himalayan
Salt Stone Massage using Warm Himalayan
Salt Stones to soothe
away stress and tension
and promote an
increased sense of wellbeing.



One Hour Swedish
Massage and One
Hour Float Package Combine the best of
both worlds with a
one-hour Swedish
Massage Session
followed by a Float.





One Hour Swedish
Massage - A Swedish
massage is perfect for a
first-time massage. The
emphasis is on
relaxation and
circulation with light to
medium gliding strokes.



One Hour Deep Tissue Massage - For clients that like a deeper pressure and have problem areas to work out. One Hour Reiki - s a
Japanese technique for
stress reduction and
relaxation that also
promotes healing,
leaving your Chakras
(Energy Centers)
balanced.



236 church street, Guilford CT | www.surrendermassagefloat.com

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

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

Chabad of the Shoreline 2710 Boston Post Road Guilford, CT 06437 jewishshoreline.org

Christ Church 11 Park Street Guilford, CT 06437 christchurchguilford.org

Clifford Beers Community Care Center 41 Marne Street Guilford, CT 06437 cliffordbeersccc.org

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

Community Nursery School 262 Sachems Head Road Guilford, CT 06437 GuilfordCNS.org

Friends of the Guilford Free Library 67 Park Street Guilford. CT 06437 guilfordfreelibrary.org

Guilford ABC PO Box 140 Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordabc.org Guilford Art League P.O. Box 646 Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordartleague.org

Guilford Community Fund, Inc. PO Box 271 Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordcommunityfund.org

Guilford Community Television Inc. (GCTV) 725 Boston Post Road Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordtv.org

Guilford Fund for Education 800 Village Walk #269 Guilford, CT 06437 gffe.org

Guilford Keeping Society PO Box 363 Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordkeepingsociety.com

Guilford Lakes Golf Course 200 North Madison Road Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordlakesgolf.com

Guilford Performing Arts Festival/GreenStage Guilford P.O. Box 345 Guilford, CT 06437 greenstageguilford.org

Guilford Preservation Alliance PO Box 199 Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordpreservation.org

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Guilford Youth Mentoring 605 New England Road Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordmentoring.org

Henry Whitfield State Museum 248 Old Whitfield Street Guilford, CT 06437 portal.CT.gov/ECD-HenryWhitfieldStateMuseum

Hole in the Wall Consignment Shop 35 Boston Street Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordabc.org

Limelite Project 17 Water Street Guilford, CT 06437 thelimeliteproject.com

M J Petretto Foundation 2257 Boston Post Road Suite E Guilford, CT 06437 mjpfoundation.org

New Haven Middlesex Association of Realtors 2730 Boston Post Road Guilford, CT 06437 nhmrealtors.com

North Guilford Nursery School 169 Ledge Hill Rd Guilford, CT 06437 ngnschool.com

Paul Dostie KARE Foundation, Inc. 40 Greystone Way Guilford, CT 06437 pauldostiekarefund.org

Saint George's Mens Group 33 Whitfield Street Guilford, CT 06437 stgeorgemensgroup.org SARAH Foundation 246 Goose Lane Suite 104 Guilford, CT 06437 sarahfoundation.org

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

SongStrong 800 Village Walk Guilford, CT 06437 songstrong.org

Sound Life Connections 116 Whitfield Street Guilford, CT 06437 soundlifeconneCTions.org

Soundview Family YMCA 628 East Main St. Branford, CT 06405 soundviewymca.org

The Guilford Foundation PO Box 35 Guilford, CT 06437 guilfordfoundation.org

The Hyland House/Whitfield Historical Society PO Box 229 Guilford, CT 06437 hylandhouse.org

Vista Life Innovations, Inc. 107 Bradley Rd Madison, CT 06443 vistalifeinnovations.org

Women & Family Life Center 96 Fair Street Guilford, CT 06437 womenandfamilylife.org

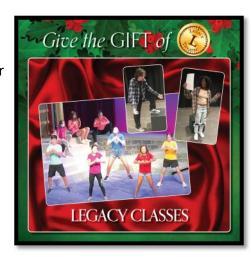


The Legacy Theatre is a professional theatre company that enhances the Connecticut Shoreline's economy, educational opportunities, and quality of life through live theatre and related programs.. Seasons include Mainstage productions, a Broadway Concert Series, shows for families and children, and so 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.

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.



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



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