

LOCAL MAKER *GIFT* *GUIDE*

The South Coast teems with creative talent. And the fruits of these artists can make for meaningful and memorable gifts. So let us help you give *local* this holiday season, from stocking stuffers to luxury items.



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CROWN RING IN ASSORTED TOURMALINES ROTATING IN 14K YELLOW GOLD (\$1,515);
LARGE COCKTAIL RING WITH 10CT. CHECKER-CUT GREEN QUARTZ IN 14K GREEN GOLD (\$2,700)
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100% WOOL TIE (\$98);
ONE-OF-A-KIND PATCHWORK SCARF
(\$198) BY MARGO PETITTI (page 41)

LEATHER TIE CASE (\$345); BELT (\$150);
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BRIEFCASE (\$990); LARGE PEN CASE
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SCRIMSHAW BOOKMARK (\$12);
ORNAMENTS; BRACELETS (\$20)
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ARTISTS, MAKERS & DOERS

John Elias has been blowing glass for nearly 40 years. In 1990, he left his tenured college position in the Midwest to return back home to the South Coast and open **ELIAS STUDIO GLASS**. His pieces have sold in Neiman Marcus, Harrod's of London, Saks Fifth Avenue and many other distinguished museum, gallery and gift shops. You can visit him in his gallery/studio in Westport. 638 AMERICAN LEGION HWY., WESTPORT (Behind the shopping plaza)

Tiffany Peay started her jewelry business in a sixth floor walk-up on New York's Lower East Side. Nowadays, she creates jewelry in her Tiverton studio with an emphasis on color, movement and healing. **TIFFANY PEAY JEWELRY** has been featured in Barneys, Neiman Marcus, and many other high end retailers. 3851 MAIN ROAD, TIVERTON

Betsy Powell of **SALT MARSH POTTERY** has been in business creating pottery for 49 years since she piled her pottery into her VW bug and sold it at small shops. Visit her in her current location in a renovated schoolhouse in Dartmouth and view the distinctive pieces, many of which are made from pressing flowers into clay, hand cutting, shaping and drying the pieces, then ultimately hand painting, glazing and finishing them. 1167 RUSSELLS MILLS ROAD, DARTMOUTH

In 1970, Frank Clegg's girlfriend gave him a set of leather tools for Christmas. He quickly fell in love with the craft and after graduating from college, he built upon his new knowledge and passion for leather which led to **FRANK CLEGG LEATHERWORKS** in Fall River where he insists upon heirloom quality and timeless design. frankcleggleatherworks.com

When she got her hands on some old swatch books from a tailor, **MARGO PETITTI** created a beautiful patchwork scarf for her father. He received so many compliments that Margo took a leave of absence from the Rhode Island School of Design to launch her venture, manufacturing in Fall River. Nowadays, her scarves, made right here in Fall River, are seen on celebrities' necks and are sold at high end retail stores in New York City. You can also find them locally at her twice yearly factory sale as well as local shops. margopetitti.com

A lover of forms, a master of his craft, renowned ceramics artist **CHRIS GUSTIN** builds both functional and sculptural pieces that push the limits of the imagination. He can be found at his gallery and studio, an 8,000 square-foot renovated chicken coop in South Dartmouth, or at Arch Contemporary Ceramics in Tiverton. 231 HORSENECK ROAD, SOUTH DARTMOUTH

Above: **TEARDROP ORNAMENT** (\$20) BY **ELIAS STUDIO GLASS** (this page)

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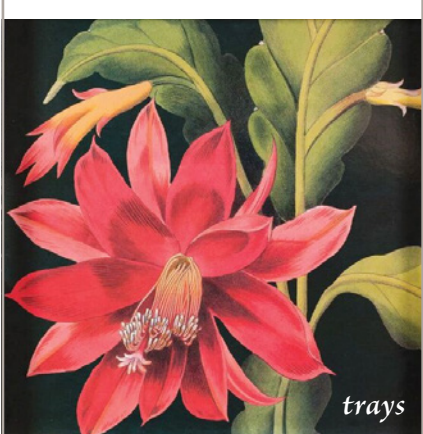
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CERAMIC WHISKEY CUP (\$125)
BY CHRIS GUSTIN (page 41)

100% WOOL TIE (\$98.50);
“*BRODY*” *100% WOOL SCARF* (\$158);
BUTTERFLY CUT BOW TIE (\$88)
BY MARGO PETITTI (page 41)

BROCCOLI SPROUT THERAPY CREAM (\$35); *BROCCOLI SPROUT LIP BALM* (\$39); *BROCCOLI SPROUT SOAP* (\$12) BY SPROUTS BY JONATHAN (this page)

MUGS (\$42 each); *BERRY BOWL* (\$42)
BY CHARLIE BARMONDE (this page)

SEA BANGLES: 14K GOLD FILLED
(\$35 each) BY HARMONY WINTERS
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SCRIMSHAW COMPASS PAPERWEIGHT (\$37) BY F&F INC
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CHOCOLATES BY DOROTHY COX
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LUMINARY (\$95) BY ARCH
CONTEMPORARY CERAMICS (this page)

14K GREEN GOLD TRAPEZE EARRINGS WITH LARGE FACETED AND FLAT RUTILATED QUARTZ (\$850)
BY TIFFANY PEAY JEWELRY
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JONATHAN’S SPROUTS has been a family-run business since 1976, operating from a historic New England barn renovated for food production in scenic Southeastern MA. As a pioneer sprout company, Jonathan’s has built an unsurpassed reputation for quality, service and dependability. We’re thrilled they added skincare products to their line. sproutsbyjonathan.com

CHARLIE BARMONDE opened Arch Contemporary Ceramics in Tiverton, RI in June 2014 as a private studio and retail shop which has grown to include a fine art gallery, ceramics school and residency program. Arch Contemporary showcases unique handmade pottery from numerous local artists, offering a wide array of pieces to choose from. Stop by the gallery at 18 East Road, Tiverton, or shop online at archcontemporary.com.

DOROTHY COX represents four generations of chocolate-makers made right here on the South Coast. We especially like their chocolate covered cranberries because the cranberries are local too! You’ll likely meet members of the family in their Wareham and Fairhaven stores. 119 ALDEN ROAD, FAIRHAVEN; 8 KENDRICK ROAD, WAREHAM

The Cordeiras have a farm filled with dozens of goats. When Janice started buying goat milk soap, her husband suggested they make their own. They’ve been making goat milk soap ever since from their Westport farm, **K&J FARMS WESTPORT**. Keep an eye on her Facebook page and Instagram pages and direct message her to buy some.

All of **HARMONY WINTERS’** jewelry is made from reclaimed materials, which means no new mining has taken place and that all of her metal once had another life. She loves creating beautiful things with just her hands and a hammer. Each piece is carefully crafted and hand made in her studio in Westport. 896 MAIN ROAD, WESTPORT

NATALIE SQUILLANT, a Rhode Island native, fires her work in an Anagama kiln in South Dartmouth. Her Reiki practice is closely related to her visual arts, the basis of which comes from nature, healing, community and beauty. Sometimes she even infuses her paintings, murals, & ceramics with it. Available at Arch Contemporary Ceramics. 18 EAST ROAD, TIVERTON

The garden is an endless inspiration for **WAYNE FUERST**, a potter and paper maker in Westport. Every piece is unique and functional. He uses glazes that are food and microwave safe, but you’ll want to take care when using in the oven and dishwasher. Available at Arch Contemporary Ceramics. 18 EAST ROAD, TIVERTON

Michael Aprea of **DESIGN WORKS STUDIO** has been sailing in Onset since he was a kid. His sailboat *Why Worry?* inspired him to design the innovative key rings that easily detach from one another for versatility (Want to give someone your car keys without your house keys? Easy to do!). etsy.com/people/designworksstudious



Above clockwise: *CERAMIC FLASK* (\$95) BY **CHARLIE BARMONDE** (page 46); *SOUTH SEA TAHITIAN PEARL WITH SAPPHIRE, TOURMALINE & SILLIMANITE LOOP CASCADE PENDANT* (\$1,250) ON 14K PINK GOLD 24" CHAIN (\$925) BY **TIFFANY PEAY JEWELRY** (page 41); *SEA GREEN TOURMALINE EARRINGS CLAW SET IN RECYCLED 14K GOLD* (\$585); *ATLANTIC BLUE SAPPHIRE RING: ETHICALLY-SOURCED SAPPHIRE BEZEL SET IN RECYCLED 18K GOLD* BY **HARMONY WINTERS** (page 47); *SEAGLASS JEWELRY* BY **LITA SEA GLASS JEWELRY** (page 49)

Right: *KEYCHAINES* (\$60-85) BY **DESIGN WORKS STUDIO** (page 47)



Carla Garro is the owner and designer of **LITA SEA GLASS JEWELRY** which she creates from her home on the South Coast. She's been combing local beaches for treasures ever since she was a kid so it seems entirely appropriate that her jewelry would showcase sea glass. Her work has been featured in Coastal Living Magazine and at the Golden Globe awards. Available at Bejeweled. 26 CENTRE STREET, NEW BEDFORD

Dartmouth's Brenda Levasseur was inspired to create her own soaps and lotions after a health scare encouraged her to use healthier, chemical-free alternatives for these products. She went from making products for herself to making them for friends as **HANDMADE SOAP, SALVES & BALMS**. She now creates tens of thousands of bars of soap a year and countless all-natural lotions, salves and deodorants. Visit her at her workshop. 345 CEDAR STREET, NEW BEDFORD

LYNNE FARRELL has always enjoyed working with her hands and dabbling in different DIY projects, but beading has become her passion. Her work is filled with vibrant colors & a mixture of textures where she blends metals and gemstones to create one of a kind bracelets. Want a unique gift for someone? She'll work with you to customize a piece by incorporating charms and specific stones that are significant to that special someone. All handmade at her home in Marion but you can find her here on Facebook. facebook.com/ElMarieDesigns

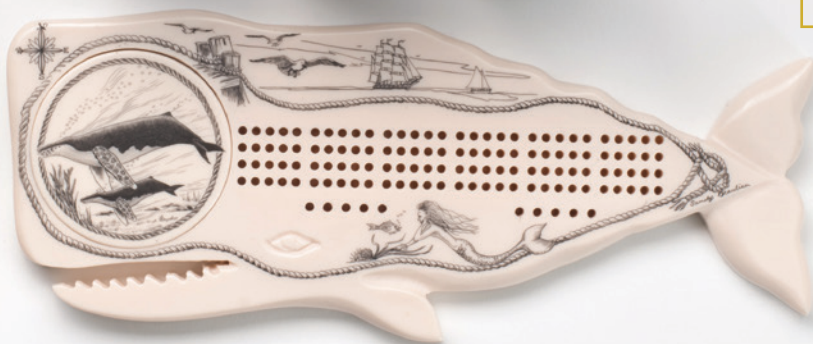
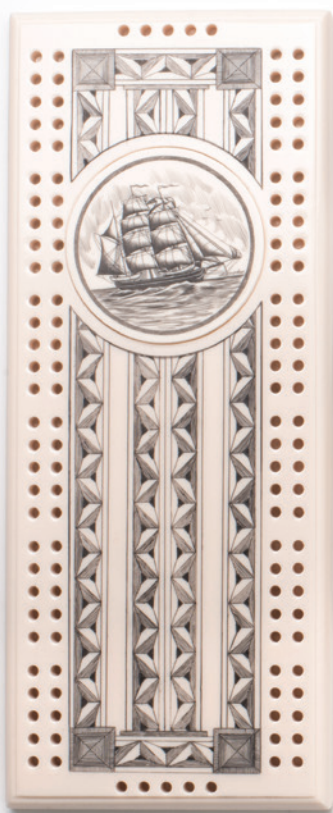
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DOUBLE ZIP-TOP CHESTNUT BRIEFCASE (\$990) BY **FRANK CLEGG** (page 41); *"DAYTON" 100% WOOL SCARF* (\$118) BY **MARGO PETITTI** (page 41); *SOAP & SALVES* (\$4 OR 3/\$10) BY **HANDMADE SOAP, SALVES & BALMS** (this page); *TEABAGS* (\$5-\$6) BY **NILSA'S HERBAL TEAS & BOTANICALS** (page 50); *BRACELETS* (\$15-\$30) BY **LYNNE FARREL** (this page); *FLORAL TUMBLER* (\$50) BY **WAYNE FUERST** (page 47); *PORCELAIN TUMBLERS* (\$30); *BERRY BOWL* (\$42) BY **CHARLIE BARMONDE** (page 46)

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SCRIMSHAW CRIBBAGE BOARDS (\$48); SCRIMSHAW
WINE STOPPERS (\$21) BY F&F INC (this page)



Below: *ESSENTIAL OILS & SALVES* BY NILSA'S HERBAL
TEAS & BOTANICALS (this page); *CERAMIC TEAPOT* BY
VYPER LATULIPPE CERAMICS (this page)

17-year-old **VYPER LATULIPPE** discovered his love of ceramics as a freshman at Tabor Academy during a required art class. A native of Onset, Vyper is inspired by his interest in engineering to create pieces that take on structural elements rather than those of classical fluent pottery. Keep track of this emerging artist, (who recently received recognition at the National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts) on his facebook page Vyper Latulippe Ceramics.

Nilsa Garcia-Rey has been experimenting with herbs and plants for three years now at Dartmouth's Round the Bend Farm. She's delved into teas and salves as a result of her work on the farm. Find her at local farmers markets or on-line. etsy.com/shop/NILSASTEASBOTANICALS

Bill Feeney has been creating scrimshaw pieces since the early 70's when he was inspired by Bob Rayno, an art teacher in the Westport schools where Feeney taught Math. Bill now casts a variety of items in resin in his studio in Fall River that ship to dozens of states & internationally. Part of **F&F's** profits go to protect elephants. You can reach Bill at (508) 672-1913. [Y](#)

