SOCIAL ENTERPRISE

Gift GUDE 2016–2017



Featuring thoughtful gift ideas that benefit our communities.

Buy Social: Gifts that Give Twice



EzzyLynn.com

Handcrafted hair scrunchies made from upcycled materials, Supports WWF.



Paro Presents

Gift shop featuring crafts, home decor, clothing and more, made by Northern Ontario entrepreneurs.

paro.ca/2013/paro-services/ paro-presents-gift-shop/



InspirationsStudio.org

Handcrafted pottery created and sold by local low-income women.



BuddingArtists.ca

Preserve your children's imagination. Create keepsakes using children's artwork.



CraftOntario.com

Mini Inukshuks handcarved from stone by one of many artisans supported through Craft Ontario



Reveer

Rugged, sustainably-made

backpacks, handcrafted

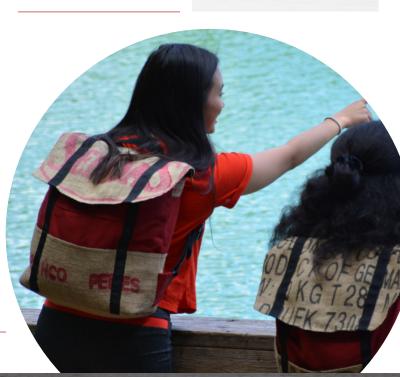
immigrant women using recycled fabrics.

locally by refugee and

EnactusuOttawa.ca

WorldTailors.ca

High quality, reversible, 100% cotton chefs aprons, for child or adult, made by a local refugee and immigrant women.



Oliberte.com

Hand crafted in the world's only Fair Trade footwear factory. Supports African workers rights.



Cambio.Market

One of a kind gifts that empower low-income artisans and make the world and your home a better place



OpenStudio.ca

Access the artwork of over 150 artists



Camphill.on.ca

Folded clay pots made by artists of all abilities working together.

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Evas.ca

Greeting cards by this full service printer that supports training and jobs for homeless and at-risk youth

evas.ca/what-we-do/ print-shop/



MarlenaBooks.com

Books with mature content in a layout that is easy for



Bookmark

Gently used books sold by volunteers to support a local literacy program

gatewaycentreforlearning.ca



COFRD.org French books, CDs, DVDs and games for children and adults

ChocosolTraders.com

Organic artisanal eating and drinking chocolate made with cacao sourced directly from indigenous Mexicans



GoldenHill.ca

Reasonably priced coldpressed juice made from unsold fruits and vegetables help make a circular economy



ReunionIsland.com

TurmericTeas.com Organic loose leaf teas that heal from within and help fight world hunger, one cup

at a time

Our flagship coffee blend reflects quality and sustainability. Couple it with a Miir tumbler

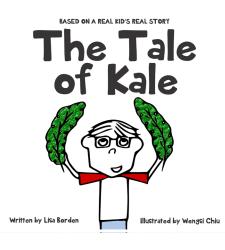


those with dementia to read



OptionsMississauga.com

Full service printer presents a calendar showing the creativity of their members with intellectual barriers



TheTaleOfKale.com

A colourful and happy way

to encourage good eating

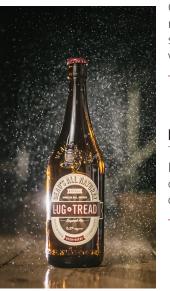
habits, and excitement for

trying new things

Beau's Beer

An all natural interesting tasty beer, brewed using the best ingredients and local spring water

shop.beaus.ca

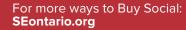


RPCateringCollective.tccld.org

Traditionally roasted Ethiopian coffee, ceremony experience and daily roasted coffee



REUNION ISLAND





AfricanBronzeHoney.com

Organic and fair trade honey products from 10,000 forest beekeepers in Africa



NiagaraPresents.net Gift baskets of local preserves, sauces, jellies and more in support of Niagara Women's Enterprise Centre

NeighbourhoodGroup.com

A gift card for one of our four restaurants that feature the best local food and beverages



NewcomerKitchen.ca Delicious meals for pickup or delivery prepared by newly-arrived Syrian

refugee women

FoodShare.net

YouMadeItCafe.ca

Gift baskets feature delicious preserves, hand-

crafted cutting boards

and more, all made by youth trainees

Fresh gorgeous greens or a medley of fruit in a beautiful bamboo bowl support access to sustainable food





GenuineHealth.com

formulated to reduce iron

deficiency

Fermented vegan proteins+ bars in 4 delicious flavours are easily digested and maximize protein absorption



BeekeepersNaturals.com

Propolis throat relief spray, one of many natural products, supporting health and saving the bees



LunaPads.com

Modern washable menstral pads that outperform disposables - more comfortable, non-toxic and money-saving



A lifestyle and food magazine with recipes and articles by this organic, non-GMO and vegan food manufacturer





BUY SOCIAL



energy the recipient's

equipment required.

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For more ways to Buy Social: **SEontario.org**

Olde Post Office Gift Shoppe

Rustic upcylced furniture, seasonal decor, scented candles, cutting board.... all made locally with pride



CareFirstSeniors.com

A gift card providing cleaning services for seniors at home



ForTheLoveOfLaundry.ca

100% wool dryer balls reduce wrinkles, static and drying time, and support free laundry services for those in need



FurnitureBank.org

Excess furniture removal, a gift that unclutters your home and helps a family in need. 15% holiday discount



BlueMoosePaint.com

High quality, low cost, recycled paint in 6 neutral shades for your home painting needs, diverting paint from landfills



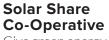
FreeGeekToronto.org

A refurbished laptop supports responsible e-waste disposal, access to computers and internet for all



WasteNotFarms.com

5 bags of "Mother Nature's fertilizer" delivered May 2017. Use the regenerative power of worms!



Give green energy. Solar Bonds support local solar systems and earn 5% fixed interest for a 5-year term.





Me To We

Authentic products and experiences that make an impact with half of profits are donated to WE Charity

Menuiserie **Woodshop Casselman**

Handcrafted wood furniture made by local residents who face employment challenges

groupeconvexpr.ca/ en/social-enterprises/ casselman-woodshop/ who-are-we





THE GUIDE

This Social Enterprise Gift Guide is developed by a collaboration of the following partners:













































Find other gift ideas and learn more about social enterprise in Ontario through SEontario.org

If you found this guide useful, please let the social enterprise know when you purchase a gift from them



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SOCIAL ENTERPRISE:BUSINESS FOR GOOD

Social enterprises are nonprofit organizations, community groups, for-profit businesses and co-operatives that pursue social, cultural or environmental goals through the sale of goods and services.

Ontario has approximately 10,000 social enterprises that each employ, on average, 38 people and generate \$1.2 million in revenue. Of the nonprofit social enterprises, 45% are focused on poverty reduction and many train and hire people with employment barriers.

Enterprising Change: Report of the 2015 Social Enterprise Survey for Ontario



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