



Olio United

2008 Holiday Gift Guide

THE
ECONOMY
BLOWS.

only buy what you love.

THINK OF THE MALL. NOW THINK OF THE OPPOSITE.



This is our Gift Guide, full of special one-of-a-kind items. Many of them you can't get anywhere else. We love stories. Fair trade, hand-crafted, green, repurposed, artistic stories. Everything in the guide is "clickable." If you like something, click on it and learn more about it on our website. Buy it, and you may even get something back. Be sure to pass this along to your friends! If you need help shopping, just give us a call. Seriously. 503.542.5000.

Entermodal

Portland-based luxury leather bag company.

Entermodal's leather bags and wallets are not only beautiful and durable, but also hold to the highest standards of sustainability and eco-conscious design. Larry Olmstead, the founder and force behind Entermodal has combined his background in the ergonomic backpack industry and dedication to quality to create a product that stands the test of time. These gorgeous bags are handmade and labor intensive – each taking hours of painstaking work.

Read More About Entermodal.



Larry Olmstead hand-cutting for a mobile bag in his Portland, OR Studio.



Courier \$450



1/2 Mobile \$625



Flip Case \$135



Soft Pocket \$135

Olio ♥ Bo Boots

Footwear without a footprint.

Hailing from New Zealand, these handcrafted boots are made by a small family run business committed to minimizing their carbon footprint. With an avid recycling program that incorporates everything from scrap materials to paper to organic waste, Bo Boots makes your feet and your conscience feel good. And need we say how righteous they look? **Shop Bo Boots.**



*Plaid
Slouch* \$265



Snowflake
\$300



Short Boarder
\$300

He said, she said

Great items for men and women.

Raw denim from socially conscious company Good Society makes a great complement to any top. Accessorize with retro watches from Furni Creations and handmade glass belt buckles from Kiku.

Shop for Accessories.



Good Society
Raw Denim
\$85



Kiku Belt
Buckles \$60



Furni
Watches \$24

Paper by Pinball Publishing

Recycled Paper Products Everyone Will Love.

A new favorite in the shop, Tenth & Grant products from Pinball Publishing. All locally designed and printed in their SE Portland studio and the perfect gift for anyone on your list. **Shop Tenth & Grant.**

*Perfect Bound
Notebooks \$12*



*Willow (8)
Notecard Set \$13*



*Pinwheels Pocket
Notebook \$6*



*Rainbow / Heart / Arrow
(8) Notecard Set \$13*

Feel Design

Naturally made and inspired.

Inspired by organic designs, Feel Design bags are functional as they are contemporary. Handmade one at a time, each bag is a piece of art using eco-friendly materials ranging from vegetable tanned leathers to canvas to 100% industrial wool felt. And just for Olio, Feel Design has created a limited edition of felt pillows. **Shop Feel Design.**

Cork Clutch \$135



Feel Loved Pouch \$56



Cork Forrest Bag \$98

Tree Tote \$195

Deer Pillows \$95 - \$165

Warm Cozies

Repurposed, Bamboo, and Fairly Made.

These Olio favorites sustain your wallet as well as the earth. Ranging from \$30 - \$40, these accessories make great gifts for book club friends, aunts, the cute gal in Apt.# 212...

Shop Online.

Lizzie Parker Arm Warmers \$40



Supayana Cowl Necks \$22



Selah African Scarves \$30

Bling in the New Year

Lovely items for your beloved.

You can't go wrong with the Owl Necklace from Amy Bengtson or the Trio Necklace from Anne Kiel. Beautifully crafted and an easy wear, no wonder they're a customer favorite. And just in time for New Year's, paint the town red with these Emerald Drops from Opulent Project. **Shop for Jewelry.**



Opulent Project
Emerald Drop \$34



Amy Bengtson
Long Snowbud
Necklace \$89



Anne Kiel Trio Necklace \$82



Anne Kiel Two
Doves Necklace \$85



Amy Bengtson
Castle Owl \$140



Anne Kiel Golden Circa Necklace \$42



Amy Bengtson
Egg Necklace \$86

Pouches Big & Small

From Amenity and Ryan Green.

The three bag set from Amenity is a perfect gift for the avid traveler with room for cosmetics, toiletries, and a pair of pumps. Ryan Green's bags are ideal for the obsessed stuffer.

Whether it's for gym clothes, baby diapers, goodies from the farmers market, or all of the above, the El Sloucho or Poucho will become your new sidekick.

Shop for Bags.



Amenity River Zipper Bag Set \$75



Yoga Mat Bags Prepster & Flowers \$35



El Sloucho Enchanted Forrest \$45



El Sloucho Stallions \$45



Poucho Prepster \$68



El Sloucho Stallions \$45

Prefresh & Snowgoose

A Little Bit Country, A Little Bit Rock and Roll.

Prefresh and Snowgoose are two new clothing lines for kids that run their small family businesses out of their Oregon homes. The hand screenprinted, whimsical designs of Prefresh's tops are Tokyo-inspired whereas the handmade plaid and lace ensemble from Snowgoose is reminiscent of the Western frontier.

Shop For Kids.

Peasant Top \$34
Patchwork Skirt \$20
Bloomers \$24



Yum Hoody \$36



Wolf & Ice Tee \$28



Share Long Sleeve Tee \$32

Gifts for the Home

Unique finds for friends.

What does a red bird in a succulent forest, an old school LED clock, and a landscape stamp set have in common? Nothing really, other than the fact that they are awesome gifts that we would want to get from our friends (wink, wink).

All made by hand by people who love what they do. **Get one now.**



*Form&Flora
Succulent Planter
\$78*



*Furni Creations
Alba Clock
\$88*



*Yellow Owl Workshop
Landscape Stamp Set
\$40*

Feinedinge

Handmade ceramics from Austria. Olio United is one of three stores in the U.S. carrying the Feinedinge ceramic collection.

Feinedinge, meaning “fine thing” in German, is a ceramic studio run by artist Sandra Haischberger in Vienna. Her ethereal porcelain designs are marked by textures and subtle color, each slip casted by hand, then decorated silk printed perforations or hand painted making each piece unique. From cups and saucers perfect for setting the modern table without detail overload, to lighting spheres and sconces, Feinedinge specializes in creating objects of functional beauty.. **Shop Feinedinge now.**

Sandra in the Feinedinge Studio in Vienna, Austria.



Handmade Moonstruck Lamp \$395



Handmade Butterfly Magnets (3) \$45



Large Wall Vase \$120, Small Vase \$100

Misc

A Few More of our Favorite Things.

What gift can you give that keeps on giving? Patterned packing tape, of course. And don't miss these great gift ideas just added to our webstore: handmade landscape journal from Yellow Owl Workshop, vintage inspired fused glass coasters from Kiku, and glass nightlights from Happy Owl Glassworks.

Shop the collections now.

Handmade Landscape Journal \$20



Patterned Packing Tape \$12 per roll



Mid-Century Silkscreened Coasters \$70



Night-owl Nightlight \$40

Art by Pattern People

Decorative Wall Tiles

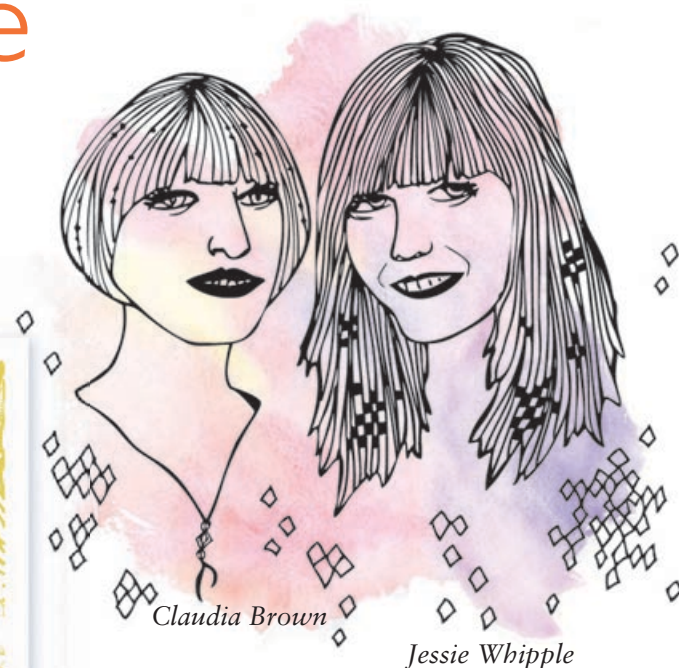
Our Portland friends, Pattern People, made this especially for us. Bold, yet delicate designed posters that can double as wallpaper or be made into your own stationary. 24x36 Posters on 100lb paper.



Orchid Purple \$30



Metallic Gold \$30



Founded in 2007 by designers Claudia Brown and Jessie Whipple Vickery, Pattern People creates surface designs for fashion, paper goods, and interiors. Their custom illustrations use a variety of media including paints, inks, graphite, and pixels.

Get these now.

Art by Palindrome Press

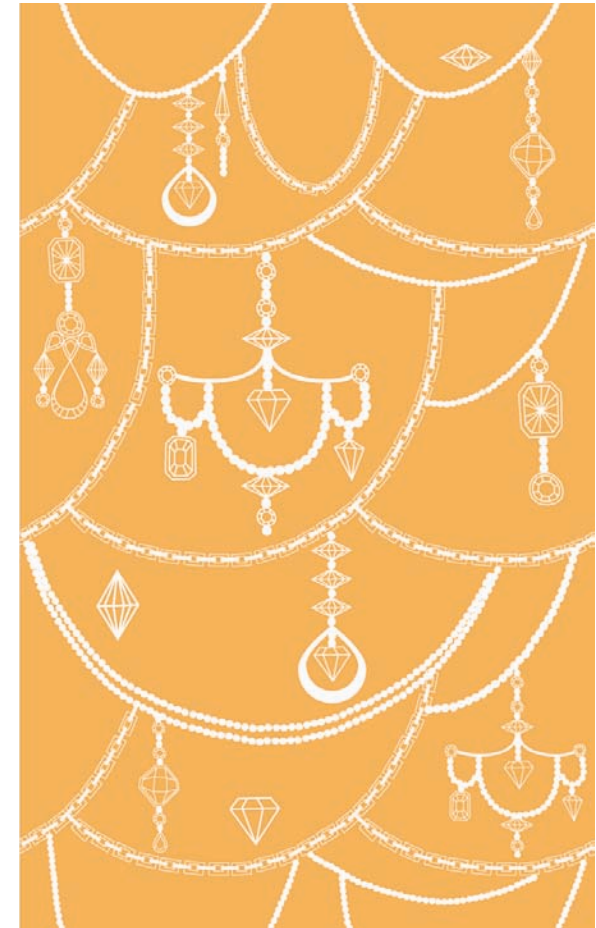
Decorative Wall Tiles

*Meet our friend Alisha Henson.
24x36 Posters on 100lb paper.*

Palindrome is paper cuts and inky hands; a letterpress and design studio crafting unique goods by Alisha Henson in Portland, Oregon. Inspired by vintage fabric and wallpaper, polaroids, collections of natural objects, old signs, handwriting, doodles, thrift shopping...Alisha creates tactile work blended from these random and moving instants. **Purchase now.**



Bunnies
Flourescent Blue \$45



Facets
Flourescent Orange \$45

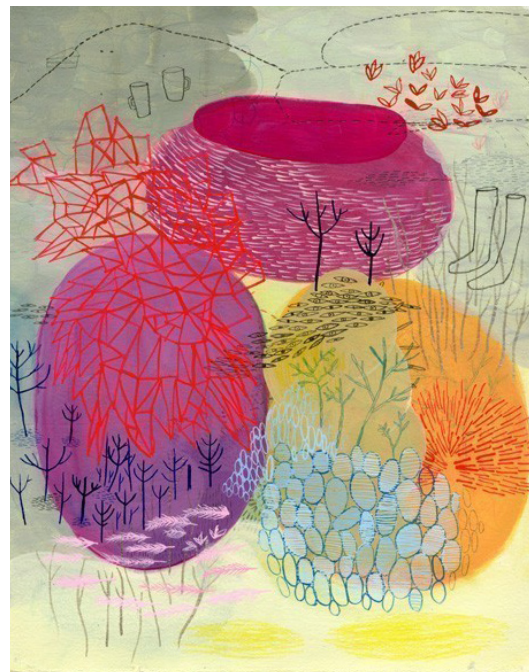
Prints by Betsy Walton

Giclee Prints of Original Paintings *Printed on Hahnemuhle Museum Etch paper.*

A local favorite, Betsy Walton's dreamy art is sure to entrance and inspire. Not bad for under \$35. **Shop for pretty prints.**



*Maybe we can
hide in here*
Print \$35



Two teas
Print \$35



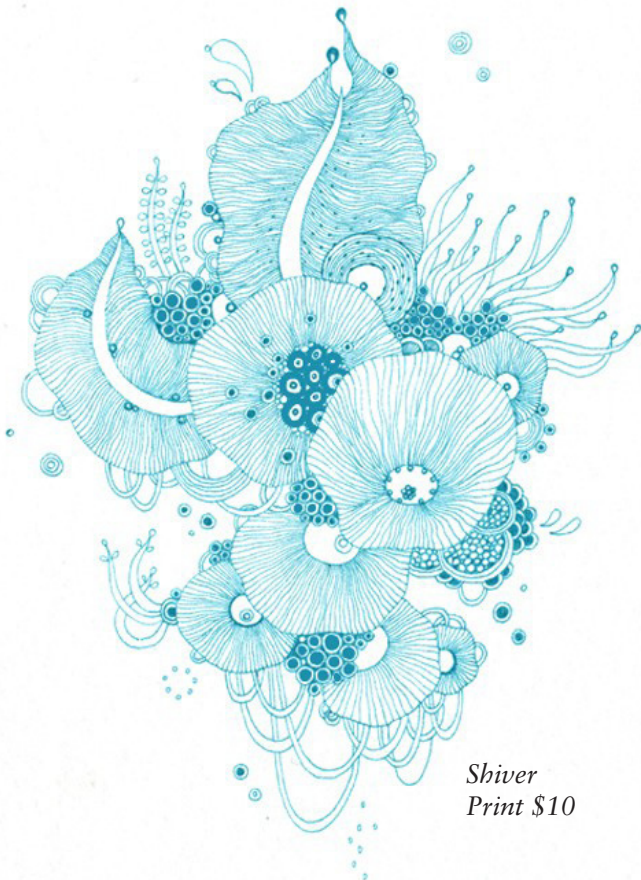
Angular Cloud
Print \$30

Prints by Yellena James

Archival prints of original pen and ink drawings.

Each print is printed on high quality, 100% cotton, archival art paper with archival inks.

Buy one for you and your friend.



Shiver
Print \$10

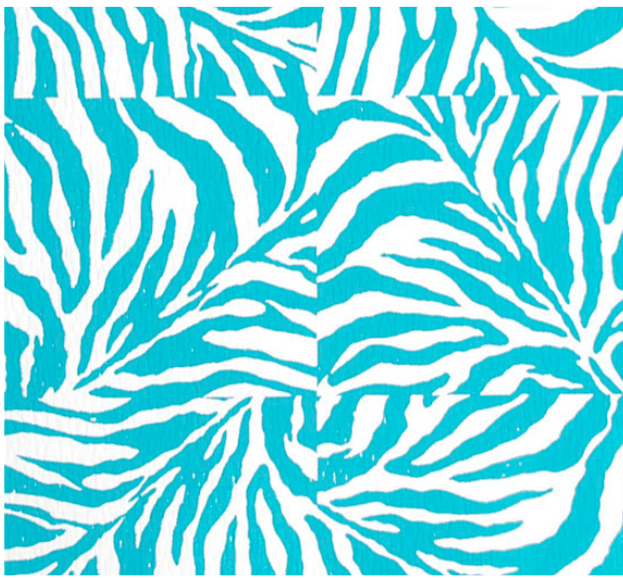


Lush Print \$20

Olio Exclusive

*Repeat Patterns.
Art on paper, canvas
and handkerchiefs.*

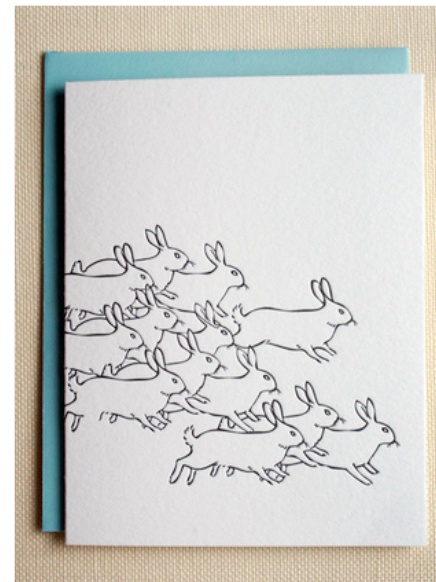
We don't like being exclusive at Olio United (thus the name). When we decided to throw a show on pattern, we capped the prices at \$50 so that our customers could buy not just one but several limited-edition pieces. Don't know what to get your kid's teacher or that nice girl at the coffee cart? Guaranteed that this will make a better impression than an apple or a buck in the tip jar. **Only at Olio United.**



*Blue Safari
Card Set
(5) \$20*



*AfterAll
Postcards (8) \$5*



*Running Bunny
Card \$5*

Screenprinted Handkerchieves \$10



*Pattern Canvas
Art \$20*

Kiki&Polly The New Friend Print \$20

For the Kids

Adorable and Practical Gifts for the Kiddos.

Woodland creatures and soft fabrics are always a winning combo for little ones (and big people like myself). Check out these new additions to Olio: burpcloths and bibs by CoCo&Milkweed and Amenity mini blankets.

From our local circle comes Homespun Goods' meticulously crafted handmade doll clothes and Kiki & Polly's charming prints of children and animals.

Click for cuteness.



Woodsy the Owl and Lil' Hootie Baby Blanket & Bib Set \$54



Leaves Blanket, Burpcloth & Bib Set \$54



Woods Organic Mini Blanket \$45



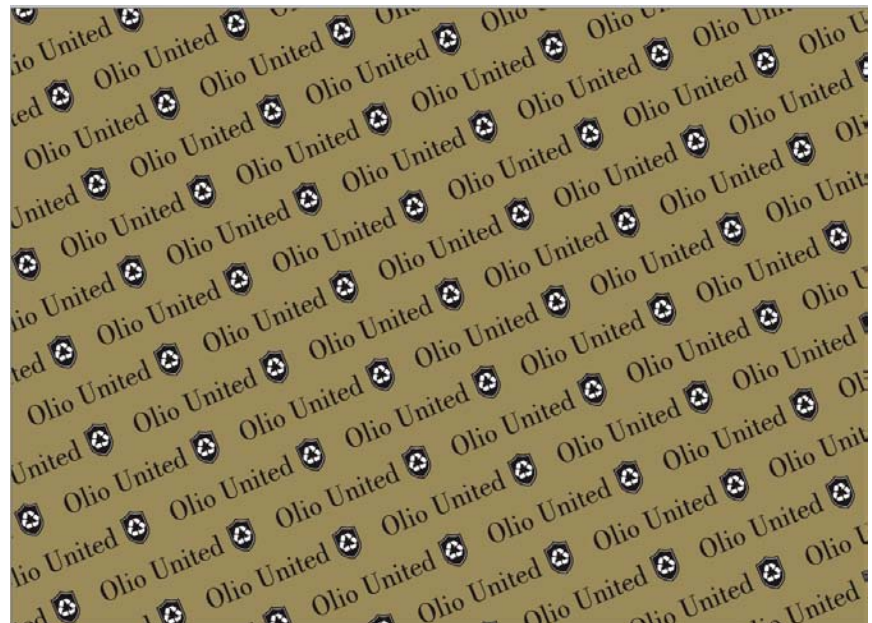
Handmade Baby Doll Clothes \$38

Olio United Gift Card

A Crowd Pleaser.

It's easy, it's affordable, and it's guaranteed to please.
Best of all, no unnecessary packaging or waste.

Oh, did we also mention there's no expiration date?



THE WORLD
DOESN'T NEED ANOTHER STORE.
IT NEEDS A
BETTER ONE.

we carry stories not products

fair trade, organic, slave free
recycled, locally focused, handmade
cruelty free, sustainably made stories

we have curated a unique mix of
trustworthy products. dig deep, read the
labels, wear it, use it.

Do
THESE
JEANS
make
me
look
compassionate?

