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# BEST OF SHOW

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# glee jewelry

Glee Jewelry has such an extensive selection to choose from - there is literally a style for any store type. I love hearts so I picked these sweet studs as a fave find;)





# stargazer originals

One of the first items to stop me in my tracks at the Toronto Gift & Home Market were these stunning rings from Stargazer Originals. Simply gorgeous.

# utoffeea

If you sell gourmet food, check out this yummy toffee from the female-led company Utoffeea. The packing is so fantastic as are the different flavour combinations.



### socksmith

Socksmith's booth was full of wonderful new and existing sock designs. These three were the hottest sellers among the new.
Cat bums are a bit cheeky but cheeky sells these days!



# espe

The new owner of ESPE has done an incredible job of keeping true to the brand's loyal customer base while expanding the line to include a wide range of fashion-forward bags for both men and women in fantastic colours and shapes.

### ck soak

If you have not seen or smelled the soaps from Manitoba soap maker CK Soak you're missing out! The Cashmere bar is their top-selling fragrance. Bonus: the label has seeds embedded in the paper which you can place into a pot of soil to grow some pretty flowers!



# my brilliant star

These amazingly detailed ornaments from My Brilliant Star are all handmade in Germany. You'll certain to find an ornament to fit absolutely any theme. These were selling really well for stores who focus on Christmas trim.



# MERRY BELIEVE Brustmass

# primitives by kathy

You can always count on Primitives by Kathy from Candym to have a bang on seasonal selection. There was so much to love in the new holiday collection plus all the great product from Nutcracker. This is the showroom to shop if you do Christmas decor.

### harman

The holiday and tabletop displays in Harman's showroom were stunning! They have also added some great comfy new slippers to their Kozie line.



### bacon basketware

This floral basket display from Bacon Basketware at Show T.O. was over-the-top gorgeous! I couldn't stop staring at it.





# sds distributors

The packaging on the various licensed lines available from SDS Distributors is irresistible! They have a lot of licensed goods worth a second look.

# louenhide

Louenhide's newest collection of bags and wallets are delish. The colours and styles are bang on and the material is so luxurious. The line is selling really well for independents.



### little blue house

Fantastic tees, tanks and bottoms packaged in patterned bags from Hatley Little Blue House are made from a poly blend that retains the brightness of the pattern. Priced to sell. Worth a look even if you've never sold lounge wear before.



# danica

These new embroidered bags from Danica Studio caught my eye and captured my heart, as did a number of items in their showroom.

### caracol

The colours of these small clutches from Caracol just screamed to be touched. The quality is incredible as is the price point.



# catherine lillywhite

Long-time fashion supplier Catherine Lillywhite always has super sweet apparel. Loved this wrap with a little slot.





# skrp

These fabulous Iris sunglasses are made from recycled skateboards. SKRP makes other items out of skateboards too, including coasters with built-in bottle cap openers.

# giftologie

Loved these new necklaces from Giftlogie, a brand that is always innovating and coming up with new. They're sold on great cards (not shown).



# bel jewelry

These delicate and beautiful jeweled pieces from BEL Jewelry are actually car diffusers. Check out her wonderful earrings and necklaces as well. The packaging is on point.





# baba imports

The intricate woven work in these traditional pieces from India are stunning and still a top-seller for Baba Imports. They also have a wide range of solid-coloured cotton dresses, pants and tops.

# attitudes

This lighted robe strand from Attitudes Import really stood out to me. I loved how unique they were and how you could twist and turn them to place exactly as you wish.



### cuisivin

Cuisivin has invested in an-house printer which allows them to create custom glassware on demand. I loved the various designs and the endless possibilities.



# fizz soakery

How adorable are these incredible bath bombs from Fizz Soakery?! They are over the top and worth a second look.

# crystal driedger

These pins from Crystal
Driedger are so detailed and
sweet. There are many
designs to choose from and
her artwork is absolutely
beautiful too - on cards and
prints.



### **NicNakKnits**

Wonderful chunky blankets and pillows from NicNakKnits are incredible to touch and the colours are next level.





# brightfield

Brightfield is a fabulous candle line from Canadian maker Christina Gjiri. The scents are lovely. The names are sweet and the merchandising is so chic.

# driftwood naturals

Essential oil gift sets from
Driftwood Naturals are a great
item to gift all year long. Be sure
to check out their car diffusers
too. A great add on to the kit for
a great sale!



### marmalade

I've been in love with Marmalade Jewellery for years. I stock her on social. You need to look at your socials too as she has so much beautiful handmade jewellery for you to discover.



# Sandalwood SOLID PERFUR Parkens and an and at at the second of the seco

# lip service beauty

Solid perfume balms from Lip Service Beauty smell divine and are made with all-natural ingredients in Canada.

Customers can use the balm on their lips, skin and even the ends of their hair.

# sarah duggan

Sarah Duggan's beautiful artwork is so wide ranging. No matter your store type, you'll find pieces that will work. Her style is modern and eyecatching.

