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MERRY CHRISTMAS

IT'S THE MOST
WONDERFUL TIME OF
YEAR!

Can you believe we are on the countdown to Christmas? I recently had a customer in the store that said she was still waiting for 4th of July! I agree Cathy.... Just where did the time go?

As the winter holidays approach, it's a time to get together with family and friends. A time to create lifelong memories. Holiday cards need to be sent out, gifts need to be purchased, wrapped and in some cases even *mailed!* The tree needs decorating, the baking needs to be done just when

do you expect us to cram in the time for handmade items? Well let the staff at Imagine That! Scrapbooks & Gifts help you with some ideas. Take a break and relax with us for an afternoon.

When we speak of the holidays, often the first thing that comes to mind is *Gift Giving*. Thoughtful gifts that you make yourself are usually the most treasured gifts. Nothing shows you care like a handmade gift. You as the giver feel a sense of pride of the accomplished project and the receiver feels extra special that the gift was handmade. Why not make a scrapbook, a decorated tin with cookies, or even a calendar? The possibilities are limitless.

Are your scrapbook supplies out of control? Stop by the store for information on how to get yourself organized. We will be having a re-cap on organizing your supplies. See our calendar for the date.

As the year quickly draws to a close, we want to thank you for being a part of our ever-growing scrapbook family. We feel deeply privileged to have made such wonderful, loyal friends and new ones every day.

Don't know what to get that hard to buy for person on your list? We have gift certificates in any size denomination. We also have custom made Gift Baskets, ask about the details. We also offer free gift-wrapping the entire month of December!



CALLING ALL MEN!!!!!!

DON'T KNOW WHAT TO BUY THE WOMAN IN YOUR LIFE? LET US HELP-EMAIL OR CALL US WITH YOUR ORDER, WE WILL PULL THE ITEM(S) OR GIFT CARD, AND WILL HAVE IT READY FOR YOU TO PICK IT UP AT YOUR CONVENIENCE. WE WILL EVEN GIFT WRAP FOR YOU AT NO CHARGE. JUST ANOTHER WAY TO MAKE YOU'RE SHOPPING A LITTLE EASIER – IMAGINE THAT!

JUST FOR LAUGHS

If you see a fat man ... Who's jolly and cute, wearing a beard and a red flannel suit, and if he is chuckling and laughing away, while flying around in a miniature sleigh with eight tiny reindeer to pull him along, then lets face it... Your eggnog's too strong!



STOCKING STUFFERS

Need ideas on Stocking Stuffers? Come by the store to see our Christmas stocking stuffed with great ideas.

SALE- Bring in any new toy valued at \$10.00 or more December 01st thru December 16th and get \$20.00 off any \$100.00 or more purchase. (Excludes: Classes, Gift Cards, Parties, or Design Work.) Toys are being donated to local children charities.

SPREADING THE WORD-

The best advertising is "Word of Mouth"- so we want to Thank All of you who tell your friends about us- Print the attached form, fill in Your Name and give it to ALL your family & friends- When they come in the 1st time to our store THEY will receive 10% off their 1st purchase and YOU will receive 20% off your next purchase in the store. (Excludes: Gift Cards, Classes, Parties, & Custom work.)

STORE REFERAL COUPON

HELLO MY NAME IS: _____

(Customer Referral)

MY FRIEND IS: _____

(Your Name)

This is my first visit to Imagine That! Scrapbooks & Gifts- On my 1st visit I will receive 10% off my purchase- And My friend who referred me will get 20% off their next purchase. (Discounts are only valid to customers that are NOT already in our POS list.)

Must present coupon at time of purchase



DECEMBER ' S RECIPE :

FUDGE PECAN CHEWIES

- 1/4 cup butter or margarine
- 14 ounces sweetened condensed milk
- 12 ounces semisweet chocolate chips
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/2 cup chopped pecans
- 60 pecan halves



Pre-heat oven to 350. Combine first 3 ingredients in a heavy saucepan; cook over medium-low heat, stirring constantly, until chocolate and butter melt. Remove from heat. Stir in vanilla, flour, and chopped pecans. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto ungreased baking sheets. Press a pecan half into the center of each cookie. Bake for 7 minutes. (Do not overbake.) Remove cookies to wire racks to cool completely.

Wish Lists

Don't forget to stop in the store and fill out an updated wish list. We will keep your wish list on file so your friends and family can buy you the gifts you want this year! If you already have a wish list on file, stop in and update it!

Gift Certificates

Shopping for your favorite scrapbooker? Gift certificates are available for purchase in any denomination. Your favorite scrapbooker will be thrilled with a Gift Certificate to Imagine That! Scrapbooks & Gifts.

Fun Facts

WHY ARE SCRAPBOOKS IMPORTANT?

Photos of family and friends are some of the most precious things we have, containing memories of a lifetime. Your family's unique and special memories can be cherished forever, time and time again, when they're preserved in an archival safe scrapbook. Showcase pictures and memorabilia - Show off your photos proudly. Tell the stories behind the pictures- as they say a picture is worth a thousand words.

Monthly Store Contests:

Remember- we have our monthly page store contests- the rules are simple: Submit as many pages as you wish before the 15th of the month. All entries will be judged and the winner will be posted the following month on our web site. We must have more than 1 entry to be judged. We will hold random drawings on all previous winners for prizes.

Did you know December is: National Book Month, Bingo & Write a Friend Month

December facts: Astrological Signs-

Sagittarius: November 22 - December 21

Capricorn: December 22 - January 19

Flower: Narcissus

Birthstone: Topaz or Turquoise (Modern)

Zircon, Turquoise, or Lapis Lazuli (Traditional)

SOMETHING NEW ABOUT OUR CLASSES

We know everyone's schedule is different. So we have teamed up with our teachers and staff to try and accommodate everyone's schedule. Do you see a class that you want to take, but it is not convenient for you? That's ok, just let us know WHEN you would like to take it and we will try our very best to get our instructor to teach it at YOUR convenience. We do ask for at least 24 hours notice.

UPCOMING DECEMBER EVENTS

DATES IN BLUE DENOTE CLASSES

- 01ST - 12TH **12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS CHALLENGE (SEE THE STORE FOR RULES)**
- 01ST CRAFTAFTERNOON TIME- ALL DAY FREE
- 02ND **CHELSIE GREEN'S SWEET 16 BIRTHDAY**
- EAT A RED APPLE DAY & NATIONAL PIE DAY
- 03RD NATIONAL ROOF OVER YOUR HEAD DAY
- 04TH SANTA'S LIST DAY- WE HOPE YOU ARE ON THE "GOOD" LIST
- 04TH CLASS - "JOY" ACCORDIAN ALBUM/WALL DÉCOR 5:30 P.M. \$25.00
- 05TH **ANYTHING APPLE RED 10% OFF**
- 08TH CRAFTAFTERNOON TIME-ALL DAY FREE
- 09TH WIZARD CLASS 1-3 PM \$25.00 WITH DONNA HINMAN

- OUR QUEEN OF THE CROP WINNER FOR THE YEAR IS: JULIE CLIETT - (MEMBERS FOR 2007 NOW BEING ACCEPTED- SEE THE STORE FOR DETAILS) WINNER OF A \$50.00 STORE GIFT CERTIFICATE.**
- 11TH ORGANIZATIONAL CLASS 5:30 PM \$8.00 (MAKE ANY ORGANIZATIONAL PURCHASE AND CLASS FEE IS WAIVED)

- 12TH **ALL CALANDER PAPERS 10% OFF**
- 13TH ICE CREAM DAY -

- (GIFT BASKET DRAWING TO BE HELD FOR THE 12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS WINNER)

- 14TH **HOLLY JOLLY DOUBLE PAGE LAYOUT 5:30 - 7PM \$15.00**
- SANTA CARD 7PM - 730 \$5.00
- 15TH CRAFTAFTERNOON TIME- ALL DAY FREE
- 16TH **PICTURE/CANDLE WITH TERESA BARNCastle 2-3PM \$15.00**
- IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING BONUS DEMONSTRATION ON LATTICE FOLDING
- 18TH BAKE COOKIES DAY
- 19TH **ALL NASCAR 10% OFF**
- 20TH GAMES DAY
- 22ND CRAFTAFTERNOON TIME-ALL DAY FREE
- 23RD KID KRAFT KORNER 11 AM - 1 PM (BRING YOUR SCISSORS & GLUE FOR KRAFT TIME)

- 25TH - 26TH **MERRY CHRISTMAS - WE WILL BE CLOSED**
- 28TH **JEAN HOYENGA'S BIRTHDAY**
- 29TH CRAFTAFTERNOON TIME - ALL DAY FREE
- 31ST NEW YEARS EVE

MANY CLASSES ARE HELD MONTHLY, CALL FOR INFORMATION!!



WHAT TO BRING TO CLASSES:

MINIMUM TO BRING IS: ADHESIVE, SCISSORS, EXACTO KNIFE, 12X12 PAPER TRIMMER, AND JOURNALING

PEN & OF COURSE SOME PHOTOS!

WIZARD CLUB MEETINGS: BRING WIZARD AND BASIC SUPPLIES.

REMEMBER: AFTER EACH "INSTRUCTIONAL" CLASS IS OVER, YOU ARE WELCOME TO STAY LONGER AT NO CHARGE TO FINISH YOUR PROJECTS AND HAVE ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE ANSWERED.

December's Featured Product:

\$3.00 Off

WEB PAGE SPECIAL

\$3.00 Off

Discount is for featured Product Only! No Cash Value

Not valid with any other offer

Must present coupon at time of purchase



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Here's a "sneak peek" at the P.i.P. Box...



Yes! You can work that all-day crop 'til the clock strikes midnight! No matter what stage your scrapbook page or craft project is in, lift it into the Page in Progress Box and secure loose elements with the super-powerful magnets.

Put on the lid and voila! Your page is dust-free and portable (slide it into your supply tote--it's only 3/4" wide)