



Ferndale
market

Holiday GIFT GUIDE



Each year, we look forward to seeking out unique and locally-made gifts to fill the shelves of our on-farm market. The selections in this guide highlight the variety of our findings – from award-winning artisan cheese and charcuterie to hand poured candles, local cookbooks, and so much more.

Thank you for supporting local farmers and makers this holiday season. Your support makes a difference. Happy shopping!

The Ferndale Market Team



Artisan Sweets

Buttered Tin Cinnamon Rolls



The Buttered Tin has been baking pies and other delicious pastries since they opened in St. Paul, MN in 2013. Their freshly frozen cinnamon rolls with cream cheese frosting, made with 100% real butter and other thoughtfully sourced ingredients, deliver bakery quality at home.

Costas Candies Chocolate Sea Salt Caramels

Family-owned Costas Candies has been making beautiful confections for decades in Owatonna, MN. Their chocolate-covered sea salt caramels are hand-cut, hand-dipped, and topped with flaky sea salt. Packaged in a beautiful box, the caramels make a perfect hostess gift or stocking stuffer.

Dearest Baker Macarons Gift Set

We were delighted to discover these local, gluten-free macarons earlier this year. A women-owned small business based in St. Paul, MN, Dearest Baker creates well-balanced macarons filled with smooth and decadent buttercream. The beautiful gift set is a delicious way to sample a variety of flavors.

Great Harvest Biscotti

This locally-made biscotti is double baked in an Italian style for a delectable crunch. Enjoy the nutty treat on its own, dunked in coffee, or crumbled over ice cream. We love the Mocha Hazelnut and the Cherry Almond flavors!

Groveland Confections

Located in Minnetonka, MN, Groveland creates delectable sweets using high-quality and clean ingredients with a blend of traditional craftsmanship and innovative flair. We're thrilled to have a variety of Groveland's tasty treats available this holiday season, including Minnesota-shaped marshmallows, chocolate covered cherries, and Moose Crunch, a delicious medley of pretzels drizzled with milk, dark, and white chocolate.

Sted Chocolate



Have a chocolate lover on your list? Give them the gift of variety with Sted's Bestselling Mini Bars Gift Set. The set includes six varieties – from Almond Maple Brittle to Mint Mocha – of the award-winning organic bean to bar chocolate handcrafted in Fergus Falls, MN.

Cheese & Charcuterie



CannonBelle's Gouda

This creamy gouda comes from our friends at Cannon Falls' own, CannonBelles Cheese. Aged three months, the gouda delivers a nutty taste. Its mild flavor makes it very versatile, working well on everything from sandwiches to cheese plates.



Deer Creek Cheese The Blue Jay

This award-winning quintuple crème blue cheese comes from Sheboygan, WI. It is infused with juniper berries, which complement the blue strain's unique flavor. The result is a bold, buttery blue cheese with a delicate piney bouquet. It's wonderful on a cheese plate or melted on a steak.



Eichten's Buffalo Summer Sausage

The Eichten family raised their first herd of bison in 1987 as a way to manage the native grasses on their farm. Nearly 40 years later, they continue to raise their bison on pasture and create a variety of products, like their popular bison summer sausage. It's fully cooked and ready to eat.

Ferndale Market Turkey Summer Sausage

Our mildly spiced summer sausage features our antibiotic-free turkey blended with clean ingredients. It is delicious paired with cheese and, because it's shelf stable, is a perfect stocking stuffer. Try it on a sandwich or on a charcuterie board.



Hidden Springs Creamery Cheese

Hidden Springs Creamery is a fourth-generation family farm with a herd that grazes the driftless region in Wisconsin. As a farmstead creamery, their small-batch cheeses are made right on the farm where the sheep are born, raised, milked, and grazed. Be sure to try the honey lavender flavor!



Flouwer Co. Artisanal Crackers

Round out your board with a beautiful cracker! Flouwer Co. Artisanal Crackers are handmade in Denver, CO with simple ingredients, including organically grown edible flowers and fresh garden herbs.

The crackers are crisp, colorful and perfectly salted!

Gunflint Trail Jams

These Minnesota-themed jams, crafted in small batches using whole fruit, are the perfect accompaniment to your cheese and charcuterie boards. We love Fruit of the Loon, a delightful blueberry, raspberry, blackberry blend.

La Quercia Prosciutto Americano

Iowa-based La Quercia uses Heritage Breed pork and sea salt to craft their signature prosciutto. Customers rave about its distinct richness and depth of flavor. Aged 10-12 months, the prosciutto is a must for charcuterie boards, sandwiches, salads and pizza.

Lowry Hill Provisions



This handcrafted salami from Northeast Minneapolis is a winner on a charcuterie board. Its unique process creates a taste you won't find anywhere else. You'll find both the Garlic and Rosé varieties at our market.



Marieke Gouda Spread

This cheese spread, from award-winning Marieke Gouda, is a must have in your fridge! It's masterfully crafted in Thorp, WI using milk from Marieke's own dairy farm. Made from a raw milk aged gouda, the spread delivers a smooth but bold flavor. Try it on crackers or a gourmet grilled cheese.

Paulin's Provisions Plum Mustard

This mustard comes to us from La Crosse, WI. It's sweet and tangy with a horseradish bite at the finish from the whole yellow mustard seed. The plum adds a touch of sweetness. Try it on brats, in dressings, or as a flavorful addition to cheese and charcuterie boards.



Redhead Creamery Little Lucy

This smooth and creamy brie, named after the cheesemakers' daughter, is made on the farm in Brooten, MN. It's the perfect sized addition to a cheese plate or is delicious baked with pistachios and balsamic.

Uplands Cheese Rush Creek Reserve

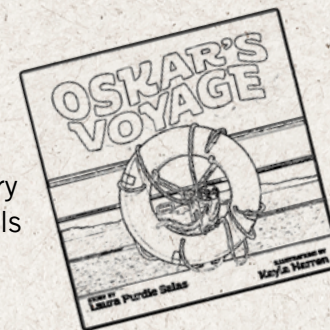
We're thrilled to carry this once-a-year cheese, made by Uplands Cheese in Dodgeville, WI. It's produced only in the fall, as the diet of the cows begins to change from summer pasture to hay. The result is a richer milk, which helps create a spoonable custardy cheese. Each cheese is wrapped in spruce bark, imparting a subtle woodsy flavor.



For the Kids

Books

Discover a variety of fun books on our shelves for the little readers in your lives, including Oskar's Voyage and Butts-Up Birdies, both written by Minnesota authors. Oskar's Voyage shares the story of an adventurous chipmunk who accidentally travels the Great Lakes on a freighter. Butts-Up Birdies introduces them to the world of dabbling ducks, featuring playful, hand-drawn illustrations.



Ferndale Market T-Shirt

Show your little turkey he or she is part of the Ferndale flock with their very own t-shirt. The front features our signature turkey word art, designed for us by a local artist.

Honey Sticks

Made right here in Cannon Falls, these sticks are a naturally sweet stocking stuffer in a variety of fun flavors. One of our most popular items with kids!

Mike & Jen's Cocoa Mix

This cocoa mix, made by a small family business in Duluth, MN, is created with five simple, high-quality ingredients. Just add water for a rich and creamy drink!



North Mallow Marshmallows

These marshmallows come from Long Lake, MN, and are unlike any you've had. Made with clean ingredients, the marshmallows have a bold vanilla bean flavor, taking your s'mores and hot cocoa to new heights.

3 Cricketeers Cricket Caramel Crunch

A tasty treat for daring kids, this snack features organic caramel corn with crunchy crickets and Spanish red peanuts. It's a perfect blend of sweet and salty. Like all 3 Cricketeers products, the Cricket Caramel Crunch is small-batch and made by hand at their urban cricket farm in MN.

For the Home

Charcuterie Board

These Minnesota-made serving boards are crafted from solid reclaimed roasted ash. The unique boards are wonderful for displaying meats and cheeses, and make excellent host gifts.



Goat Milk Soap

This moisturizing soap comes from B and B Farmco, a family-run company in Crosslake, MN. The bars are produced in small batches from milk sources from a nearby goat farm. Try the Lavender or Rosemary Mint varieties, both made with essential oils.

Fresh Midwest: Modern Recipes from the Heartland

This cookbook comes from recipe developer and Minnesota native Maren Ellingboe King. Inspired by her archive of recipes from her grandmother and great-grandmother, the book combines the nostalgia of traditional midwestern dishes with a focus on local, unprocessed ingredients. Discover a variety of easy-to-follow recipes – from Caraway Roast Chicken to Cardamom Stone Fruit Cobbler – accompanied by beautiful photography.



Handcrafted Ornaments

Trim your tree with a variety of hand-selected ornaments from local makers. From ceramic turkeys to wooden Minnesota-shaped designs, each piece is unique.

Komoni Bath Soak

Give the gift of ultimate relaxation with these locally-made bath soaks. Created by a massage therapist, the soaks are crafted in small batches with ethically sourced Himalayan Salts and a blend of essential oils. They deliver a spa-like experience while nourishing the skin with all-natural ingredients.



Lakehouse Candle Co.

These hand poured candles are the creation of former college roommates inspired by the beauty of Minnesota. The 100% soy candles feature wooden wicks and come in beautiful glass jars. Enjoy the scent of Boundary Waters, featuring a pine-centered aroma with hints of cedar and juniper berries.



Pretty Delicious: Simple, Modern Mediterranean, Served with Style

Sisters Alia and Radwa Elkaffas, the duo behind the Food Dolls platform, deliver more than one hundred vibrant Mediterranean dishes in their New York Times bestselling cookbook. Born and raised in Minnesota to parents originally from Egypt, Alia and Radwa focus on creating flavor-packed meals without spending hours in the kitchen. Their book showcases that approach with approachable recipes, like Crispy Baked Halloumi with Hot-Honey Drizzle, Steak Shawarma Bowls, and Croissant Bread Pudding with Caramel Sauce.

Taylor and Co. Home for the Holidays Candle

We're thrilled to introduce this candle variety, made specially for us by mother-daughter run company Taylor and Co., based right here in Cannon Falls, MN. The Home for the Holidays candle is infused with an essential oil blend of cinnamon, clove, fir, vanilla and nutmeg. Like all Taylor and Co. all-natural candles, it is made with coconut soy wax and a crackling wooden wick.



Minnesota Made



Cry Baby Craig's Hot Sauce

Have a hot sauce lover in your life? This is the gift for them! Handcrafted with local ingredients from Faribault, MN, this gourmet hot sauce features habanero peppers that are pickled rather than cooked to create a bright and refreshing flavor. But don't worry, it's not all heat – the sauce also includes a blend of garlic and cumin for a well-balanced flavor.

Mabel's Crafted Popcorn

This Minnesota-made popcorn might just be the best you've ever had! Each small batch of the ultra-fluffy kernels are hand seasoned with perfectly balanced flavors and good-for-you ingredients, delivering deliciousness in every bite. We have two tasty varieties: Kettle Corn and SW Queso, a classic cheddar base with a rich, smoky coating.



Norseland Lefse

Share a taste of Norway with Norseland Lefse, produced in Rushford, MN for nearly a quarter century. The lefse is made with just four ingredients – real potatoes, flour, salt and vegetable oil – and vacuum sealed to stay fresh.

Sailor Mercy Elderberry Syrup

Elderberry has long been treasured for its medicinal qualities and wealth of antioxidants. Stillwater, MN-based Sailor Mercy makes their elderberry products in small batches using fresh, organic ingredients. Their high-quality syrup uses local raw honey and fresh elderberries from a nearby farm.

Sweet Haven Tonics

These lovely craft concentrates are handcrafted in New Ulm, MN. Featuring expertly blended ingredients, they are the perfect base for cocktails and mocktails alike. You'll find Sweet Haven gift sets at our market, in varieties like Holiday Cheer and Mocktail Lovers, which are beautifully packaged and include three different sampler concentrates.



The Bee Shed Honey Gift Set

The Bee Shed honeybees roam the prairies and woodlands of Southeast Minnesota throughout the summer. By tapping into the subtle pulses of nectar as different plants bloom, they are able to produce varieties of honey that reflect the signature scents and flavors of the season. The gift set showcases a variety of three 3oz glass jars of Bee Shed honey in a kraft gift box.

Uffda Chips

Uffda Chips are, perhaps not surprisingly, made right here in Minnesota by Norseland Lefse. They're a tasty, crispy snack made from potato lefse, and seasoned with salt or sprinkled with cinnamon and sugar.



Up North Coffee

Proudly roasted in Minnesota, Up North Coffee's mission is to make the best tasting cup of coffee in The North using ethically sourced beans. The Minnesota lovers on your list will love the names of the flavorful varieties, like Blizzard of '91, Lake Lover and Snow Day.





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