

# CHRISTMAS GUIDE





# CHRISTMAS TRADING HOURS 2021

### CHRISTMAS WEEK

Mon 20th Dec 2021

Tue 21st Dec 2021

Wed 22nd Dec 2021

Thu 23rd Dec 2021

Fri 24th Dec 2021 - CHRISTMAS EVE

Sat 25th Dec 2021 - CHRISTMAS DAY

Sun 26th Dec 2021 - BOXING DAY

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## NEW YEAR'S WEEK

Mon 27th Dec 2021

Tue 28th Dec 2021

Wed 29th Dec 2021

Thu 30th Dec 2021

Fri 31st Dec 2021 - NEW YEARS EVE

Sat 1st Jan 2021 - NEW YEARS DAY

Sun 2nd Jan 2021

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Aside from being the most wonderful time of the year, Christmas can also be the most expensive. Here are some great gift ideas that won't break the bank.

#### PLANTER POTS

At Cocoon Home has a variety of beautiful gifts this Christmas. From an assortment of beautifully crafted planter pots, scarves, market baskets, cards and more. Why not see for yourself on your next market visit.





## PANETTONE

Panettone (also known as the Italian boomerang) is the gift to buy when you don't know what to buy (or bring). You can buy a variety of different types of panettone from Gerry's Deli; big, small, with or without raisins, chocolate filled, traditional and more.

#### DOLCE & GABBANA BACI CHOCOLATE

If you want to feel a little extra this Christmas, why not try these Dolce & Gabbana Baci Chocolates. This is a great gift idea for a loved one, a friend or even yourself! You'll find these delicious treats from our tenants at Rustic Bean.







#### PERSONALISED GIFTS

If you're looking for an affordable, thoughtful gift this Christmas, we suggest purchasing something personalised. Our new tenants at Dannie-Creative & Personalised Gifts offer an assortment of personalised items such as tote bags, pillow cases, coffee mugs and more.

#### GIFT PACKS

Ready. Set. Gift! The team at Saltylicious have you spoilt for choice with a range of gift packs for him and her. All beautifully wrapped and ready to be gifted! You'll be sure to find something to spoil your loved ones.









# A GIFT FOR YOUR FURRY FRIENDS

The new tenant on the block Luna's Delights have all your dog necessities covered. From harnesses, doggie treats, accessories and more, you'll find the perfect gift for your four legged friend.









#### Steve's Silver & Stones

Selecting gifts can be hard work.

Sometimes you just have to let the professionals give you a hand. Pop in to Steve's Silver & Stones on your next market visit. Steve is always willing to help customers find what they're looking for.





# CHRISTMAS WREATHS

Christmas wreaths are generally made up of fresh tree leaves, twigs, small fruits and flowers. The circular shape represent a meaning of eternity, as it has no end and no beginning. To some, the wreath holds a religious meaning. Christians hang the wreath at their front door to invite the holy spirit into their home. Others just simply use it for decorative purposes. You can order your Christmas wreaths from our florist at Green & Gold Flowers and Preston Market Flowers. We suggest you place your orders sooner, rather than later.





# MUFFIN PAN ADVENT CALENDAR

We love this advent calendar idea by parents.com. It's the perfect Christmas craft for kids.



# MATERIALS

- Coloured and patterned craft paper
- Some ribbon
- Scissors
- 1-inch circular hole puncher
- Glue stick
- 24 holemuffin tray
- Small toys or treats to fill the pans

# INSTRUCTIONS

- **1.** Cut 24 circles 2 1/4 inches wide from a 12- by 24-inch adhesive magnetic sheet. Adhere them to patterned paper, then cut them out.
- **2.** With a 1-inch circular punch, make 24 paper circles. Number them and use a glue stick to attach them to the magnetic circles.
- 3. If you'd like to hang the muffin pan with a ribbon, make two holes (see tip below).
- **4.** Fill the muffin wells with tiny stickers, bite-sized candies, notes, and activity suggestions.

**Craft Tip:** To hang the pan on a wall, set one rim on a block of wood and use a hammer and a nail to make two holes. Loop a ribbon through them and tie. Adult supervision is required for this one.

You can purchase all your materials from Sweet Party Supply and Confectioners Favourite.



# FELT CHRISTMAS TREE GARLAND

Another great and simple DIY craft this Christmas are these felt Christmas tree garlands by itsalwaysautumn.com.



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#### MATERIALS

- Coloured acrylic felt
- Scissors
- a glue gun or alternativel craft adhesive
- Christmas tree template in assorted shapes
- Some string

#### INSTRUCTIONS

1. Fold a piece of felt in half and cut two of the same tree at the same time. Decorate as desired with hearts, circles, or stars cut from felt, then just glue the two trees together, sandwiching a rectangle of brown felt in between to act as a trunk. Repeat this process to create about 9 different looking Christmas trees.

**NOTE:** Make sure not to put any glue at the very tip of the tree – you'll want the two layers to open up slightly so you can glue a string between them later on.

2. Glue the Christmas trees onto some string making sure they're about 6 inches apart.

You can purchase all your materials from Sweet Party Supply.



# VEGAN CHRISTMAS ROAST





VEGAN ROAST

VEGAN PUDDING

Are you celebrating a vegan Christmas?
Or maybe just have a couple of friends or family coming over for lunch who are vegan and don't know what to cook for them?

Our tenants at Super Raw have you sorted. They are now taking orders for their Christmas roasts & puddings. For orders, DM @superrawmelbourne.com.au or visit them in store.

Located at shop N13 - N15



# FREE SANTA PHOTOS

Have yourself a merry little Christmas by taking your family out and grabbing your free Santa photo at the Preston Market. That's right, it's **free!** Be sure to keep note of the dates and times so you don't miss out.



Preston Market

#### WHEN

- Sunday 5th December 2021
- Sunday 12th December 2021
- Sunday 19th December 2021

TIME

9AM to 3PM

## LOCATION

In the centre of the market by the Christmas tree - Near Peter's Pizza.









WISHING
YOU ALL
A MERRY
CHRISTMAS
AND A SAFE
NEW YEAR!