

Astoria local shopping guide

Take a tour of downtown shops full of holiday spirit

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Worried about your holiday presents arriving on time or at a loss for ideas? Fret no more. Downtown Astoria has a surprising variety of shops from bargains at Deals Only to unique finds at one of the many art galleries.

Not only does neighborhood shopping support local artists, artisans and shopkeepers, and helps boost the economy, but you'll find extraordinary gifts that will be sure to delight even the most hard-to-please curmudgeon.

"Each shop is unique in its own way," says Jamie Savva at Doe & Arrow. "It's an amazing community. We couldn't have survived this last year and a half without each other and the support of locals. They



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Patricia Fagerland poses next to a hat display in Forsythea.



An extensive wall of spice blends in Pat's Pantry.

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