

Products

All-Paca™ Hoodie, Appalachian Gear

When you've just ripped it up on the slopes and want comfort and ease. When you have a full day of errands and want to stay warm and cozy. When you have to go to work and it's casual Friday. Game day! These are just a few of the occasions when you'll reach for this exceptionally versatile athleisure garment. Super light, super warm and made for everyone! Choose your color at appalchiangearcompany.com.



Outdoor Hiking Socks, Classic Alpaca

As the weather gradually changes, the upcoming season of cooler days, knitwear and indoor living gets some of us giddy. And in that mood, these are the socks to reach for. Thick and cozy but not bulky, warm but breathable. What's not to like? classicalpaca.com.

High Desert Serape, Silver Run Ranch

This versatile serape features an open front much like the Central American prototypes Kevin and Chris were inspired by. Created on a handmade frame loom in Kentucky, it can be worn as you wish: as an eye-catching cover-up after a swim; for a walk in the woods when another light warm layer is called for; or for an elegant evening out. Buy it at silverrunranch.com.



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Hackin' Packin' Alpaca, Mattel Games

When you're looking for wild fun, consider this cute game! Though we know alpacas don't pack things on their backs or spit unless they're really mad, this 16-piece toy can provide lots of entertainment during Coronavirus lockdown and even some education, too! Stack your suitcases on the alpaca's back quickly but carefully. Take too long and Al Alpaca will douse you with spit (water you add to the reservoir). Available where children's games are sold. Ages 4 and up.



Executive Dot Socks, Lanart

When you need to wear business attire, why not also have some fun? Made from a heavenly blend of alpaca and silk, these superb socks have natural wicking powers to make sure your day feels great from the ankles down, no matter how many conference calls you have scheduled. Baby alpaca and silk (80%), spandex and nylon (20%). Lanart is committed to fair trade. Buy them in a range of fun colors at www.lanart.net.

Tree Tees, RedMaple Sportswear

Whether you're a guy or a girl and there's no need to impress but every need for comfort, we know what you like — tee shirts! Introducing your new favorites in comfy gray heather cotton-polyester. Choose from the mountain scene with alpacas and conifers in blue or the serene moonlit meadow of sheep framed with trees in purple (not shown) by Maine artist Elsie Drummond. Hand screened in the U.S. in S-XL sizes. Buy them at www.redmaplesportswear.com.



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All-Paca™ Sleeping Bag Liner, Appalachian Gear Company

Made from proprietary 100% alpaca microfleece, this unique product makes use of all the benefits alpaca fiber has to offer. The All-Paca™ sleeping bag liner is lightweight, eco-friendly and super warm. In fact, the liner adds 15-18 degrees of additional warmth to your sleep system — or it can be used alone in warmer weather. Machine wash and dry. Measures 64 x 31 inches. Buy it at appalachiangearcompany.com.



My Comfy Equestrian Tall Boot Alpaca Socks, Latin Collection

You don't have to be a dressage rider to love these smooth, comfortable, long-length socks. They're perfect for anyone who enjoys wearing tall boots! Fly fishers, cowboys (and girls) and fashionistas all appreciate how cool and dry they make their feet feel. Made with a special mesh stitch to allow for maximum air flow and wicking, they also have reinforced toes, soles and heels for durability. In black, gray, navy or purple. Buy them at latincollection.com.

Canvas Totes, RedMaple Sportswear

You *can* take it with you after all —whatever it is! Super tough, these recycled canvas bags schlep everything from groceries to your workday lunch to an extra sweatshirt to art supplies. Choose from the mountain scene with alpacas and conifers in blue or the serene moonlit meadow of sheep framed with trees in purple by Maine artist Elsie Drummond. Hand screened in the U.S., they measure 15 x 15 inches. Buy them at redmaplesportswear.com.



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His and Hers Tech Zip Hoodies, RedMaple Sportswear

Looking for a technical base layer you can depend on for warmth, wicking and performance? You've found it! Designed as an athletic standby, this lightweight hoodie has noticeably detailed trim so it looks great and smoothly finished seams so it feels great, too. Available in charcoal, light grey, ultraviolet and meteor blue with grey interior in men's and women's sizes. redmaplesportswear.com.



Yoga Alpacas, Lanart

Give inner peace and tranquility with these new, needle-felted alpaca yoga figurines. Handmade of alpaca fiber in two poses: tree or Vrikshasana (standing) and enlightened pose or Siddhasana (seated). Feel your heart rate decrease as your focus grows and your perception becomes enhanced. For the serious yoga practitioner or just about anyone who enjoys alpacas and their calming presence. Namaste. lanart.com.

Unisex Shorty Athletic Alpaca Socks, Classic Alpaca

These richly textured socks are great for both men and women, presuming you want to look well-dressed, put-together and smart. Available in a beautiful cornflower blue if you're looking for subtle color and pattern and a more casual everyday look that still packs a punch. Or choose the natural with a crisp navy design (right) for a more tailored look. 38% alpaca, 25% nylon, 16% acrylic, 15% spandex, 6% elastic. classicalpaca.com.



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Message Socks, Invisible World

The brainstorm for these inspiring socks happened in the Lima airport at 3:00 a.m. as Stuart Cohen was waiting for a flight out. While the idea may have been conceived before the beginning of the COVID-19 era, these socks offer spot-on encouragement perfect for today. Soft and cozy, choose blue and black stripes with “Big journey, small steps,” or brown and tan striped “Stay grounded.” Buy them at invisibleworld.com.



Cria Huacaya Alpaca Needle-Felted Fiber Sculpture, Lanart

Do you need a new office mate who is quiet and agreeable and always has a smile for you? Look no further than this little charmer, created by hand from soft, supple alpaca fiber. Available in several colors, each sports an adorable hand-knit chullo customized to allow her ears to stick out. Also look for the alpaca mama, which is larger. Buy them at lanart.net.



Alpaca Mask, WitcheryKrafting

The real question here is: Who *wouldn't* want to wear an alpaca mask during the pandemic? Cute mask highlights one of the most adorable alpaca body parts: the muzzle. Breathable, washable and available with fixed ear loop, adjustable loop or full head elastic. Buy yours at WitcheryKrafting's page on etsy.



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Crafting Cuties, Lanart

In Peru, knitting and crochet are taught to very young children, who spend lifetimes perfecting their fiber arts expertise. This mama alpaca, wearing a traditional chullo with spiral earflaps, is teaching her cria to knit, an important skill she will need to stay warm in the high mountain elevations. The adorable set includes handmade needle-felted alpacas, removable chullo, jaunty scarf, yarn ball, and itty-bitty knitting needles with a tiny knitting swatch. Comes in a cute gift bag. LanartAlpaca.com.



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Davy Crockett Poncho, Silver Run Ranch

Loosely woven, this luxuriously soft shawl envelops you in a cloud of softness, comfort and warmth. Made to order by hand in Kentucky, it is made from more than 1,300 yards of 100% premium alpaca yarn. Available in a range of sizes to fit people whose shoulders measure from four-and-a-half-feet to seven feet. In neutral fawn, it goes with everything in your closet. Also available in turquoise, brick red and terra cotta. Buy yours at SilverRunRanch.com.

Rainbow Herd Socks, RedMaple Sportswear

Overcast again? Longing for the warmth of the sun and a change of scenery? Good news — the antidote is here. These fun socks are a riot of rollicking alpacas — big ones, small ones — with everybody showing their true (bright) colors. Made of baby alpaca, viscose and bamboo to machine wash and dry, these equal opportunity socks come in adult and kid sizes.

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Alpaquita Socks, Classic Alpaca

As days brighten and the doldrums of winter recede into your rearview mirror, these fun socks hit the spot!

They're the same high quality, warm, light, breathable socks you've come to expect from Classic Alpaca — and they are vibrant magenta with cute alpaca silhouettes sprinkled all over. You know what to do!

Grab a pair at classicalpaca.com.



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All-Paca Neck Pipe, Appalachian Gear

You know if you let your neck gets cold, your entire body will follow. Ward off the chill with these ultimately practical neck gaiters. Or turn your world upside down and instead wear yours as a headband. Really frigid? Pull it up over your nose. Great for men and women, they're made of 100% alpaca for ultimate warmth, wicking and comfort. One size fits most. Choose your color at appalachiangearcompany.com.



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100% Soy Candles, Cria Candle Co.

Hand-poured in southern Indiana, Cria Candle Co lets every young cria's bright light shine! An idea that came from the Red Hill Fiber family's love of their animals, these 100% soy candles are named for individuals and feature a portrait of each on their labels. Choose the animal you like best, from Abigail to Rosie! Buy yours at criacandle.com or at redhillfiber.com.



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Alpaca Cactus Stickers, arothy

If you've got a passel of grandchildren or children hanging around and you want to give them some fun without going broke, never underestimate the power of the mighty sticker. The "Alpaca Cactus" pack of stickers from arothy. They are colorful, they're cute and they're all different! If alpacas aren't the only animal you love, also check out their "Alpaca Lama Alpacos" set as well as the "Kawaii Animal" stickers. Who doesn't love a new package of stickers? arothy.com



Unisex Shorty Athletic Alpaca Socks, Classic Alpaca

What do men and women reach for all summer when they want all-day comfort, coolness and great wicking? These high-performance short alpaca socks by Classic Alpaca, of course! Perfect for hiking, working in the garden or just taking a bike ride. 45% alpaca, 19% acrylic, 24% spandex, 10% elastic and 2% nylon. Available in black and navy. classicalpaca.com.

Chino Cap with Alpaca Ranger Patch, RedMaple Sportswear

When you're running out the door, catch a glimpse of yourself in the mirror and decide your hair looks a little too "farmy" for town, here's a simple way to "clean up nice" — while keeping alpacas front and center. Garment washed chino twill cap with adjustable strap and cool, updated alpaca ranger patch. Covers up even the worst hair days for both men and women. Choose from red, green, blue or black. redmaplesportswear.com.



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Swoosh Tush Pendant, the Llama and Alpaca Jewelry Store

If you're looking for a thoughtful gift for your favorite camelid lover, this charming pendant is it! Beautifully made, the tail is affixed with a clever little peg so it moves as you move, catching the light. Choose the alpaca body in sterling silver, 14K yellow, white or rose gold, then choose the tail in the metal of your choice. Available in S, M or L.

Matching earrings also available. Buy it at www.llamaandalpacajewelry.com.



Needle-felted Beagle, LANART

Part of LANART's large collection of needle-felted alpaca fiber pets, this beagle is a realistic depiction of owner Angelo Ponce's beloved dog, Charlie. Each is needle-felted by hand, one at a time and unique, just like our beloved pets. Search for your dog's breed — Lanart has everything from Border Collies to Shih Tzus. Perfect as a holiday tree ornament or displayed alone. Wholesale and retail at www.lanart.net.

Winter Coloring Pages Bari Rhys

Just when the days of winter are getting shorter and colder, Bari Rhys has introduced a new series of adorable seasonal alpaca coloring pages to brighten your downtime. Share them with a younger friend or enjoy a little quiet time alone — just you, a cup of coffee, your colored pencils and these fluffy pals. Download them at www.barirhys.com.



Alpaca Thermal Sport Shirts The Alpaca Guy

These thermal shirts are made with a unique technical blend of alpaca, Tencel and cotton, so they wear and feel like a regular cotton shirt but have exceptional heat retention. Perfect for everyday layering or outdoor adventures. Customers report great wear through repeated washings and soon find that they become their go-to weekend pick. In dark ash gray, men's and women's cuts and sizes. Buy them wholesale or retail at www.TheAlpacaGuy.com.

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Alpaca Ski and Snowboard Socks, Classic Alpaca

Accented with supercool bold black bands, these extra-cushy, ultra-sporty socks are weighty and cozy.

But don't think you have to be a snow jock to wear these — if you want to be comfortable and pamper your feet from the safety of your sofa, do not hesitate. Available in dark carmine red, in beige and in a beautifully shocking fuchsia, there is a color for you. 64% alpaca, 28% acrylic, 5% spandex, 2% elastic, 1% nylon.
classicalpaca.com.



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Cloud Vest, RedMaple Sportswear

Your new favorite vest is sporty but classic with a 100% alpaca channel-quilted exterior. Inside, a lofty insulating core of polyamide nylon works with alpaca fabric to reflect heat and keep you super toasty. Features RedMaple's new techy reflective alpaca logo front and center. Available for men and women with pockets inside and out.
redmaplesportswear.com.

Needle Felted Christmas Ornaments, Grand A Alpacas

What makes the holidays special? Gathering with our loved ones and feeling the special hominess and comfort the yuletide brings. Create that feeling instantly with these sweet needle felted Christmas ornaments. Brought to you by Grand A Alpacas, a small farm with a big heart! Shop David and Phyllis Smith's website at grandaalpaca.com or visit them on Facebook.



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'Alpaca Watching' Alpaca Socks, Purely/Choice Alpaca

Stripes, dots, rings and alpacas, oh my! These Nordic-style socks pair nicely with jeans for everyday wear or instantly spice up standard office separates (and your work day). Buttery soft and comfortable with little bulk, they are made with a mixture of 41% alpaca, 34% acrylic and 25% nylon for optimal handle and easy washing. Available in brown, beige and grey in kids' sizes 2-5, 6-9 and 10-13 and adult sizes M, L and XL. Buy retail at www.choicealpacaproducts.com or wholesale at www.purelyalpaca.com.

Alpaca Handwarmers, Urban Outfitters

When the air has a frosty nip, reach for a pair of these adorable 'pacas to warm your coat pockets and your heart — each one has a little smile for you. Inside, the soft handwarmers contain buckwheat to hug your hands and aromatic lavender for aromatherapeutic relaxation. Just pop them in the microwave for lasting coziness on autumn walks or even in your robe for chilly mornings. Sold individually at www.urbanoutfitters.com/en-gb.



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Cria Notecards, Two Roots Alpacas

These charming, hand-drawn notecards were created by a WWOOFUSA intern who visited Two Roots Farm in Tennessee in the summer of 2017. A gifted artist, Caroline Erb created them rather quickly, astonishing owners Brad and Ruth Anne Goss. This sleepy cria, feeling drowsy in a verdant meadow, is surrounded by flowers and butterflies as she drifts off in the sunshine (far right). Buy them at www.tworootsalpacas.com.



Alpaca Love Travel Pouch, Choice Alpaca

The perfect pouch to corral the items floating around your desk, car or project area, and it's cute, to boot! Printed with rosy-cheeked alpacas against a sky blue background and punctuated with pink hearts, it makes whatever you choose to tuck inside the zippered closure that much more appealing. A simple, cute and always-appreciated gift. Polyester. Measures 7.75 x 5.5 inches. Buy retail at www.choicealpacaproducts.com or wholesale at www.purelyalpaca.com.

My Comfy Van Gogh Multicolored Dress Socks, Latin Collection

Express yourself! No two pairs of these colorful alpaca-blend art socks are exactly alike — the colors and patterns of each pair create a swirling whirl of colors unique to you. Crew length socks are reinforced at the heel and toe and are knitted so the soft alpaca yarn wears closest to your foot while the stretchy yarn stays on the outside. Available in turquoise or rainbow. Buy them at www.latincollection.com.



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Sparkly Alpaca Keychain, Choice/Purely Alpaca

Add some sparkle to work or school with this charming camelid. Use it as a keychain or add it to your purse or backpack as a pro-alpaca fashion statement. Covered with shining glass rhinestones on front, the reverse is silver filigreed. With split keyring and lobster clasp. Total length 4.5 inches, length of alpaca is 2 inches. Buy retail at www.choicealpaca-products.com or wholesale at www.purelyalpaca.com.



Ceramic Camelid Tea Mug, Cost Plus World Market®

When it's relaxation time, you don't want to disrupt your "you-time" with tedious chores like throwing away a tea bag. Instead, this dutiful camelid acts as your teatime helper. Steep your tea at your leisure in the rounded heat-holding mug, then stow your spent tea bag in the side pouch. Created with touchable, textural elements under white-on-white overglaze. Cute and affordable at www.worldmarket.com.

All-Paca Fleece Beanie, Appalachian Gear

You know how Grandma always said you lose half your body's heat through your head? She was right, of course. But this isn't your Grandma's beanie! This high-tech fleece beanie is made of double sided, lightweight, insulative 100 percent alpaca fiber. Its sleek, breathable fit is great for active winter sports or even outdoor chores, making it our go-to grab for warming up quickly. Available for men and women in solids and stripes at www.appalachiangearcompany.com.



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