

Holiday GIFT GUIDE

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Nike LIVESTRONG Scoop Pants

MSRP: \$50

Staying warm is staying active. The LIVESTRONG Scoop Women's Training Pants combine heat-keeping fabric with a motion-ready design to make a warm layer primed for cold weather adventures. Machine washable Nike Thermo-FIT fabric keeps you warm and insulated. An elastic waist with a drawcord provides a customized fit with a gusset down inseam for enhanced range of motion and side slit pockets for storage.

Since 2004, Nike has helped the Lance Armstrong Foundation raise more than \$80 million to help the 28 million people living with cancer today. Purchase these great scoop pants along with a LIVESTRONG workout tank for the perfect holiday gift. Your loved one will be happy you supported such a great cause. Available at <http://www.nike.com/livestrong>.



Crock-Pot LunchCrock Food Warmer

MSRP: \$29.99

When cool weather strikes, she will enjoy the comfort of warm, flavorful meals on-the-go with the 20-oz. Crock-Pot LunchCrock Food Warmer, which warms leftovers, soups, stews and just about anything in amazing slow cooker fashion. Heat conveniently while you work for a

flavorful lunch that is ready when you are. Amazing portability features include spill-proof lid, cool-touch exterior and cord storage. Removable food storage container and lid are dishwasher safe. Available at <http://www.crock-pot.com>.

Northern Lights Yoga Mat

MSRP: \$39.95 and up

If your girlfriend, mom, sister or friend loves yoga, this gift is a must-have. Available in Passion (red), Sunset (orange), Sky (blue), Energy (purple) and Wilderness (green), the Northern Lights Yoga Mat measures 72 inches long, 24 inches wide and five millimeters thick.

Each mat is acclaimed for having a uniqueness of its own and no two mats are exactly the same. They are all eco-safe, biodegradable and free from phthalates, latex and silicone. Available at <http://www.auroraeyoga.com> or <http://www.amazon.com>.



Envirosax Reusable Bags

MSRP: \$8.95 and up

The holiday season is upon us, and it is often difficult to think green beyond the tree – especially when you are surrounded by mounds of wrapping paper.

Envirosax reusable bags deliver green goodness long after the holidays have ended and won't end up as clutter in your cupboards. Envirosax makes marvelous gifts for just about anyone – wives, girlfriends, aunts, cousins, teachers and Secret Santas – with a range of gift ideas to suit any budget. Wrapping tip: Think outside the box. Over the holidays, more than four million tons of gift wrap and shopping bags become waste. As well as being the perfect universal gift, Envirosax bags can also be used as an eco-alternative to wrap presents. New bags from the Fall/Winter 2011 Rosa Collection include nifty travel pouches and organic cotton and hemp bags. To see the entire collection, visit <http://www.envirosax.com>.

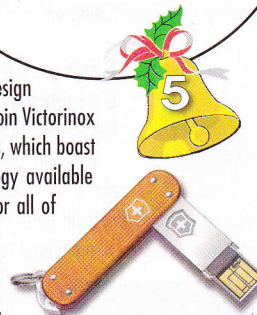


Victorinox Swiss Army Slim & Slim Duo USB

MSRP: \$39.99 and up

Do you have a tech guru on your holiday gift list? Victorinox Swiss Army (VSA), the exclusive marketer of Victorinox USB flash memory devices, recently released Slim and Slim Duo USB drives, featuring iron-clad protection and a range of storage capabilities in a flight-friendly "slim" design and stylish color options. The Slim and Slim Duo lines join Victorinox Swiss Army's current offering of flash memory devices, which boast the most sophisticated USB data encryption technology available and provide consumers with unmatched protection for all of their digital data.

Specific features and benefits of the Victorinox Slim and Victorinox Slim Duo include Iron-Clad Protection with multiple layers of data encryption and password protection. The Slim is available in 4GB, 8GB, 16GB, 32GB and 64GB capacities, while the Slim Duo is available in 128GB. All drives are waterproof and shock-resistant. Slim and Slim Duo USBs are available in an array of stylish colors including silver, blue, orange, pink and green. The Slim and Slim Duo can be purchased at Swiss Knife Shop, Amazon, B&H and Datavision, with pricing starting at \$39.99 (4GB) for the Slim and \$349.99 (128GB) for the Slim Duo. For more information about the Slim line, please visit <http://www.swissarmy.com>.



2XU Compression PWX Fabric Technology

MSRP: \$49 and up

2XU ("Two Times You"), Australia's leading high performance sports apparel brand and Official Compression Supplier to the prestigious Australian Institute of Sports (AIS) and Ironman, has taken another powerful step with its performance Compression collection, unveiling three new product categories engineered from proprietary PWX fabric technology.

To ease the decision making process, three clear product categories are offered: PERFORM, XFORM and REFRESH. 2XU Compression PERFORM gear is designed for active use, XFORM is appropriate for both active and recovery purposes, while REFRESH apparel is ideal for athletes with particularly high performance recovery demands. To learn more, visit <http://www.2XU.com/Stores>.

