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CHRISTMAS

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There's always a good reason to shop local, but this year has proven to be tough for small local businesses due to ming from COVID-19.

This Christmas season is a great time order for pick up. to branch out and buy your loved ones locally crafted goods or support a Mon- holiday gift baskets filled with knick ticello business.

Broadway Street in Monticello is stacked with unique businesses.

Beef O'Brady's has become a staple to its regular scheduled program and of- ness on Broadway is the place to go. fering deals throughout the week.

less wings and \$.99 traditional wings, can be purchased in store. on Thursday it's a fajitas special and \$4 bottles, Saturdays are simple with deals on all of their seasonal drinks at the bar, and on Sundays it's \$3 mimosas, screwdrivers, and bloody Marys.

Beef O'Brady's is currently open for

a stocking stuffer on the Beef O'Brady's

that locals have come to love on Broad-

Owner Noreen Doerr decided to spice up the salon environment with festive arrangements.

linary Delights Farm. Some of the arrangements are for sale and would make great Christmas gifts.

Another local business that has grabbed Monticello's attention is Yours Cornerstone wanted to keep the turkey

& Mine Crafts & Gifts. This little shop is perfect for all things holiday gifts.

Owner Kendra Saylor said they had a lot of Black Friday deals, but they decided to carry those deals on throughout mashed potatoes for just \$9.99. December as well.

decided to keep the deals going," Saylor nerstone Cafe will cater any event and

Chalk Couture, a local vendor that choose the items to be served. Yours & Mine Crafts & Gifts stocks just restocked the shop with all new holiday signs and she's selling them with a 20 They're offering a mix and match deal percent discount until the end of De- where you can choose any two or more cember. Another local vendor Crafts by Julie is selling all of her items with a \$2

clothing items with a deal of buy one cinnamon twists, and a two-liter of Coget one free.

Some of the other local vendors also zas are \$7.99. created holiday gift boxes that people can purchase as a bundle. They'll also line. be selling gift cards in store and online at any denomination.

They're open everyday except for Mondays and all items can be purchased

on their website at any time.

Live Laugh & Bloom Floral is yet another gem on Broadway. They've been known as Monticello's local florist since

This holiday season they're offering shut downs and state regulations stem- costume designed wreaths and Spruce Tip pot kits for \$39.95. You can call and

> Live Laugh & Bloom is also selling knacks to warm up this cold winter. The baskets are filled with mugs, socks, muffin batter, chocolate, and flowers.

If you're looking to give a gift that's a on Broadway. The restaurant is sticking little out of the box then Elevated Well-

Owner and Holistic Practitioner Shi-On Mondays it's \$7.79 burgers and loh Thompson loves what she does and fries and \$4 Long Island teas, on Tues- has deals year round. She's currently ofdays it's their famous taco basket for fering a new Bioscan for 20 percent off, \$7.99, Wednesdays are for \$.89 bone- Immune Boosts for \$45, and gift cards

Elevated Wellness sells organic grassglasses of wine, on Friday you can order fed tallow soap, elderberry syrup, home \$13.99 surf and turf and \$2 Busch Light decor with encouraging messages written on them, organic room spray and disinfectant, probiotics, zinc, and any other supplements needed to get through the winter months.

Thompson also provides massages, foot scrubs, and foot detoxes. Appoint-You can also purchase a gift card as ments can be scheduled on the Elevated Wellness website.

Thompson said that bioscans can be The Hairdresser is a beloved salon pretty expensive, but she's encourage everyone to get one. A bioscan is a test that scans the bodys' organs and functions and shows imperfections or hidden illnesses.

'We just did our Black Friday deals, Salons are still open to the public so but we are continuing our new bioscan head on over to The Hairdresser to see discount," Thompson said. "This is such beautiful floral arrangements from Cu- a good deal at 20 percent off and we'd love more people to try it.

Cornerstone Cafe on Broadway is now offering all menu items for takeout. Thanksgiving is over and done, but deal around.

In the month of December you can order an open faced turkey sandwich on homemade bread with sage and herb dressing, turkey gravy, and garlic

They're also reaching out to locals 'We got such a great response that we who aren't as savvy in the kitchen. Corpeople can sign up on their website and

> Dominos on Broadway is also offering big deals.

menu items for \$5.99 each, a perfect combo deal for \$19.99 that includes two medium one topping pizzas, a 16-piece The shop is also selling all of their Parmesan bread bites, an eight-piece ca-Cola. All carry out three topping piz-

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Elevated Wellness owner Shiloh Thompson gave Lori Jochim a foot scrub while she enjoyed her tea.



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Yours & Mine Crafts & Gifts on Broadway Street is selling festive signs at 20 percent off until the end of December.

