



Just a few quick announcements.

For those of you who missed the last-minute announcement of our **One Day Fall Sale**, we're giving you another chance and some forewarning.

Wednesday, Oct 24th, thru Saturday, Oct. 27th, don't miss the:

We-Don't-Want-To-Pack-It-Up Fall Sale. 50% off all Fall and Halloween décor.

And, although we are all dreading the words... It's time to start thinking about "*Christmas Shopping*". Let us make it easy for you! By now many of you should have seen our beautiful, and unique, **Word Expressions Dishes** (if not, where have you been? just kidding). I've attached pictures, but you can check them out on our website www.itsacrockcountrystore.com in the Kitchen section under Dish Collections.

Whether you have just one piece or the whole set, they will suit any décor, and make a great gift (even to yourself!). As such, we are now taking **pre-orders**. To make sure everyone gets what they want, and so that we still have some left over for all you last minute shoppers (you know who you are), we will be putting in one big order to receive in time for Christmas. So take a look at what's available, either in store or on our site, make out a gift list, check it twice, fill out your own wish list, make a few bargains with your family and friends, and get your orders in by Nov 19th. Just a reminder, we require a minimum 50% deposit on all special orders, though you can always pay the total up front and get that out of the way. Orders may be placed in store **or** on-line before the deadline.

Also, on the subject of "*Christmas Shopping*", don't forget to check out our Gift Ideas section on-line (not to mention the rest of the site) for Gift Certificates and (coming soon) ready-to-give type baskets and bundles.

Finally, as I neglected to mention it before: We will have a Christmas section on-line, HOWEVER, it will be limited. Next year promises to be fuller, as we develop on-line business and get a better sense of needs. Until then, you'll just have to make the trip in to see Christmas in all its Country Crock Glory. And it won't be open until Saturday Nov. 3rd 10am, so don't even ask. I'm not going to spoil any surprises.

See you all Saturday, Nov. 3rd, 10am SHARP!

- Sarah