

# Satt Cat Bags Newsletter

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## Christmas in August

-- Holiday decorations are starting to appear in many stores and with Christmas orders starting to arrive, Satt Cat Bags is also preparing for the holidays. To help clients that might like that early jump, I am planning a fabric shopping junket in August this year. If you have any gifts that you might be pondering for the holidays, now is the time to speak up. The more time that I have to search for that perfect fabric for you, the better the chance of finding it. After all, half the fun of Satt Cat Bags is The Hunt! Of course, any orders after August are also accepted, but early ordering can benefit everyone.

I have been told by some clients that it is hard to conceptualize ideas. Any bag design in any fabric can be a gift for the fall/holiday season, but here is a list of the more popular bags for this upcoming time of the year:



### **Mitten Bags –**

this little bag holds gift cards, money, candy or anything else personal to the recipient. And the more the merrier here especially if they are all in different colors hung across a mantel or from a tree.

### **Treat Bags –**

Any time of the year, but especially at Halloween, these can be small bags for candy favors or personal larger bags for actual Halloween trick-or-treating. Satt Cat Bags also has created a custom bag to hold a local candy store's caramel apple for a very sweet personal treat!



### **Mini Wine Bags –**

these bags are very popular for adult holiday luncheons or dinner parties. Guests then have that unique personal souvenir from your special event. I have even adapted this bag to accommodate a small milk or juice bottle for kids!

### **Santa Favor Bags –**

these bags are versatile and can be used as party favors or as small gift bags. And by hanging them on the tree with that special gift or snack inside, guests love the look and the personalization. Your presentation will shine!



### **Pillowcases –**

especially well-liked with children and can even be made in holiday fabrics! And don't forget their name or personal embroidery on the cuff. These can be made in flannel or cotton.

### **Pint Jar Bags –**

this versatile bag can hold a pint jar filled with your favorite treat, salsa or trail mix OR can stand alone as a candy or favor bag. This is very popular bag for teachers or babysitters.



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## On the Drawing Board

Even with 34 different designs currently in the Satt Cat Bags Design Book, new ideas are always being requested and created. Ideas in a visionary or prototype mode are:

-  Christening/Baby Baptismal Bag or Pillow
-  Bag Pack Bag
-  Paci(fier) Fairy Bag
-  Tooth Fairy Pocket on a Personal Pillowcase
-  Mini Stocking Bag

## Did you Know...

Satt Cat Bags has made:

-  Personalized Corn Hole Game bean bags complete with a personalized bag to hold the 8 beanbags?
-  A bag to hold a 6 pack of beer?
-  A mini cabana bag for a Cabbage Patch Doll?
-  BBQ themed gift bags for bundles of meat?
-  Personalized tooth fairy bags?

## Out and About!

Satt Cat Bags donated a gift certificate to the 11th Annual Bids 4 Kids Dinner and Auction Fundraiser at Rock Prairie Montessori School in Janesville, Wisconsin this past spring.

This is Satt Cat Bags' 4th year to donate souvenir/gift bags for the annual Car Shop Power Trip scheduled this year for September 2014. These bags are different every year depending on the theme of the trip.

AND.....make sure to visit the 29th Annual Quad City Arts Festival of Trees fundraiser to see Satt Cat Bags' ornament donation this coming November 2014.



People have asked me how "that bag thing" is going; and with this inaugural newsletter, you now know the answer! Each project is unique and a pleasure to create; AND each year provides an adventure with new requests and challenging designs.

Life is good and all in the bag! And of course, check out more pictures and information at our website - [www.sattcatbags.com](http://www.sattcatbags.com) or contact me direct at [lms@sattcatbags.com](mailto:lms@sattcatbags.com).

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