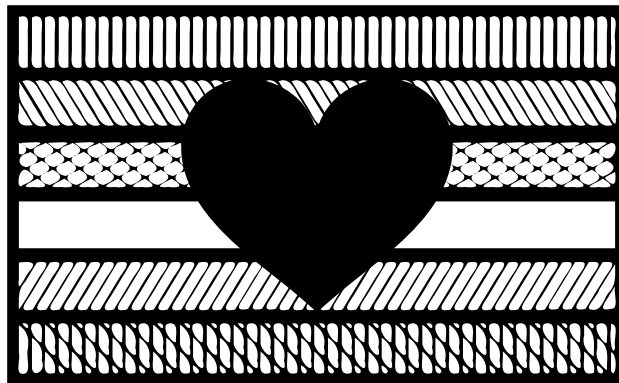


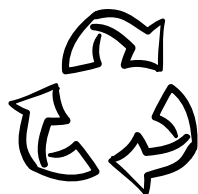
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The Pride Range

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Starts

Recycled with Pride – rainbow candles fundraiser for Stonewall

A unique candle recycling business in Exeter has created a limited edition range of candles to celebrate Pride 2021.

Made from 100% recycled wax, The Recycled Candle Company's eye-catching rainbow striped candles will be available until September. 10% from all sales will be donated to the LGBTQIA+ campaigning charity Stonewall.

Handpicked artists from the LGBTQ+ community have produced illustrations to accompany each candle sold, with a different design for each of the five months of the Pride campaign.

The Recycled Candle Company was founded by Richard Hills-Ingyon and Sargon Latchin in 2014, to fill a gap in the recycling stream. The wax from used candles and tealights is melted down, filtered and hand poured into luxury new candles.

The rainbow candles are unscented and prices start from £22 for a single heart, up to £50 for a three wick candle.

Ends





Notes

The Recycled Candle Company

- Chief candle-maker Richard Hills-Ingyon has been making candles since he was a child. He and Sargon Latchin met in 2014 and the pair developed the business concept
- First shop opened in Ottery St Mary in 2017
- RCC moved to Gandy Street in June 2019
- The concept: RCC collects scrap candle wax from, for example, hospitality businesses and members of the public who drop their old candles into the shop. The wax is melted down, cleaned, dyed, and scented then made into new candles
- The benefits: rather than become a waste material candle wax is kept out of landfill and instead recycled and reused; between 300-400kg of wax is saved every month

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