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Tyson's Corner sets up gift help desk

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Tyson's Corner Center is accommodating last-minute shoppers by clumping gift ideas into one place.

The mall is setting up a "procrastination station" next to Macy's and guest services on the first floor. The management team will be running the station along with D.C. stylist Lauren Rothman.

The station, a new concept for the mall this year, will only be set up Dec. 23. It will showcase popular gifts that are sold in the mall in order to give last-minute shoppers ideas.

The average person had completed less than half (46.7 percent) of their holiday shopping by the second week of December, according to a recent [National Retail Federation](#) survey, which is less than the 47.1 percent finished by the same time last year.

Macy's at the McLean shopping mall and 11 other stores around the country are running around the clock, staying open from 7 a.m. Dec. 21 through 6 p.m. on Dec. 24.

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