

Under \$25 Subscription Clubs For Every Interest

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In 2010, the launch of Birchbox set off the now-billion-dollar subscription box industry, offering subscribers a mystery box of handpicked beauty products. Today there are countless subscription services for everything, from basics like clothing and pets to the more eccentric, like beef jerky or animal bones (yes, bones - and it's included here!). Check out some cool, quirky and useful sub boxes perfect for gifts - or you!

We're sharing these items because we love them, and we hope you do

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For kids

To buy: [Little Passports](#), starting at \$17

For women



COURTESY WALMART

Beauty boxes can cost over \$100 a month with products you can't find anywhere else, which is why I'm so thrilled Walmart got into the subscription box game. Their budget-friendly box contains a selection of seasonal beauty and wellness products sent every three months including at least one full-size item. Sit back and sample what you can buy at your local Walmart!

To buy: [Walmart](#), \$7

For men

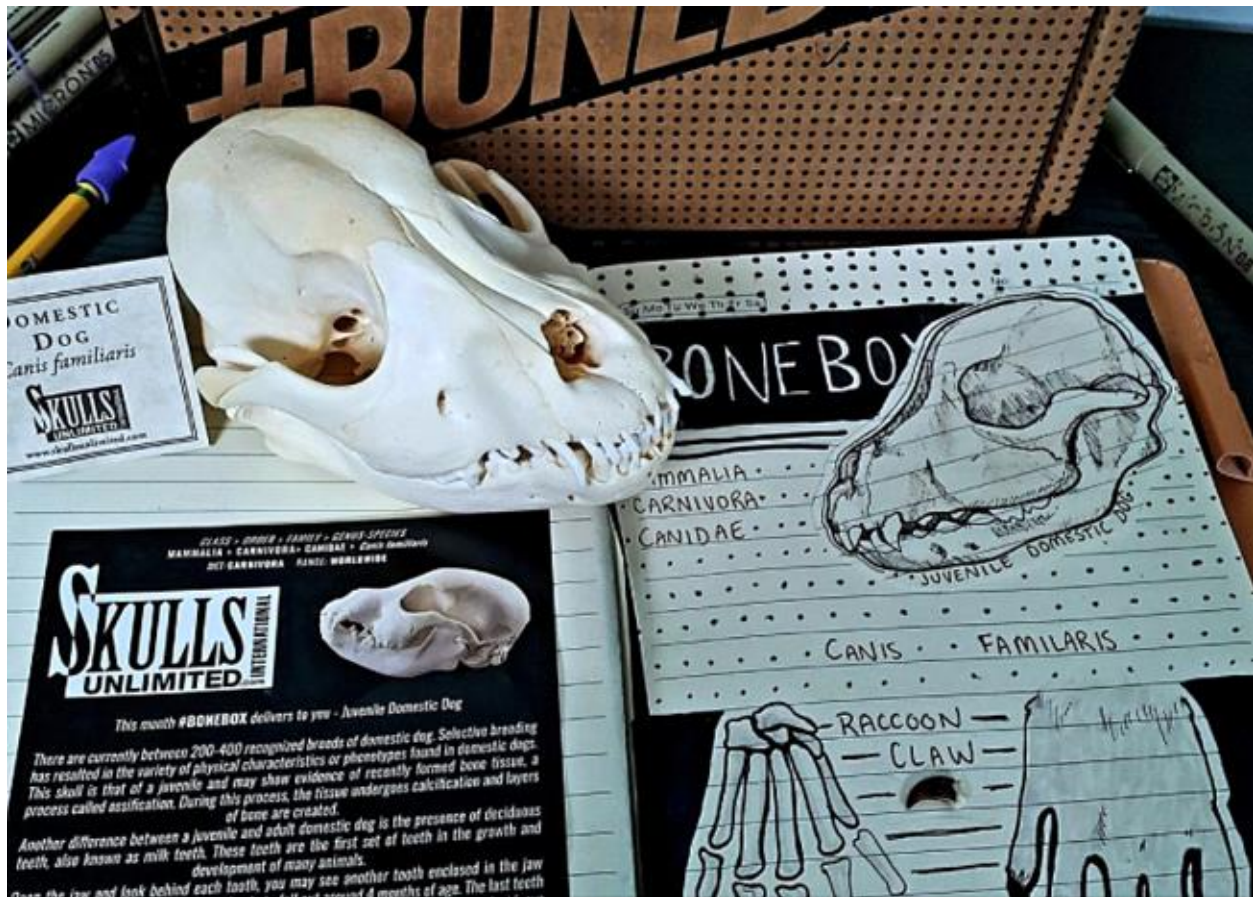


COURTESY TRADE COFFEE

Save that Starbucks money for another day - Trade Coffee is here to brighten your morning with curated craft coffee from sustainable roasters delivered to your door. Support small businesses and ethical sourcing, while getting a fresh surprise every month.

To buy: [Trade Coffee](#), starting at \$12.50

For the macabre (or scientific minded)



COURTESY CRATEJOY

Skulls Unlimited's BoneBox is one of the most unusual subscriptions we've run across. Each month they'll send an animal skull along with another small osteological item, plus information about them. (The bones are ethically sourced.) You'll want to buy a curio cabinet to display your new treasures.

To buy: [Cratejoy](#), starting at \$24.57

For bookworms



COURTESY CRATEJOY

Part of the surprise of reading is finding a new author you like or genre you never expected to get into. Used Books Monthly sends gently used books based on reader preferences, but you never know just what you'll get. No need to return them, either. People rave about the customer service, which is a bonus.

To buy: [Cratejoy](#), starting at \$7.29

For pop-culture fans

COURTESY LOOTCRATE

Know someone who can recite '80s movie quotes off the top of their head and can argue D.C. vs. Marvel with the best of 'em? Loot Crate's mystery box will send them the coolest pop culture gear and collectibles, from T-shirts to exclusive NECA figures.

To buy: [Loot Crate](#), starting at \$24.99

For snackers



COURTESY URTHBOX

No need to run to Whole Foods with the UrthBox, which delivers up to 30 full-size snacks at \$100 value - but even better, it focuses on non-GMO, organic and natural snacks, beverages and more. Choose from 3, 6 or 12 monthly boxes.

To buy: [UrthBox](#), starting at \$19.99

For true-crime lovers

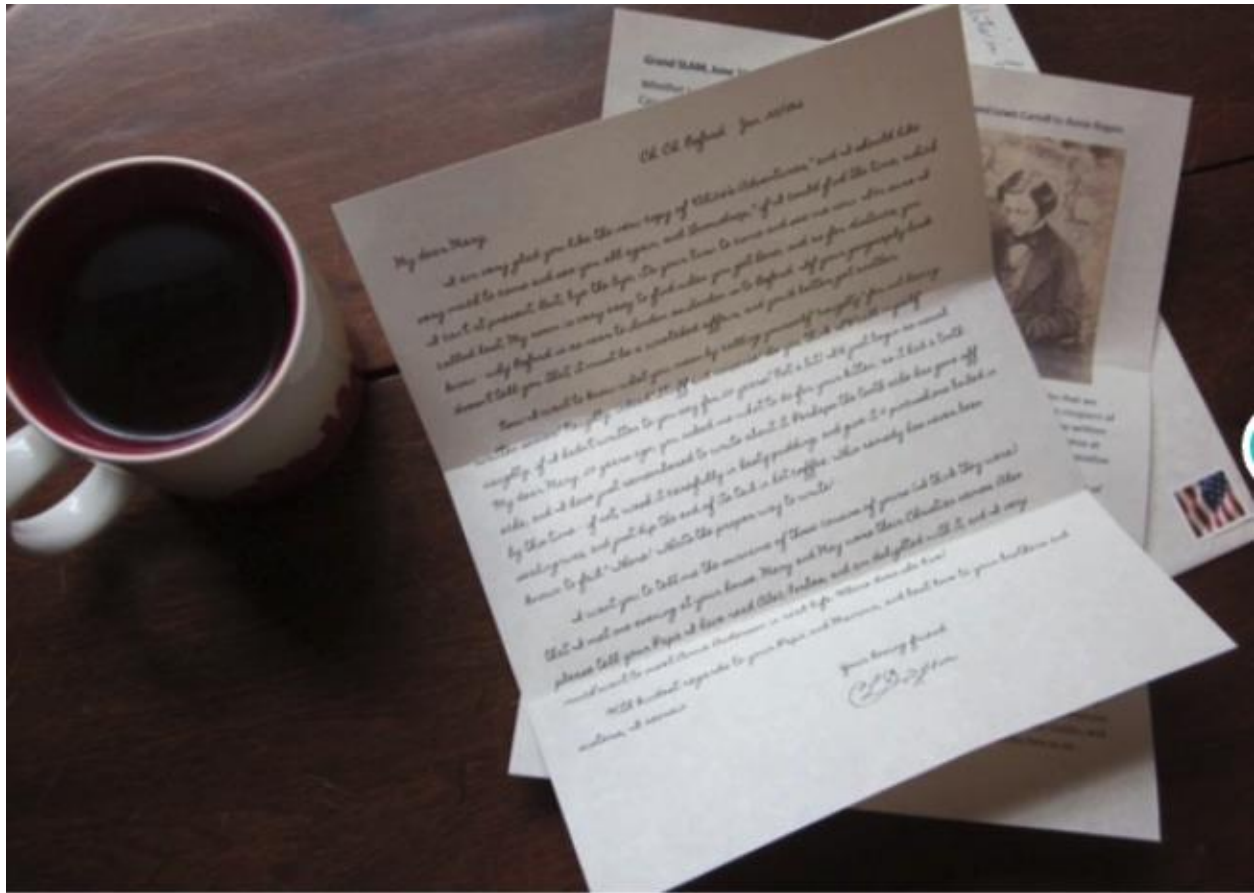


COURTESY HUNT A KILLER

Cheaper than a night out at a murder mystery show or escape room, Hunt a Killer turns you and your friends into detectives starring in your own immersive investigation! Each box contains clues, photos and evidence about your 6-monthly episode case, created by their staff of writers, that gets more intricate every time. Consider it PG-13.

To buy: [Hunt a Killer](#), starting at \$25

For history buffs



COURTESY CRATEJOY

Arts in Letters is like your own personal pen pal - if your pen pal was a famous historic person. Every week (that's 52 weeks per year) you get a different real letter written by someone famous in history, painstakingly re-created with photos and illustrations to give even more insight into their life.

To buy: [Cratejoy](https://www.cratejoy.com/), starting at \$12.50