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Welcome to The Weekly Geek

This is a new e-newsletter from the Information & Instructional Technology Departments at Dakota County Technical College. Each week will have a different technology related topic.

SPECIAL EARLY EDITION: Black Friday & Holiday Deal Shopping Sites

After you have eaten yourself into the traditional turkey coma and sobered up from a day with family, maybe you are one of those crazy people who love the thrill of the bargain that comes from shopping on Black Friday.

The Weekly Geek has pulled together some online sites to help with scouting your attack plan for holiday shopping:



Black Friday Ads has pulled together a multitude of sales flyers and scanned them as well has highlighted some of the best bargains. <http://bfads.net/>



Brad's Deals was started by a college student, looking for ways to save money, and he has gone on to become one of the top online bargain shopping experts. You can sign up for a daily newsletter where you can find out about some great sales or deals available on sites all over the Internet. Or search for coupon codes for online shopping.

(One "Weekly Geek" can attest to finding a Canon printer/scanner/copier usually \$99 dollars and bought and shipped for \$21.99 as well as a Keurig coffee maker usually over \$100 for \$55 by using Brad's Deals.)

Or check out the Brad's Deal version of Black Friday and Cyber Monday sales...



<http://blackfriday.bradsdeals.com/>



<http://www.cybermonday2012.com/>



For other shoppers interested in supporting local and independent business with their holiday shopping, Buy Local Twin Cities has pulled together a gift guide for ideas from shops in the Twin Cities.

<http://www.buylocaltwincities.com/giftguide>