Trinkets & Trash Artifacts of the Tobacco Epidemic

Surveillance Update - August 2021

Trinkets & Trash is a surveillance project and archive that monitors tobacco industry marketing in magazines, direct mail, e-mail, websites, and other channels. Visit us online at trinketsandtrash.org. If you have examples you'd like to share, e-mail us at trinketsandtrash@sph.rutgers.edu. To join our mailing list, click here!

Tobacco Updates

Farm Fresh: Natural American Spirit revealed new designs for their organic packs on the brand website, and advertised the change in an email. The organic label is now more prominent and the imagery of a plant evokes a more nature-y feel. The packs no longer have the phrase "Tobacco & Water" on the front but do indicate the source of tobacco as "U.S. grown."

Rogue nicotine pouches has two new flavors they've been heavily marketing over <u>email</u>, apple and cinnamon, which they describe as "the perfect pair."



Pride in tradition: Lucky Strike continues to

push its 150 years of brand tradition in a <u>magazine ad</u> declaring, "Tale as Bold as Time." The accompanying URL still doesn't seem to access a viable website. *Grizzly*'s tradition, however, is "Not Boring You With Our Tradition" in a <u>20th</u>



Anniversary ad. Copenhagen saluted the American Troops, with charity donations and limited-edition lids advertised in another magazine ad. Finally, Red Seal invited us to celebrate "hometown pride" with a special metal lid they sent us via direct mail.

Marlboro fostered both blue-collar and environmental pride in an <u>email</u> about a new Marlboro Stories feature that centers on a logging family. In both quotes from the loggers and factual tidbits, the focus is on the proliferation of trees in America and re-planting as part of the work.



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