Unusual Corkscrews for Sale

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Here are some corkscrews that will make great conversation pieces for you and your guests.
UN03 Wood moon corkscrew. $24
UN12 A single finger straight pull corkscrew uses the bell as a sheath / stand and is a friction fit. The bottom diameter of the bell is 2.75”. Also has a clapper inside. $75
UN15 Chairing a meeting? Gavel from Henri Maire. Concealed corkscrew. Wine barrel shape head. $35
UN17 Chairing a meeting? Decorated gavel. Concealed corkscrew. Wine barrel shape head. $29
UN20 You’ve seen corkscrews with brushes in the handle but I’ll bet you’ve never seen one with a brush like this! Interesting novelty. $25
UN21 Google Nobleite on Colemanite. You will be surprised at what you find. For example: http://www.bobgriffis.com/specimenCMC3.html . From the Corkscrew Mine in Death Valley, California. $95
In 2000 the ICCA AGM started in Berlin and included a visit to the shop of Manfred Heckmann. The Alka-Seltzer corkscrew was a gift from Manfred (complete with prescription!). $39
UN26 German Registered Design No. 8,616,119 issued to Berendsohn AG, Hamburg, June 14, 1986 (30 years ago!). Also European Patent 0249692 issued March 27, 1987. A plastic bowtie that fits the neck of a wine bottle. Great decoration when gifting a bottle of wine. Corkscrew and cap lifter. $17
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UN28 Boye Needle Company doesn’t say on the packaging is that you could use them as cheese knobs when having a party! $45
UN29 EP0377787 issued September 2, 1989 to Fritz Rueb in Germany. $9
UN30 Does your TV remote control have a corkscrew and bottle opener? If not, how can you live without it. Put batteries in this and flip channels as you uncap and uncork bottles! $24
UN32 The faucet handle corkscrew is Stephan Koziol’s U. S. Patent D291,174 of August 4, 1987. Stephan’s patent references a 1926 patent for a “Design for a Game Jack” by James McDonald of San Francisco, California. The corkscrew handle’s design could be construed as either a faucet or a jack. $18
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UN36 Folk Art Corkscrew. $19
UN39 No, it is not powered but an interesting novelty. $29
UN42 Combination lighter (needs butane) and corkscrew. $24
UN45 Combination lighter (needs butane) and corkscrew. $19
UN46 Trofei Corkscrew by Artistica Visitatori, Italy. $35
UN50 Simply blue. $12
UN52 London souvenir corkscrew. $12
UN56 “Time to Buy Another Corkscrew” from the 2008 CCCC meeting in Chattanooga, Tennessee. Needs battery. $89
UN57 A watch given to members attending the 2000 ICCA meeting in Germany with a reminder to be on time! Needs battery. $125
UN59 Celebrating the New Year. Note how it is designed so 2000 appears on both sides. There is a small plate (taped on in bottom center photo) which is for engraving and application to the space. $39
UN60 Celebrating the New Year. $25
UN61 I don’t have an explanation for this. $59

Geoffrey Kenward wrote to me “UN61 is I suspect a vegetable cutter it makes a continuous ribbon similar but not as user friendly to other veg cutters you have for sale.”
UN64 Sterling butter pick marked as shown. $35
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UN66 Red Cross Cavity Cleaner Cork Pick. $25
UN67 Jezzine Ware bar set. For the Jezzine Ware story see http://www.bullworks.net/virtual/jezzine/jezzine.htm $75
UN68 A corkscrew with an unusual worm. $35
UN69 Japanese drill corkscrew. $3
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UN74 Pipe & opener set. $10
UN75 Pipe & Opener Salt & Pepper Set in original box. $24
UN76 Pipe shaker corkscrew. $6
UN78 At first glance this looks like it should have a can opener. It is a waiter’s friend corkscrew marked D.B.G.M. and MADE IN GERMANY. $45
UN79 John Forster's U. S. Patent No. 1,172,695 for a "Vegetable-Slicer" issued February 22, 1916. John's drawing shows a potato being cut into an ornamental corkscrew like garnishing slice. He wrote "The cutter is illustrated in operation ... the unsliced portion of the potato, the spiral or cork-screw like slice produced by the progressive movement of the improved slicing device."

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UN84 A picnic corkscrew complete with six coasters showing the Chrysler Pentastar emblem. Siegfried Hölterscheit, Huckelhoven, Germany was granted American Design Patent No. D-301,532 for this set, June 13, 1989. The patent title is Combination Coaster Set, Corkscrew and Bottle Opener. $39
UN85 A corkscrew and a bottle opener (with fox head) hang from a horseshoe mounted on a stand. $85
UN86 A corkscrew is inserted into the vertical sheath with horseshow mounted on a stand. $89
UN87 Corkscrew with vertical sheath mounted on a marble stand. A bottle opener probably mounted on the two hooks. $33
UN88 A bar set. The six coasters store inside the plastic bottle. The opener / corkscrew is the neck of the bottle. $39
UN93 An elegant corkscrew in a fitted wood block labeled CARDIAC. $33
UN94 Austrian Gero Artmer tinkered with the idea of using the gas advantage externally in a corkscrew design. His device would allow him to turn the worm into the cork, push a button, and the cork would be automatically extracted. Artmer submitted his patent application to the Austrian Patent Office on October 22, 1971. Patent Number 305,071 was issued May 15, 1972 and officially announced February 12, 1973. Marked WORLD PATENT DESIGN GERO ARTMER and DUPONT’S DELRIN. $125 in the original box.

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UN99 Salt & Pepper Corkscrew/Bottle Opener set on stand. $12