



REALLY USEFUL guide

Alison Cork finds innovative chairs for old and young, listens to good advice on house maintenance and discovers curtains that make a statement

Sleek seating

The Meganet lounge chair, influenced by the Bertola wire chairs, was introduced at this year's Milan Furniture Fair.

Its sleek and comfortable lines come with interchangeable chair pads in various colours to match your décor.

Postmodern Designs is giving away three Meganet chairs (£289) to Homes & Property readers.

To enter the draw, email your name and daytime telephone number to info@postmodern designs.co.uk, to arrive by 6 September, on which date the winners will be contacted. If you do not want to be put on any mailing lists, write "NO" after your details.

Call Postmodern Designs on 020 7404 0100, or visit www.postmodern designs.co.uk.

Brighten your doors

Door curtains may be practical but they aren't always stylish, which is why I was quite taken with these bamboo versions from Coopers of

Wire world: three smart Meganet lounge chairs (£289) are being given away to readers



Storford. The natural bamboo curtains give privacy throughout the summer but allow the air to circulate and keep out flies. They come in five hand-painted designs: Poppy, Sunflower, Tuscany, Provence and Tropical.

Tots sitting comfortably

Taking children out and about requires organisation, and Totseat, a washable, squashy-fabric highchair, can help to make things easier.

The seat, which is suitable for children aged eight months to two years, can be stuffed into a pocket or nappy bag and fits most dining chairs, so is perfect for when you visit friends or a restaurant.

You can buy the Totseat via www.totseat.com (where you can also see it working in animation), John Lewis or Mothercare. It costs £22.

For more information, call Totseat on 0870 242 5588.

Elegant lounging

Funky Jellyfish chairs can be used inside or out. As well as being tough enough to take the knocks, and waterproof with it, these über-chic resin chairs from Furniture Fusion come in red, black and white and cost £235 each.

For more information, call 01908 598334, or visit www.furniturefusion.co.uk.



Safety first: for toddlers on the go the Totseat (£22) is ideal. From John Lewis, Mothercare and Totseat

DISCOUNT OF THE WEEK



Style: readers can buy the Roma sofa for the special price of £310

Relax with Danish delight

REGARDED by many as London's leading specialist furniture supplier, David Phillips has been working with property investors and owners for more than eight years.

No job is too small — David Phillips can deliver an iron or ironing board — and it offers a full range of furniture and appliances, in fact, everything you might need to equip a property. The company also guarantees next-day delivery without charge to any Greater London address.

Part of the reason for David Phillips's success has been offering customers great prices by buying direct from the manufacturer, and that is exactly what it has done with its new Danish-made Roma sofa.

It normally costs £340 (plus VAT) for a two-seater version, but David Phillips is offering the Roma to Homes & Property readers for just £310 plus VAT, a discount of 10 per cent, for the next two weeks only.

Call David Phillips on 0845 108 8088, or visit www.davidphillips.co.uk.

WIN a £1,000 shopping spree

For cutting-edge bathroom design that is not fiber expensive, Colourwash Bathrooms has carved out a niche in the market. The understated and opulent can be found side-by-side at Colourwash's seven showrooms across the capital, and you can take advantage of its free design consultancy service.

Colourwash is offering Homes & Property readers the chance to win a shopping spree

Let the air move

Three funky Elmar Flötotto Table Flower-power fans from Postmodern Designs, worth £200 each, are being given away to Homes & Property readers.

To enter the draw, email your contact details to info@postmoderndesigns.co.uk by 8 September. Winners will be contacted via email on the same day. If you do not

Bone up on fine china

Artist Holly Lasseter hand-paints fine bone china and wall tiles, and previous commissions include an underwater scene on bathroom tiles and an exotic seashell dinner service.

All the china is dishwasher safe and prices start at £8.

Exclusively for readers, Lasseter is offering 10 per cent off commissions before the end of September.

For more information, call 01305 815784, or visit www.hollylasseterdesigns.co.uk.



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WIN £200 worth of Crown and Sandtex paints

If your home is in need of a makeover, give it a new look inside and out with this

