



ONE TO WATCH

Furnishingtouch.com is a new website that aims to make the business of creating bespoke curtains and blinds easier. A step-by-step guide shows you how to measure up and then gives a fabric quantity. Send in your own fabric or provide details of one from a leading brand to be ordered for you. A pair of lined curtains for a 110cm wide window costs from around £90; £94 for a 100cm sq lined blind including wooden batten and fittings (prices exclude main fabric).

QUALITY PAPER

We love the delicate tones and patterns of Penny Morrison Interiors' first wallpaper collection, Tulkan, inspired by an existing fabric. It is 139cm wide and costs £53.70m. Contact 01547 560460, pennymorrison.com.



PRINT PREVIEW

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Thursday Press offers art prints with a difference. All are created on a cast-iron Albion press using vintage woodblocks or letterpress type, traditional ink and recycled paper. The bespoke service is ideal for wedding gifts. From £28 (excluding frame); £58 (bespoke). Contact 07834 730631, thursdaypress.co.uk.

STYLE SOLUTION *Colour in the bathroom*



Kaiku Green shower curtain, £37, Marimekko at John Lewis, 08456 049049, johnlewis.com.



Isola Bella bath mat, £34, Anthropologie, 020 7529 9800, anthropologie.com.



Beta towels, from £9.90 for a face towel, Zara Home, 020 7432 0040, zarahome.com.

Artistic flair

Featuring a summery brushstroke of colour, these pieces in Turquoise are part of The Conran Shop's extended Organic range of handmade china. The bowl and side plate cost £11.95 each and the dinner plate £19.95. Contact 0844 848 4000, conranshop.co.uk.

SHOP TALK

Take the decorative trail this summer with a spot of serious shopping in the Cotswolds. The idea is the brainchild of Stephen Lewis, MD of Lewis & Wood (Wisdom fabric collection, below), who thought it might be fun for people to visit the rich mix of interiors and furniture workshops and showrooms in the five-mile triangle of the Stroud Valleys. Download the map at strouddecorativetrail.co.uk, which points the way to the area's best shops and also to good places for a leisurely lunch.



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