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MULTI-USE SANCTUARY

Use clever storage to create a space that works for all the family's needs.

FALL FOR A NEW SEASON

Expert tips on transforming your home into a cosy space for the colder autumn months.

A SPACE FOR MUDDY BOOTS

Keep the season's outerwear at bay with a beautifully organised boot room.



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The autumn edition



FOREWORD

Welcome to Moments



Autumn is the season for cosy nights in, at-home entertaining and wrapping up for days out with your

nearest and dearest. We're embracing all things autumn in this issue, with hearty home recipes and a host of ideas for seasonal socialising.

As the days get drizzlier and we feel more inclined to stay indoors, it's even more important to create a haven and focus on your wellbeing. Whether it's a fresh lick of paint, an autumnal dose of blankets and scented candles, or reorganising your space into a calm sanctuary, beautiful, clever storage is a brilliant place to start. Hide away the family's muddy boots or create an idyllic reading nook for those rainy days in - whatever your lifestyle, Hammonds can help bring calm and order to your home, for an autumn of cosy, better living.

Josh

Josh Hammonds, Editor

5 products to help you live sustainably

Whether you have a zero waste kitchen or want to limit your plastics, sustainable living is something we should all strive for.

HERE'S OUR PICK OF THE BEST NEW SUSTAINABLE BUYS FOR YOU AND YOUR HOME...



1 Charal storage jars from £35

Reusable glass storage is a great way to keep food fresh and limit waste. Fill these ethically handmade jars with nuts, grains and flours from your local wholefoods store for a plastic-free pantry. www.nkuku.co.uk



2 Midz bamboo dish set £8

The perfect addition to a zero waste kitchen, these biodegradable, compostable and recyclable dish and pot brushes are made with natural bamboo and sisal. Ideal for washing dishes and scrubbing your homegrown veggies. www.midzplasticfree.uk



3 Sustainable home book £18

From growing your own food to organic household cleaning, Christine Liu gives us tips and advice on living sustainably. www.waterstones.com



4 Eco laundry care from £5
Elevate your everyday laundry routine with no-nasty fashion care. Keeping the planet clean as well as your clothes. www.thelabco.com



5 Big waffle washcloth £9.22
Opting for reusable products is one of the best ways to transform your home into an eco-friendly household. These large reusable washcloths have a beautiful waffle aesthetic and are super practical in the kitchen. www.theorganiccompanydk.com

Fall for a new season

Autumn trends embrace rich colour, cosy texture and seasonal foliage to take us into the cooler months.

INTERIOR STYLIST MELISSA DENHAM SHARES HOW TO GET THE LOOK



MELISSA DENHAM
Hammonds Stylist

The crisp air and golden light of autumn create a shift in our home style. After the light layers of summer, suddenly we want a throw to pull around us on the sofa, a quilt across our bed, and rich tones that reflect the colours of the trees outside. We asked stylist Melissa Denham for her tips on the new interiors trends arriving this season, plus easy ways to bring the autumn look inside.

What colours and textures are trending this autumn?

“As we enter the last stretch of summer, it’s time to cocoon ourselves and hunker down in comfort. We’re



seeing a dark and moody colour palette brought to life by lots of texture, raw materials and wood finishes.

Colour trends to embrace are forest green, burnt terracotta, dusky pink and navy blue. But the biggest shade to make a comeback is chocolate brown. This is a really versatile colour that pairs beautifully with earthy tones, but it also looks incredible with neutrals such as stone and rich creams. Materials will be cosy – bouclé isn’t going anywhere, and velvet will continue to be a favourite textile in winter months.”

Can you share some easy, expert tricks to update a room for the season?

“Buying some inexpensive cushions in the new season’s colours is a great update. If you then bring in some faux flowers in the same colour palette and place them in another part of the room, it will help tie the new colour into your existing scheme. The idea is that any new additions feel considered and blend with your existing decor.”

Will the tablescaping trend continue into autumn and winter?

“Absolutely! Tablescaping – basically the art of decorating your dining table – is a great way to embrace seasonal trends. There is ample opportunity to dress for different looks. For example, around Halloween you could use pumpkins as centrepieces. Pumpkins and squash are available in incredible colours and sizes, and can be used

throughout your home, from your front doorstep to your dining table, which creates a nice theme throughout.

“Using foliage from outside is also a great way of dressing the table. Use fallen stems or twigs to add to your place settings, simply wrapping the foliage with the napkin and cutlery, then tying it in place with twine.”



How can we cosy-up our homes to transition into the colder months?

“Layer, layer, layer! This is the easiest way to feel we are cocooning ourselves in our bedrooms or living rooms. Get out the throws that have been stored away in summer, and keep them on the arms of your sofa or on the back of chairs to create a relaxed feel. As the nights draw in, set the scene by having lots of tealights or battery operated candles and embrace the cosiness.” ■

Self-care checklist

With daylight dwindling and the colder nights looming, it's the most important time of year to focus on your wellbeing.

With a lack of energised summer socialising and a decrease in natural vitamin D, it's easy to find yourself in a seasonal slump! Whether you only have 10 minutes to spare, or want to invest more time into your wellbeing, read through our checklist to find the perfect task to add a little self-care to your schedule.



Unplug and unwind

In the modern age of social media, reality TV and endless streaming content, it's very rare that we aren't consuming digital content every day. Dedicating yourself to a digital-detox day will help you to reset, recharge and truly focus on yourself.

Revisit an old favourite

A touch of nostalgia is the perfect way to bring a little joy to your day; an old book, your favourite movie or a playlist from the good old days... Wheel out the old classics for a cosy night in.

Food for the soul

Comfort food is what autumn is all about – whether it's something you cook at home or your favourite dish from a local restaurant. Invigorate your tastebuds and make time to eat something you really love.

Morning journalling

Set yourself up for a positive day with a simple five minute task. Starting each morning by journalling is a great way to think about things that bring you joy, let go of stresses and create a fresh mindset ready for the day ahead.

Rest and recharge

The most important of all - rest! It's easy for daily life, chores and endless to-dos to take over, but rest is really important for both mind and body. Have a guilt-free lie in, an early night, a movie day... Whatever it takes for you to let yourself recharge.



Out with the old

It's time for the seasonal wardrobe swap! We've created a guide to make the overhaul a stress-free task.

Whether you're short on wardrobe space or simply like to keep things organised, a seasonal wardrobe swap is the perfect way to keep track of the clothes you have and keep on top of the clutter.

Swapping over your summer and winter wardrobe is the ideal time for a declutter as you can assess each piece and decide its fate – keep, sell or donate? Think, does it fit? Would I buy it now? Do I feel comfortable and confident in it? If the answers are no it's unlikely you'll wear it through the season, so why not free up the space for the things you really love?

Take it all out

Start by removing everything from your wardrobe; clothes, shoes, accessories. Take it all out and organise into categories so it's easier to sort through later. Removing everything from the previous season will allow you to rethink the space you have, rearrange your wardrobe inners if possible and really think about any extra storage or organisers you may need moving forward.

Clean your storage

It's easy to neglect the inside of your wardrobes when doing your household cleaning, but lint, dust and fluff can build up and create an unclean environment for your clothes. The seasonal changeover is the ideal time to do a thorough clean and ensure your clothes are stored in a fresh space.



Wash, spritz and steam

Make sure all past-season clothing is washed before it goes into storage; you'll thank yourself later. Doing the big swap is enough work without having to wash your entire wardrobe before you can wear it! When you're getting the next season out of storage, you may only need to wash the odd thing; most items will be okay with a quick spritz and steam before making their way to the wardrobe!

Fix and prep

Before you put last season's garments into storage, check if there are any fix-ups needed. Secure any loose buttons, sew up the split seams, and give everything a once-over to make sure it will all be in the ideal condition when it resurfaces next year. Overall, this little routine check-up will ensure your clothes last much longer and always look pristine.

Organise by type/colour

It's time to put the new season's wardrobe back together. Create an organised space that will be easy to navigate in the coming months, arranging your pieces logically by colour, type and style. Order your clothes from darks to lights, keep your most-worn shoes in an easy-to-reach place and organise accessories in sectioned inner storage for a clear and clutter-free wardrobe. ■

TIPS FOR KEEPING THE PERFECT WARDROBE YEAR-ROUND

Keep an 'always' section

Think about outfit options and consider pieces in your wardrobe that can work through all seasons. Things like tank tops are great staples in the summer months, but also work for layering under shirts and jumpers in the winter for an extra layer of warmth, whilst lots of spring dresses look great layered with jumpers and boots for a cosy autumnal outfit.

Linen spray

Keeping a linen spray handy is the perfect way to ensure your clothes are always fresh and ready to go. Choose a scent you love and give your wardrobe a spritz every other week for beautifully smelling clothes throughout the season.

The hanger trick

We've all fallen foul of the 'I'll wear it one day' thinking that stops you getting rid of clothes you haven't worn for years. A great trick to make sure you're only making space for the pieces you'll definitely wear is to face all of your hangers the wrong way at the beginning of the season, and place them back in the correct way once you've worn them. When the season comes to an end, you'll be able to clearly see all the pieces you wore, and remove any that didn't make the cut. Donate or sell the pieces that you didn't reach for and make space for new pieces that you'll reach for weekly.

Real Homes

We love to see your beautiful Hammonds homes! Here are just a few of our favourite images from customers who have tagged us on social media recently.

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Make a statement

This dressing room in the home of @thegrayhouse is the epitome of sophistication. They chose the Radley range in White with full mirrored doors to create this striking space.

@thegrayhouse



@the_house_where_pudding_lives



Warm neutrals

A minimal décor scheme doesn't have to mean white walls and furniture. Using warm off-whites and soft neutral shades will transform your space into a stylish haven.

@the_house_where_pudding_lives chose the Harpsden range in Rich Praline for their bedroom to create a calming, serene feel. @billiesbarn_no6 chose to use layers of warm neutrals to create a tonal scheme featuring the Harpsden range in Ivory.



@billiesbarn_no6





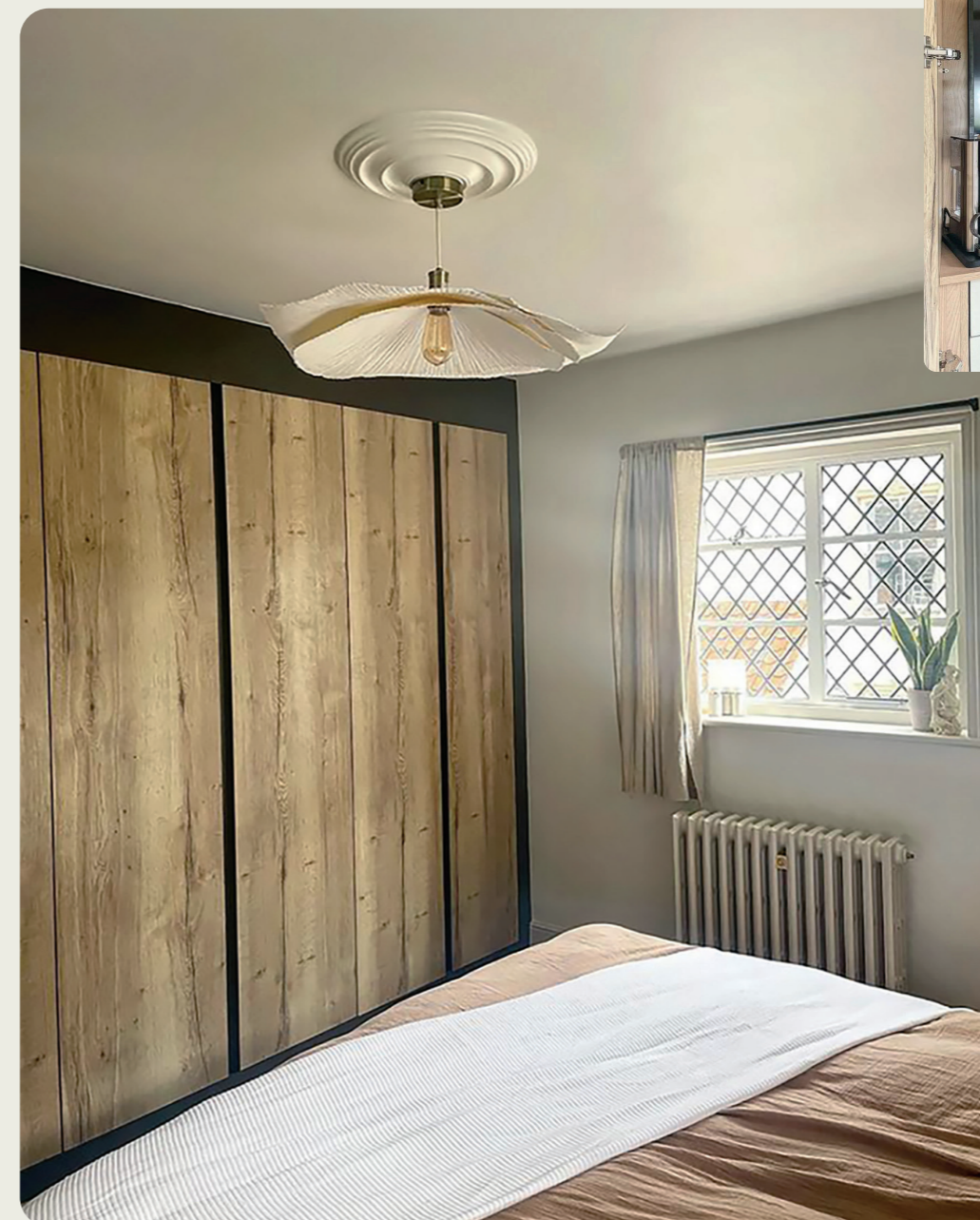
@the_folly_four



Dress to impress

We love how light and bright this space is. @the_folly_four chose Hatton in White for this stylish dressing room that looks like the perfect spot to get ready for the day.

@athomewiththesays



It's in the details

The Linje range is for fans of contemporary design. Sleek lines create Scandinavian-inspired tranquility, no matter where you are in the world. @athomewiththesays chose Tuscan Oak with Black, complete with coffee station!

Cosy up your space

Richer colours, warmer layers and plenty of autumnal fragrance - now's the time to cosy up your home ready for autumn.



As the seasons cross over and we start to spend more time indoors, we begin to crave the cosiness of home. The encompassing feeling of warmth as you're wrapped up under a blanket, watching a nostalgic movie whilst the rain patters on your window.

Whilst it's important that we feel house proud for ourselves, in the colder months we tend to play host a lot more; striving for a home worthy of entertaining.

Wanting our homes to feel inviting to our loved ones, a last-minute

tidy-up is often on the cards. Clever, tailored storage is the ideal way to create a calming space year round - an organised understairs coat closet or fitted living space makes the season's hosting and unexpected visitors a stress-free affair.

Whilst a clutter-free space is the top priority, it's also the perfect time to introduce new décor for a warm and welcoming space.

Here are our five tips for creating a home that will feel cosy throughout the season. ■

FIVE TIPS FOR A COSY AUTUMNAL HOME

Warm hues

Instantly create warmth with a fresh lick of paint; think rich terracottas or a warm-toned neutral for darker spaces.

Add texture

Layers of linens, throws and cushions will create depth in your space. Add in earthy texture with raw wood and woven baskets for an extra cosy feel.

Beautiful fragrance

Fill your home with luxurious, warm scent using candles and diffusers, to bring a peaceful and cosy feeling to even light and bright spaces.

Seasonal foliage

Swap out the summer bouquets for seasonal foliage or dried florals. The warm tones and dried texture will create a homely, autumnal look.

Mood lighting

Swap the bright ceiling lights for warm hued lamps to make your home feel extra cosy and inviting this autumn.



Dressing room of dreams

A UNIQUE SPACE GETS A SHOWSTOPPING HAMMONDS MAKEOVER



“We are delighted with the finished product. It is beyond our expectations”

KEITH
Homeowner



Doesn't everyone dream of having a calm and spacious dressing room, a space to take a few minutes to yourself every morning, peacefully getting ready for the day ahead?

Keith and Carol, the owners of this beautiful Glasgow home, have spent the past few years renovating room by room - and their latest transformation is a masterpiece!

Starting out as a completely blank canvas, the space was the perfect spot for a dressing room. Miriam Byrne, the designer of the project, says “Keith and Carol were very keen to create wow factor, but this area had to have as much storage as possible. We worked together to get the best use of the

interior space, even measuring and counting the number of shirts, shoes and long dresses that needed to be stored.”

Connecting the main bedroom and en suite, the new dressing room is in a prime location and had to be a showstopper. Opting for our painted Harpsden range in White the new furniture perfectly complements the homeowners' style and the building's features, creating a seamless flow from the bedroom. Floor-to-ceiling wardrobes optimise storage space whilst enhancing the ornate coving, a central island offers heaps of drawer space and a built-in seat gives the perfect place to take a relaxing moment.

The real Narnia-style magic is revealed with a secret passage built into the furniture – doors central to the wardrobe open to reveal a stunning bathroom set behind them. Miriam explains, “we used our walk-through wardrobe to allow the very clever access to the en-suite. This was a tricky one, however with the expertise of my surveyor, we got the fit just right.”

Another tick off the list in their home renovation, this unique Hammonds dressing room has transformed Keith and Carol's space, making it work better for their everyday lives. The couple are thrilled with the new addition to their beautiful home, saying “the dressing room is immaculate and we are delighted with it!” ■

At home with Lucy Davis

Fitness influencer Lucy Davis' wardrobe transformation has given her the perfect organisation for her busy and active lifestyle.



“The organisation and design of the whole room is simply stunning!”



Lucy worked with our designers to create a dedicated space in her new home to store her gym gear. She chose Langton in White to transform her spare room from chaotic dumping ground to stylish dressing room.

Why did you choose Hammonds?
 “I personally haven’t come across a company that works so well in terms of customer experience and overall design. Hammonds wardrobes always stuck out to me due to the number of styles and fits to choose from, plus the colour palette!”

What was your space like before your room transformation?
 “The space was just an empty room, with boxes taking over my life! I had always known I wanted a walk-in wardrobe, somewhere to store everything neat and organised, and I was so so happy throughout the transformation process, from design to finish!”

How would you describe your interior style?
 “My interior style is modern yet classic. I love clean, fresh, white/ivory spaces, and this is the theme for my whole house, hence why I tied it into my Hammonds wardrobes with the offwhite, silver and light oak - absolutely beautiful!”



Why is organisation important to you?
 “As a young business owner of three businesses, I have to keep on top of everything and organisation is the key to this, 100%. As part of one of my businesses I work with Gymshark, so I have a dedicated (colour coordinated) gym section and it has been fantastic for shooting all my content.”

What is the best thing about your new dressing room?
 “The organisation and design of the whole room is simply stunning! I have realised I have clothes that I didn’t even know I had as they were all just shoved away before! It’s also a place for me where I can film content for my businesses, and then relax and unwind!”

A tidy space for muddy boots

The colder months mean cosier layers and weatherproof footwear; a boot room is the perfect space to organise the seasonal excess of outerwear.

Whether you have a sprawling entrance space, or a hallway overflowing with boots and coats in desperate need of organisation, clever storage is the solution.

Autumnal walks in the rain or weekend hikes through the countryside can bring trails of muddy footprints and dripping clothes through the house. But with more time spent inside, your home should feel clean, organised and cosy as much as possible.

A boot room isn't just storage, it keeps the rest of the house clutter free and makes getting in and out of the house stress-free. It's the perfect space for housing all the potentially dirty things you don't want in your wardrobe! Not just for humans, a boot room is also

the perfect place to keep dog leads, toys and even beds if you have space!

The perfect spot is close to your home's entrance, to avoid those muddy trails! Whilst we don't all have an entire ground floor room to dedicate to our outerwear, a utility room or even a wasted understairs space is ideal for a fitted furniture transformation.

Think of planning a boot room as you would a dressing room or wardrobe; think about everything that will be going into the storage. Categorise your items and consider the space needed to accommodate them; shoes, coats, bags, hats and scarves (now is the perfect time for a declutter too).

It's easy to become overwhelmed with the best storage options for your space as life quickly changes and homes need to adapt. But with our adjustable internal storage options, your fitted furniture can grow with you as your life and storage needs change.

Now comes the fun bit, choosing the perfect style and colour to fit with your home. Whether you opt for sleek and contemporary Linje (pictured in Fjord) or traditional and timeless Hatton, our fitted living is available in an option to suit every interior style.

Remember, a boot room is likely to be one of the first things you see when you enter your home, so it should feel inviting and look beautiful... even if it is home to muddy boots! ■



Spotlight on Sheffield

New Sheffield showroom now open

107 MEADOWHALL ROAD | SHEFFIELD



“Customers can’t help but be inspired when stepping into the store”

JEANNE GELDER
Store Manager



Summer saw the opening of the latest Hammonds showroom in the bustling City of Sheffield. Located just minutes from Meadowhall Shopping Centre, the new 3,500sq.ft. store can be found on Meadowhall Road, showcasing a huge selection of bedroom, home office and fitted living styles.

“Customers can’t help but be inspired when stepping into the store,” says Jeanne Gelder, Store Manager. “Our team have achieved the ‘wow’ factor that sees the customers jaws drop the moment they step through the door. I

am so proud of the variety and quality of the products we have on display. Our designers have done a brilliant job of presenting everything in such a way as to help customers easily visualise the items in their own homes.”

There is inspiration for everyone, with bedrooms, home office and fitted living styled for a variety of aesthetics; from Scandi-style, to luxe and classic. There are also three new concepts of office space styling on show, including a new understairs storage design which highlights the ability to create a functional, yet stylish workspace with

whatever space you have available. Your imagination can run wild as you tour boot rooms that can easily be built into alcoves or hallways to store all your shoes, bags and coats. Or dream of relaxing and unwinding as you explore the snug - the perfect spot to put your feet up with your favourite book.

With classic fitted living furniture gaining popularity, the store also features two lounges in the hugely popular Linje range, styled in different ways to show how the huge offering of colour and finish can create ▶



something truly unique. One is uber luxe and minimalist, with statement lighting, bold upholstered seating and occasional furniture. The other highlights the difference a painted finish can achieve, showcasing a media wall, sideboard and dresser in a more cosy atmosphere.

Being able to view the array of furniture in store and browse the colour options available, gives customers the confidence that they are choosing something that they will love for years to come. The ability to touch the products and explore the interiors ensures they know they are investing in premium quality products.

“We know these products inside out and know every choice of colour, paint finish and ironmongery,” says Jeanne. “We can help with room sizes and product dimensions to ensure your furniture fits your space perfectly - that’s why it’s so great to be able to visit our new showroom and benefit from personal service.”

With bedrooms, living spaces and home offices in a wide range of finishes on show at the new store, pop in to see how beautiful fitted storage could transform your home.

Open seven days a week, with free parking available on site. Visit the new Hammonds store and discover your dream storage. ■



A space for every need

Love reading, yoga or craft? Design a room that embraces your passion and suits family life with our guide to creating a multipurpose sanctuary at home.

Modern life needs a multifunctional home, with spaces designed for the needs of all the family – even the pets! Hallways have adapted to contain a home office under the stairs, boot rooms contain pet beds and doggy showers, living areas have become a playroom, movie lounge and entertainment space in one.

But sometimes we need a little peace amid the busy-ness of everyday life. We want to pack away the clutter, find some inner calm and pause for a few moments to do something just for the joy of it – reading a story to our little ones, pulling out the yoga mat and doing some stretches, writing a journal, or trying our hand at a craft.

“Good storage is key when you want to switch off and relax. After all, it’s difficult to get lost in a book if you

can see laundry waiting to be ironed, or toys scattered across the floor. When you clear away the visual clutter, it allows you to focus more in the moment. It gives you a pocket of time that’s just for you, to enjoy any way you like. Then when it’s done, you can consciously pack away whatever you’ve been doing and move on,” explains Sara Bird, interior stylist and author of *Home for the Soul* and *Gardens for the Soul* (both Ryland Peters & Small).

A dedicated place

“Most of us need our rooms to multitask in some way – my home office has a desk and computer for my work, but also has bookshelves and a comfortable chair for reading in, plus space to put down my exercise mat when I want to do an online workout,” says Andréa Childs, Editor of *Country*

Homes & Interiors magazine. “What’s key is making sure no other clutter enters this space, and that each of its functions is clearly zoned so I can switch quickly out of work mode and into fitness or relaxation time.”

“Decide what your space will be used for, then make sure you have everything you need neatly stored and ready for when you want to use it. That might simply be a chair in your bedroom for reading, with a side table for your book and a drink. Or you might have a sofa and blackout blinds in your home office so you can turn it into a movie room and watch films on your laptop.”

Creative corner

If crafting or making is your passion, any room can become a studio or workshop with a little creative planning. “You need a work surface where you can lay out your tools and materials, but that can easily be a dining or dressing table, or a desk. You need to be able to clear it quickly, so keep a drawer free to move things like paperwork into. Then have your creative kit ready in a basket to pull out and start crafting,” Andréa says.

Know your mindset

Some of us can’t concentrate if there are distractions around us; others need a visual prompt to remind us to take a self-care moment. “That’s when your storage options really make



“Good storage is key when you want to switch off and relax”

SARA BIRD
Interior Stylist and Author



a difference,” says Andréa. “Open shelves and cubbies are ideal if seeing your manicure kit or record collection will entice you to pause for a while. If you’re the sort of person who needs a clear space in order to focus, then

having closed door storage is better. Within that, have clearly defined areas for everything you want to tuck out of sight. You’ll ruin your sense of calm if you open a cupboard and see chaos!” ■

RECIPE
It's All About Dinner

Deep dish apple pie

This apple pie is filled with lots of layers of apple and warming winter spices. The mixture of two different apple varieties ensures a sweet and tangy flavour and there is just enough sauce to make it saucy, without that dreaded soggy bottom.

Serves 8-10 Preparation 40 minutes
Cooking 1 hour 

Ingredients

Ready rolled shortcrust pastry 3 x 320g packs

Bramley cooking apples 5 large

Sweet eating apples 3 (Jazz or Pink Lady)

Lemon juice 2 tbsp

Plain flour 3 tbsp

Cornflour 1 tbsp

Ground cinnamon 1 tsp

Ground ginger ¼ tsp

Ground cloves pinch

Light brown sugar 150g

Vanilla extract 1 tsp

Egg 1 small, lightly whisked

Coarse brown sugar 1 tbsp, to top

Tip for the perfect apples

Don't forget to add the lemon juice, as this will stop your apples from going brown. Try to keep your apple slices the same size and remember to pack them in and pile them high!

Method

Preheat the oven to 190C/375F/ gas mark 6. Unroll two of the pastry sheets and use them to line a deep pie dish. You should have some left over. Save this for the top of pie. Place the pastry-lined dish in the refrigerator to chill while you prepare the filling.

Peel and core the apples, then slice into 5mm thick slices. Place the apple slices in a large bowl and toss with the lemon juice to prevent browning. Add the flour, cornflour, cinnamon, ginger and cloves and toss together to coat the apples. Stir in the sugar and vanilla extract.

Arrange the apple mixture into the pie dish. Try to arrange carefully, rather than just emptying them in the pie dish – you want to pack the apple slices, rather than have gaps. Use a sharp knife to trim any pastry that may be hanging over the edge of the dish. Brush the edge of the pie with the egg wash. Unroll the third roll of pastry and slice into long strips, about 2cm wide. Slice the leftovers from the second roll too.

To make the lattice, arrange strips vertically over the pie, leaving a 5mm gap in between each strip. Fold back every other strip that you've just laid and place a horizontal strip across the top of the pie. Lay the strips you folded back into place, so it looks like



you've weaved it together. Repeat, folding back the strips that weren't folded back previously. Layer another horizontal strip on top, leaving a 5mm gap between that strip and the previous strip. Place the folded pastry back into place. Continue this way, weaving until the whole pie is covered. Trim off any overhang and brush all exposed pastry with egg wash. Sprinkle the coarse sugar over the top of the pie.

Place in the oven to bake for 55-60 minutes, until the pastry turns deep

golden brown. If the pie starts to look too brown after the first 30 minutes, cover with foil. If covering, cook for the full 60 minutes. Remove from the oven and cool for 15 minutes before slicing. Serve with ice cream.



Kitchen
Sanctuary:
It's All About
Dinner by Nicky
Corbishley

Image credits:
Nicky Corbishley

Rainy day ideas

Inside or out, there's plenty to fill the crisp and golden (or wet and windy) autumn days! Here's our pick of the season's entertainment...

FILM Ticket to Paradise

Julia Roberts and George Clooney return in a rom-com! What could be more heartwarming on a rainy autumn day? Ticket to Paradise (directed by Ol Parker, who was responsible for



feelgood fest Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again) sees the two stars playing exes, who travel to Bali to stop their soon-to-be-married daughter making the same mistake they did. Rekindled romance is on the cards...

In cinemas from 16 September

FILM Mrs Harris Goes to Paris

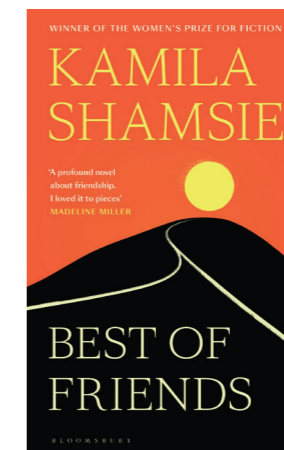
In 1950s London, widowed cleaning lady Ada (played by Lesley Manville) falls in love with a Christian Dior dress and with the help of an unexpected windfall travels to Paris to buy one. As she encounters the stuffy world of couture, she dares to dream beyond the catwalk creations to a whole new world of happiness.

In cinemas from 30 September



TV Funny Woman

Adapted from Nick Hornby's novel, Funny Woman stars Gemma Arterton as Barbara Parker – a Blackpool beauty queen who breaks into the world of sitcom in 1960s London and becomes the nation's sweetheart. The



Sky Original drama also stars Rupert Everett as Barbara's agent and David Threlfall as her dad.

Exclusive to Sky or stream on NOW from October

BOOK Best of Friends

The new book from Kamila Shamsie, winner of the Women's Prize for Fiction, explores the long-lasting friendship between two women, Maryam and Zahra, born in Pakistan but now living in London. As ghosts from their past resurface, their relationship is challenged as never before. Want to learn more? Kamila is introducing Best of Friends in a special event at Queen Elizabeth Hall at the Southbank Centre on 28 September; tickets £15. See southbankcentre.co.uk

THEATRE Destination City: London

A spectacular free event will transform the City of London's streets with a huge programme of theatre, games and performance on Saturday 15 October. Featuring



over 100 performers, the family-friendly highlights include a mass treasure hunt, 16 doors into a 'maze' of adventures, three carnival-inspired fairs, and creative street theatre.

WALKS AND GARDENS National Trust Venues

For fiery autumnal colour and crisp fresh-air excursions, head to your local National Trust property. As well as woodland walks that allow you to follow a trail of stunning autumn foliage, many of the houses now have autumn colour gardens filled with bright dahlias and other seasonal flowers. Go to nationaltrust.org.uk to find your nearest one.

Find your style...

Sleek and contemporary or elegant and timeless; take the quiz to discover which of our ranges will fit perfectly in your home.

Your ideal space is:

- a. Stylish and modern
- b. Chic and contemporary
- c. Bold and beautiful
- d. Timeless

Your dream autumn getaway looks like:

- a. A sun-filled beach holiday
- b. A romantic weekend away
- c. A European city break
- d. A cosy countryside getaway

People would describe you as:

- a. Glamorous
- b. Laid back
- c. A real showstopper
- d. A classic

Describe your dream garden:

- a. An impressive display of high-tech fire pits and on-trend water features
- b. An oasis of water features and comfortable outdoor furniture
- c. A celebration of wildflowers and sculptures
- d. A perfectly manicured lawn and beautiful trees

Above all else, you prioritise:

- a. Glamour
- b. Tranquillity
- c. A statement piece
- d. The classics

Your house is:

- a. An extension of your Instagram feed
- b. A calming escape from the world around you
- c. An eclectic collection of your travels
- d. A stylish family home



Mostly As

Avon

Just like our Avon collection, you're stylish and glamorous. You like a modern space and will appreciate Avon's distinctive bevelled edge mirror design and ability to provide an extra head-to-toe dressing piece with the addition of a wall-mounted mirror. This is a versatile range that is sure to sit right at home with a multitude of different styles.



Mostly Bs

Linje

Just like our Linje range, you're chic and contemporary. You like to stay on top of trends and Linje's subtle and concise colour palette is sure to fit straight into your space. Inspired by Scandinavian design, Linje creates a sleek and modern feel that is both warm and inviting, and adds a pared-back statement with its integrated handle design.



Mostly Cs

Marden

Much like our Marden range, you're a real showstopper. You're bold and will appreciate Marden's ability to create a stunning backdrop to your sanctuary. The Marden range allows you to create an elegant aesthetic paired with warm tonal textiles, or a contemporary feel with bold accessories.



Mostly Ds

Hatton

You're timeless just like our Hatton collection. You appreciate things that are both timeless and on trend – making this breathtaking collection perfect for your space. The Hatton range features a soft routed profile and is available in 11 stylish finishes so, whether you're looking for storage in your bedroom, office or lounge, this look can flow through your home.

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