

HOMES & GARDENS®

AUGUST 2017
£4.40

CHIC & UNIQUE

THE
FRENCH
ISSUE

*Elegant homes from
Paris to Provence*

BON APPETIT

CLASSIC COUNTRY RECIPES
& STYLISH DINING SCHEMES

HIDDEN FRANCE

SIX UNMISSABLE DESTINATIONS

PLUS

COASTAL LOOKS

DECORATING IDEAS INSPIRED
BY SHADES OF THE SEA

STEP
OUTSIDE

SPECTACULAR GARDENS,
TERRACES & POOLS
FOR OUTDOOR LIVING





TAKE SHAPE

From Czech designers Dechem Studio and glass experts Bomma comes a new collection of sculptural glass lighting. Inspiration for Phenomena is taken from simple shapes and Greek philosophy. Shown is the O1 pendant, H68xdiam55cm, £2,640. Available at Poliform UK, 020 7368 7600, poliformuk.com.

SCRUB UP WELL Mixing classic style with modern simplicity, the Bute bath, H58.5xW170xD73cm, Drummonds, 020 7376 4499, drummonds-uk.com, features a smart pressed steel surround. The curved design can be finished in your choice of RAL paint colour and costs £6,792 as shown.



With a proud heritage of making simple, elegant crystalware, Devon-based company **Dartington Crystal**, 01805 626262, dartington.co.uk, is celebrating its 50th anniversary. To mark the occasion it has created a new drinks and serveware collection featuring soft, flowing contours and contemporary dimpled designs – a perfect gift for any occasion.



LITTLE THINGS COUNT

Ashley Hicks' new book, *Details* (£45, Idea), is a glorious look at the minutia of great historic homes and buildings. Hicks zooms in on some of the finer points of architecture and décor: a jib door at Holkham Hall, a trompe l'oeil table top at Wimpole Hall positioned so the light falls in accordance to the painted shadows. He also opens up his own rooms at Albany – the exclusive residences hidden between Piccadilly and Savile Row decorated in his own idiosyncratic style. Contact 020 3664 9074, ideanow.online, for more details.

TWO'S COMPANY
A new collaboration between fabric and wallpaper designer Lindsay Alker, lindsayalker.com, and interior designer Susie Atkinson has brought a fresh take to Lindsay's Bohemia wallpaper, 140cm wide, £75m. It's now available in Bluebird (top), Elizabethan Pink (below) and Silk Yellow.