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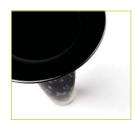


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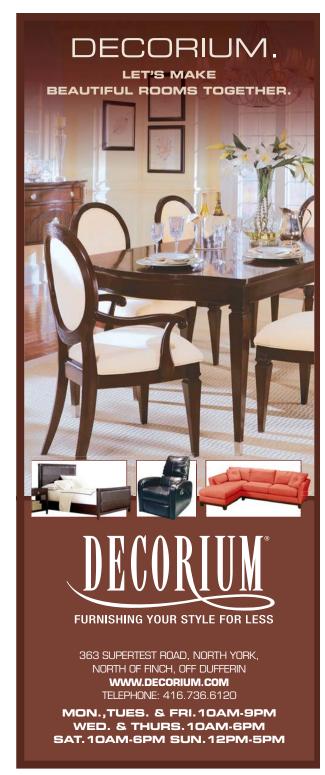
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A Message from the Editor



Welcome to FOCALPOINT, your official Resource and Event Calendar for the Sixth Annual *Home + Style Studio Tour and Sale*. Much more than just an event guide, FOCALPOINT provides you with exclusive behind-the-scenes access to your favourite fine artists, designers and home décor professionals.

Each October we come together as a community for an exciting weekend of cross-town studio-hopping-and-shopping, as Toronto's best and brightest throw open their doors in support of HIV/AIDS, design education and mentorship. Make the most of Tour-weekend and visit as many Tour Sites as you can. They're FREE and full of unique style ideas for you and your home.

Check out what's happening at our fabulous NEW Tour Destinations—the Case Goods Warehouse in the Distillery Historic District (Page 24); the exclusive showrooms of Designers Walk in the always-fashionable design mecca at Ave & Dav (Page 16); the vibrant and diverse communities of West Toronto Junction (Page 20) and Wychwood Heights (Page 18)—each offering up their own unique special events for Tour-goers.

You'll also have the opportunity to get the inside scoop from your favourite Home + Style experts at our fun and informative **Special Attractions**. Join our knowledgeable Design Divas **Lynn Spence** (Page 6) and **Jane Lockhart** (Page 8) where you'll get answers to your design questions and much more. And if you're a real foodie at heart, you won't want to miss **Anna Olson** (Page 7) in the *Miele* kitchen—bring your appetite because sampling is a requirement for attendance. Seating is limited so pre register early to ensure your place!

Discover student work alongside that of seasoned professionals at the Class of '05 exhibition (Page 26). Take advantage of our Designers on Call (Page 16) and receive FREE professional advice. Place your bids at our fabulous Silent Auction or walk away with great buys at our NEW Exclusive Access Sale (Page 5). There are so many great ways to enjoy the Tour!

Visit us often at **studiotouronline.com** for special Home + Style pricing in our online store, and enter for your chance to win in our upcoming contests. Whether you're a food fanatic or a jewelry junkie, in the market for fine art or furniture, we hope you'll join us for our city-wide celebration of everything Home + Style!

Jeffrey Stolberg Editor

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A Message from the Mayor of Toronto



It is my pleasure to extend warm wishes to everyone attending the sixth annual Home + Style Studio Tour and Sale.

I believe we all have the inherent ability to make a difference and it is very heartening that so many of you open the doors to your studios, homes, galleries and showrooms not only to celebrate creativity and design, but raise awareness and funds for HIV/AIDS.

Our City is a creative centre where our lives are enriched by the arts, culture flourishes and neighbourhoods grow. It is events like this that add to our enrichment and the cohesion of our communities.

On behalf of Toronto City Council, I congratulate the organizers and all participants for your hard work in making this event possible. My best wishes for an enjoyable and successful fundraiser.



Mayor David Miller

A Message from the Toronto People with AIDS Foundation



The Toronto People With AIDS Foundation is honoured to be this year's designated charity for the Home + Style Studio Tour.

The money raised will help us to provide critical programs and services to all people living with HIV/AIDS. Providing a food bank, a home delivery meal program, financial assistance as well as assistance navigating access to medication and disability income are some of the key programs that impact the lives of people living with HIV/AIDS.

In addition, our health promotion services—including treatment information, complementary therapies and social support—assist people in creating long-term strategies to help them maintain their health and potentially slow disease progression.

Linking local businesses and designers with ourselves as the designated charity is an important way for all of us to make a positive difference.

Murray Jose Executive Director

Join the FIGHT...



As a united community of fine artists, designers and décor professionals the Home + Style Studio Tour is proud of its ongoing commitment to the fight against AIDS. When you take home something special from any one of our Tour Sites, you can enjoy your purchase knowing that a portion of the proceeds from every item sold on Tour-weekend will benefit Canadian HIV/AIDS causes.

Pay-what-you-can donations are also welcome at all Tour Sites. So join the Tour, and wear a red ribbon to show your support!

Stop by at any time during Tour hours to pick up quality designer items for you and your home at great Home + Style prices, in our **Silent Auction** and **Exclusive Access Sale**—offering fabulous furniture, accessories and appliances from Designer Model Suites!

SILENT AUCTION

STUDIO 12

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Designers Walk, Building 5
160 Pears Avenue, Suite 210

Friday October 21 9am - 5pm Saturday October 22 10am - 6pm

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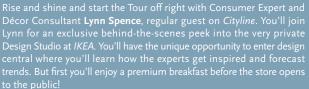
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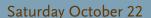


IKEA PRESENTS





Ticket holders are invited to join Lynn immediately following the breakfast and behind-the-scenes Tour where you'll get answers to your design questions and receive a special gift courtesy of IKEA!



8:00am - 10:00am *IKEA* North York, 15 Provost Drive (401 & Leslie)

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Ten lucky winners will walk away with a signed copy of Anna's award-winning book **Sugar**!

Saturday October 22

1:30pm - 3:30pm

Miele Ltd. - Mielehaus Showroom
Designers Walk, Building 1, 354 Davenport Road, Suite 301

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BENJAMIN MOORE PRESENTS



Jane Lockhart

Spend the afternoon with **Jane Lockhart**, Interior Designer and host of *W Network's* NEW series **Colour Confidential**, for an up-close and personal private Tour of the fabulous design destinations in the heart of the historic *West Toronto Junction*. Learn how to integrate colour, fine art and design into your home from one of Canada's leading style experts. Bring your swatches and photos for this fun and informative afternoon and get answers to your design questions!

Ticket holders are also invited to join Jane for a private gathering and receive special gifts courtesy of *Benjamin Moore*, and a chance to win fabulous prizes!

Sunday October 23

1:00pm - 3:00pm

Bending Spoons Gallery at Vesuvio Pizzeria & Spaghetti House 3010 Dundas Street West

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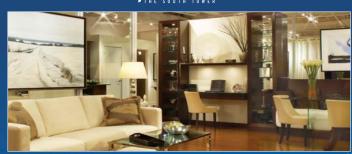
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3. Creative Avenues of Design

416-783-0220

1640A Avenue Road

Creative Avenues is a hidden treasure overflowing with beautiful home furnishings and accessories. They also offer full Interior Design and Decorating services. Visit during Tour weekend and Ask-A-Designer—bring your decorating dilemmas with photos, floor plans and fabric samples and their design team will answer all your questions!

Located four blocks north of Lawrence at the corner of Avenue Rd. and Cranbrooke Ave. One-of-a-kind shops line the street—great for a fall stroll! Avenue Rd. 61 bus from Eglinton station. Free parking behind building or p meters out front.

4. Gwendolyne Hats

416-351-1219

401 Richmond Street West, Suite 433

gwendolynehats.com

A trip to Gwendolyne's vibrant atelier is an experience to remember. Come discover her enchanting boutique filled with a colorful array of gorgeous accessories for your body and home. Fabulous hats, bags, scarves, and now cushions, skillfully crafted from the finest natural materials.

Located one block south of Queen St. W. just east of Spadina Ave. on the south side, in the heart of the fashion district atop the award winning Arts complex—a beautifully refurbished turn-of-the-20th-century warehouse housing ten art galleries, a roof garden, early learning centre and much more! Take elevator to the fourth floor. Easily accessible via Spadina southbound or Queen west street cars. 👝 p On the north side of Richmond St. W., either side of Spadina Ave. &

1. STUDIO 1 FEATURE SPACE

Jeffrey Stolberg Design/StorminTheBastille.Com

416-221-1937

80 Montclair Avenue, Suite 108

storminthebastille.com

You'll find everything you need at the home and showroom of this multi-faceted designer and photographer—a small city apartment packed with big style ideas! Stolberg's work has been recognized internationally, offering Interior Decor Services and the Paris Days photo series, now also available in Limited Edition sepia prints presented in Italian hardwood frames. See back cover.

Introducing a NEW photo series from Provence by Jeffrey Stolberg—Help name the yet untitled series and enter for a chance to win a spectacular gift basket from Belle de Provence. Take advantage of special Tour prices and

RELAX IN STYLE! Pamper yourself at STUDIO 1 in support of Pediatric AIDS courtesy of Elmwood Spa—Canada's favourite urban oasis! A fabulous collection of home and bath products will also be available for free sampling and you'll receive a SPECIAL GIFT for your kind support courtesy of Belle de Provence! See page 15 for details.

STUDIO 1 is a main floor apartment located in the heart of Forest Hill Village, two blocks north of St. Clair, west off Spadina. Wheath St. exit of St. Clair West Station, two minute walk east toward Spadina. 合 📵

2. Spire Studio

416-789-3251

361 Lawrence Avenue West

www3.sympatico.ca/spireg

Dina Shubin and Peter Panov welcome you to their live-in studio. Both are visual artists with different and unique styles. Dina's paintings are about beautiful muses and spirits of different elements of life. Peter explores elements of cubism. The affections of his canvases bring us back to France of the 1920's.

Located on the southwest corner of Lawrence and Otter Cres., between Bathurst and Avenue Rd. Entrance around the corner from Otter Cres. Easily accessible by bus from Lawrence or Lawrence West stations. 📤 Along side of the house and the crescent.









5. Tapestry Line Unlimited at Three Galleries Inc.

416-923-7600

889 Yonge Street

tapestryline.com

Recognized by PhaidonPress in their book entitled Tapestry, as a contemporary master, Line Dufour has been producing tapestries for exhibitions and commissions since 1985. Line is a graduate of OCAD, the University of Guelph and the University of Toronto. During the Tour she will have several of her tapestries on view and will be demonstrating the technique.

5a. Pei Lin Chen Art Studio (Guest)

416-726-7271

Pei Lin Chen is an artist inspired by the incredible spirit of human life. This is evident in her Wire Mesh Relief: Human Series where she transforms aluminum, brass, copper and stainless steel wire mesh using only her fingers as embossing tools. Her freehand approach produces soft organic lines that appear as a natural extension of her emotions as she works on each unique piece. It is work that appeals to the senses by virtue of the medium and the glamour of the human form

Three Galleries Inc. is located two blocks north of Davenport (north of the Canadian Tire) on the east side. Three minute walk south of Rosedale subway station. 📤 Meters on side streets. P Underground lot just across the street.

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6. Lehmann Leskiw Fine Art

416-922-1914

626 Richmond Street West

lehmannleskiwfineart.com

Lehmann Leskiw Fine Art is a contemporary gallery featuring artists worldwide. The gallery exhibits an eclectic selection of paintings, photography, works on paper and sculpture by mid-career and senior artists as well as periodically introducing impressive new emerging talent. Lehmann Leskiw provides art advisory and investment services to private and corporate clients from an impressive array of work available by the Old Masters, the Impressionists and

Easily accessible by the Bathurst, Queen or King streetcars. 🗣 Available on Richmond, Queen. and Wellington Sts. P Northwest corner of Richmond and Portland Sts., one block east of Bathurst St., one block south of Queen St. 👃 Main floor only.

7. Shex Studio

416-232-9338

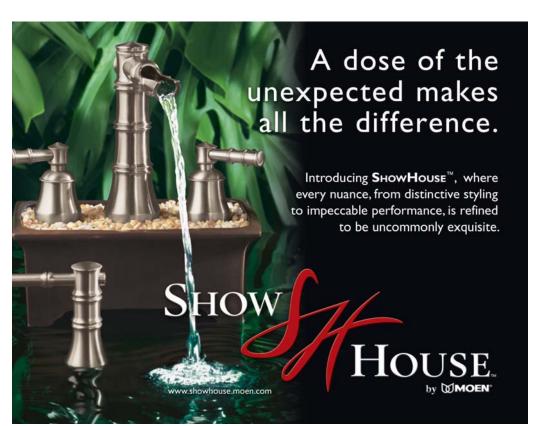
25 Monkton Avenue

shexart.com

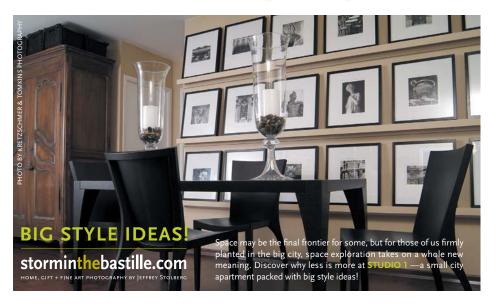
Dragan Sekaric Shex has a degree in architecture but currently devotes his time primarily to painting. His in-home studio is a work of art in itself! Visitors can view photos of the original house and the artist's paintings, which reflect the complex reality of life. Sekaric uses the sfumato style, which gives a mystical or enigmatic characteristic to his work—"Magical Realism" says Ralph Benmergui.







STUDIO 1 Feature Space





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Introducing a NEW photo series from Provence by Jeffrey Stolberg—Help name the yet untitled series and enter for a chance to win a spectacular gift basket from Belle de Provence. Original Paris Days series in black and white and NEW Limited Edition sepia prints also available at very special Home + Style prices. Receive a **COMPLIMENTARY GIFT** with your purchase!

RELAX IN STYLE

Throughout the weekend, visitors to STUDIO 1 will have the opportunity to relax in style courtesy of The Elmwood Spa—Canada's favourite urban oasis! An Elmwood Registered Massage Therapist and Aesthetician will be onsite offering chair massages and therapeutic paraffin hand treatments to hydrate the skin—all in support of Pediatric AIDS.

A fabulous collection of home and bath products will also be available for free sampling and you'll receive a SPECIAL GIFT for your kind support courtesy of Belle de Provence!

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Designers Walk



Tour-hours at Designers Walk

These exquisite interior design trade showrooms at Canada's leading design centre throw open their doors to the public for one public day only on this year's Tour. Located in Toronto's fashionable Ave+Dav design district, we invite you to join us for a behind-the-scenes peek offering up spaces full of fabulous décor from Canada and abroad.

This is your chance to experience first-hand what designers and architects have known for years! Designers Walk is a complex of buildings beginning on Davenport Rd. just west of Bedford Rd., and continuing north on Bedford Rd. one block to Pears Ave.

Short walk from St. George subway station or, Avenue Rd. bus stops at the foot of Pears Ave., which is located one block north of Davenport Road. - Building 5 only.

Don't miss these Tour Highlights and more at Designers Walk!

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- + SILENT AUCTION In support of Canadian HIV/AIDS causes. Page 5
- + DESIGNER ON CALL Offering FREE design advice and access to Trade Only Showrooms! STUDIOS 8, 9 and 11



8. World Mosaic Stone & Tiles

416-929-1555

Building 1, 354 Davenport Road, Suite 102

worldmosaic.ca

World Mosaic specializes in unique tile not found at typical tile stores. Glass, stainless steel and handmade tile are just some of the featured coverings along with industrial strength porcelain floor tile-with enough style for household use!

DESIGNER ON CALL: Barry Birnberg Saturday October 22, 1pm-3pm



416-944-8311

Building 1, 354 Davenport Road, Main Floor

Looking for unusual fabrics? Suzanne Brown and Associates are exclusive representatives of drapery and upholstery fabrics, as well as trimmings from around the world—including outdoor fabrics suitable for lawn furniture or sunrooms. They also carry a wide variety of wallcoverings and for that finishing touch, contemporary and traditional drapery hardware!

DESIGNER ON CALL: Frauke Illing Saturday October 22, 11am-1pm

10. Miele Ltd. - Mielehaus Showroom

416-646-2167 miele.ca

Building 1, 354 Davenport Road, Suite 301

Mielehaus is not simply a showroom. It is a place to learn about, dream about and experience things that will enhance your daily life. In addition to beautiful vignette kitchens featuring the latest in Miele appliances, they are currently open for meetings, cooking classes and wine tastings to mention only a few possible gatherings.

Presented by StorminTheBastille.Com, featuring Anna Olson, host of sugar on Food Network Canada. See page 7 for details!

11. Weavers Art

416-929-7929

Location A: Main Showroom, 348 Davenport Road Location B: Building 3, 162 Bedford Road, Ground Floor weaversart com

Weavers Art is Canada's leading design house and direct importer of high-quality decorative rugs. Collections include award-winning Tibetan-Nepalese, Old World vegetable dyes, French Aubussons, Savonneries, Tapestries and unique Persian design carpets. Main showroom is a four-storey, 16,000 sq. ft. centre that displays different styles of rugs on each floor—check out both great locations!

DESIGNER ON CALL: Location A - Lynn Raitt Saturday October 22, 2pm-4pm



Unless otherwise noted.

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your designer. The showrooms or the Tour office will be





12. ICI Paints Colour Studio

416-646-7661

Building 5, 160 Pears Avenue, Suite 210

The ICI Paints Colour Studio opened in May 2003. The Colour Studio is the first and only of it's kind in Canada, and possibly the world. The 4800 sq. ft. space is home to ICI's colour systems, global colour trend forecasting, a resource library, and specialized light rooms a unique and inspirational facility!

13. Primavera Interior Furnishings

416-921-3334

Building 5, 160 Pears Avenue, Suite 110

In the Interior Design community, Primavera is synonymous with style and elegance. For over 30 years, Primavera has built a reputation for quality, service, and selection. They are exclusive Canadian representatives featuring an extensive collection of the finest fabrics, furniture, lighting, wallpaper and trimmings from around the world.

14. Robert Allen Group

416-934-1330

Building 4, 170 Bedford Road, Suite 200

robertallendesign.com

Robert Allen, Robert Allen @ Home, Beacon Hill also featuring the Robert Allen Furniture Line and the 'trademark' Colour Library all complimented with hardware, trim and tassels. Fabric designs include traditional to transitional, woven and printed, plaids, stripes, florals and textural solids in combination with a great mix of today's popular colour palettes— defining a lifestyle or a room set to create the 'Robert Allen Look' in your home!







Welcome to





This incredible St. Clair West neighbourhood is home to a startling proportion of diverse and talented artists and the soon-to-be-renovated historic Wychwood Car Barns Park.

Bustling with multicultural flair, Wychwood Heights has much to offer. Go behind-the-scenes and get inspired—then go for a bite at any of the many local patisseries, cafés or restaurants! Tour-sites in Wychwood Heights run along St. Clair Avenue West from Bathurst St.

Easily accessible from St. Clair West subway—take the westbound streetcar or enjoy the short walk! 💠 🕑 🔼 Studio 15 only.







15. Kosoy & Bouchard

416-651-4480

651 St. Clair Avenue West

kosoyandbouchard.com

Ceramic artist Michelle Kosoy and glass artist Pierre Bouchard have been sharing a studio and showroom in Toronto for over ten years. This husband and wife team work collaboratively and independently. In their studio you'll find large glass sculpture and functional glass work as well as functional and decorative clay work. Michelle and Pierre have been featured on HGTV; Cityline; Chatelaine; and Côté Sud Magazine.

15a. Shelly Rahme (Guest)

416-476-4003

Shelly Rahme is a sculptor who is new to Toronto, currently sculpting small-scale, dynamic landscapes that are made of glass and industrial material. Her landscapes often depict nature up-heaving the man-made environment. Her work recalls Romantic Sublime painting and in that tradition, is beautiful and alarming all at once. Shelly Rahme has exhibited widely in Canada and the United States.

15b. Rosanne Buski (Guest)

416-653-7235

Roseanne Buski has been working in Toronto for over thirty years as a painter and mixed media artist. Her work combines painting, drawing and printmaking. She works abstractly and figuratively, often with a vibrant palette. Her work is in collections throughout Canada, The United States and Europe.

Remember to stop by our **Exclusive Access Sale** just up the street! See page 5

15c. Ann Clifford Sculpture and Design (Guest)

416-651-1773

Ann Clifford residential and corporate designs are developed in bronze; precious metals; stone; cement; clay; and has recently had her contemporary vases displayed at the Gardiner Museum of Ceramic Art. A long-time participant in fine arts in Toronto Ann Clifford's many private commissions include, the National Post, Janet Rosenberg and the National Bank of Canada. Clifford is available for corporate and residential commissions.



16. Laluque Atelier

416-833-1399

547 St. Clair Avenue West

galleryair.com/natasha.htm

Laluque Atelier is a working studio of the Ukraine-born artist Natalia Laluque. The artist has been working in painting, ceramics and printmaking for twenty years. She has been active on the international ceramics circuit, participating in the 2nd and 3rd World Ceramic Biennials in Korea and the 53rd International Ceramics Competition in Faenza Italy.

17. Tosca Terán // nanopod {hybrid studio}

647-219-0585

322 Harbord Street

Tosca has been working with precious metals and computers for over 20 years. Her designs and interactive sculptures have been exhibited in the US House of Representatives, Toronto Design Exchange, Harbourfront Centre's Uncommon Objects, The Santa Fe Institute, U of T, and San Francisco's Fort Mason Center. One-of-a-kind and limited edition jewellery and objects.

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Welcome to





Think you know TO?

Check out these fabulous Home + Style sites in the heart of the historic West Toronto Junction. This vibrant community is in the midst of an exciting renaissance, harkening back to the late 19th century when this previously small rural village exploded to become the hub of activity joining Atlantic and Pacific Canada.

The area boasts over 30 restaurants and cafés—what better way to enjoy your Tour-weekend! Tour Sites in **West Toronto Junction** run along Dundas St. W., from Quebec Ave. (one block west of High Park Ave.) to Keele St.

Easily accessible by Junction 40 bus from Dundas West subway station.

Dundas West Subway station.

20a. Vanessa Harwood Photography (Guest)

416-201-4333

3010 Dundas Street West

Former Principal Ballerina of the *National Ballet of Canada* **Vanessa Harwood** finds beauty looking through a camera lens. Her photography is a mix of dance, still life and the mystery of travel. Toronto is home but the world is still her stage.

21. The Relax Shack Bed & Bath

416-762-1575

3026 Dundas Street West

therelaxshack.ca

The Relax Shack Bed & Bath carries the finest quality of imported and domestic bedlinens; rugs; towels; and bathroom accessories, as well as goose down duvets; pillows; and feather beds. Their exclusive european soaps have gained immense popularity in Canada and have fascinated people since early times with their incredible beauty and elegance. Product lines include: Mistral; Confianca; Julia West; Nygard Home; Croscill Home; Chortex; and many more!

22. Eclectic Revival Antique Lighting

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Eclectic Revival offers the very finest in antique lighting including: oil; electric; gas; and combination fixtures. If you're looking for period chandeliers; table lamps; wall sconces; or art glass shades in Victorian; Art Nouveau; Art Deco; or Arts and Crafts style, visit their website or showroom to see the full collection.

Bending Spoons Gallery at Vesuvio Pizzeria & Spaghetti House also welcomes guests for one of our great celebrity Special Attractions.

Presented by Benjamin Moore, featuring Jane Lockhart, host of Colour Confidential on W Network.

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18. Cornerstone Fine Furniture & Antiques

416-767-8170

2886 Dundas Street West

cornerstonefurniture.ca

Cornerstone Fine Furniture & Antiques features an eclectic array of fine furnishings by Rowe, Robin Bruce, and Decor-Rest as well as an ever-changing selection of antiques. At Cornerstone anything is possible! Their in-house craftsman can create that beautiful custom piece you've been dreaming of or refinish your favorite pieces.

19. Latitude 44 Gallery, Framing & Décor

416-769-2900

2900 Dundas Street West

latitude44gallery.ca

Latitude 44 Gallery, Framing & Décor carries an impressive mix of original Canadian artwork and unusual home decor items—and they offer traditional as well as specialty professional framing onsite. Bring in that old or sentimental frame and see what can be done with it! Visit Latitude 44 Gallery for all of your framing and decor needs.

20. Bending Spoons Gallery at Vesuvio Pizzeria & Spaghetti House

416-763-4191

3010 Dundas Street West

vesuviospizza.com

Bending Spoons Gallery at Vesuvio features stunning work from guest artists year round. October is no exception as they mount their yearly mother daughter exhibition from proprietor /artists Piera Pugliese and Ester Vita Pugliese. Taking divergent approaches to image making, Piera's work features vibrant, richly painted landscapes while Ester's abstracted figurative images emphasize delicate drawn lines and tangled gestures. FREE consultations at Studio 19 Latitude 44 Gallery, Framing & Decor on Saturday September 22nd from 11am to 5pm with special guest, Professional Antique Frame Restorer and Gilder Dane Leming.

23. Axis Gallery & Grill

416-604-3333

3048 Dundas Street West

axisgrill.com

Axis Gallery & Grill is the perfect place to recharge while making the rounds of the Home + Style Studio Tour in The Junction! Stop in and enjoy the great food, great service and great music that have made Axis Gallery & Grill a Junction mainstay.

23a. The Intrepid Lens Photography by Sandy Trunzer (Guest)

416-888-4230

theintrepidlens.com

Photographer **Sandy Trunzer** offers a variety of techniques and subject matter in her portfolio ranging from vivid floral and abstract photographs to haunting black & white infrared images. Her studio recently relocated from the Beach area of Toronto to Burlington where she is taking advantage of the proximity to the beauty found in the Escarpment and Niagara regions.











24. Picture It Framed

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Certification is what sets this enterprise apart from many local picture framers. Proprietor Pat Schnurr, a graduate of the Ontario College of Art & Design is recognized by the Picture Framers Association as a Certified Picture Framer and has won several awards. At this attractive studio you'll find frames and mirrors of all styles and sizes. As a custom picture framer for the past 25 years, Pat Schnurr's tremendous pride of craft sets her apart!

25. Old Fashioned Restoration

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3068 Dundas Street West

oldfashionedrestoration.com

Old Fashioned Restoration has been breathing new life into beautiful European antiques for over 20 years. Specializing in repairs, restoration and cleaning, Old Fashioned Restoration also buys and sells quality items and has an incredible selection of unusual pieces of furniture for sale. Visit Master Restorer Emanuel Calleja in his two-storey showroom/workshop!



26. Simardone Custom Furniture

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251 Sorauren Avenue, Unit 101

simardonedesign.com

Michael Simardone creates architecturally striking custom furniture from reclaimed materials. resulting in unique pieces of exceptional craftsmanship and beauty. Find inspiration while searching through a vast collection of recycled doors, windows and salvaged architectural components to incorporate into a one-of-a-kind armoire, hutch or other freestanding or built-in piece of furniture!

Travel just a short distance eastbound along Dundas St. W. from our West Toronto Junction Tour Sites to this century old warehouse—one block East of Roncesvalles Ave. at Fermanagh Ave., between Dundas St.W. and Queen St. W. in Roncesvalles Village.

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Bus 65A south on Parliament from Castle Frank subway station to Front St. and walk one block south to Mill St. 🖒 🕑 💍

The **Case Goods Warehouse** even has a fully functional antique lift!

30. RedEye Studio Gallery

416-366-3393

55 Mill Street, Case Goods Warehouse, Studio 120 redevestudiogallery.com
RedEye Studio Gallery represents the original work of five Toronto artists: Jennifer Hinrichs;
Sheila Jonah; David Millar; Sandy McMullen; and Michael Steinhauser. This lively gallery offers
you a large selection of paintings and prints that will add beauty and warmth to a variety of
home decorating styles.

31. Studio 401

55 Mill Street, Case Goods Warehouse, Studio 401

studio401.ca

Studio 401 is the home of six distinctive visual artists who work both independently and also as a group. Get to know the work of: Alison Baldock; Joseph Pindi; Marel; Naomi Chorney; Wayne Seto; and Yumi Ichida. Stop by, learn about their creativity and see their diverse works of fine art for sale!

32. Melanie Gordon Photography

416-861-1011

55 Mill Street, Case Goods Warehouse, Studio 410

melaniegordon.com

Melanie Gordon has been capturing moments of light in her photographs for over a decade. Her images are glimpses of dream and reality, light and dark—revealing the energy inherent in the human spirit. View her award-winning photographs in her studio/gallery at the top of the Case Goods Warehouse.













27. TANK fire + metal

647-430-8589

55 Mill Street, Case Goods Warehouse, Studio 103

ehmeglass.com

Visit the working studio of **Amy Johnson**, glass artist & jewelry designer and **Nadia Tasci**, glass artist & silversmith. Experience some of the hottest glass beads and jewelry around, and watch experienced flameworkers manipulate glass hot in the flame! Featuring ongoing flameworking (glass beadmaking) classes and guest artist workshops with international artists.

28. Akemi Nishidera at Kozo Studio

416-214-1882

55 Mill Street, Case Goods Warehouse, Studio 106

Akemi is a graduate of the *Ontario College of Art* and apprenticed for three years in Japan with an artist/papermaker. From her studio and retail space **Akemi** is constantly experimenting and creating an assortment of limited edition handmade artist papers; luminous kozo sculptures; wall pieces; artist prints; and hand-bound books. Recently she has been working with master woodworker **Etsuko Amano** to create a unique line of Japanese inspired pieces for the home.

29. Wendy Walgate

416-214-2392

55 Mill Street, Case Goods Warehouse, Studio 109

walgate.com

Ceramic artist **Wendy Walgate** presents an exhibition entitled *True Colours* at *new* gallery. **Walgate** is a founding member of the gallery and maintains a clay studio in the *Case Goods Warehouse*. Her sculptural work features vivid colour and accumulations of cast animals, which comment on the culture of acquisition.

33. Macy Awad

647-233-2947

55 Mill Street, Case Goods Warehouse, Studio 415

macvawad.com

Visit the 600 sq. ft. working studio of painter **Macy Awad** where you can both view finished works and have the opportunity to gain an understanding of how her work is executed—directly from the artist. Macy's paintings currently hang in many private and public collections.



Be sure to visit these special Tour Sites at Toronto's new centre for arts, culture & entertainment and see first hand what is considered one of the best surviving examples of Victorian industrial architecture in North America.

24 HOME + STYLE STUDIO TOUR AND SALE 25

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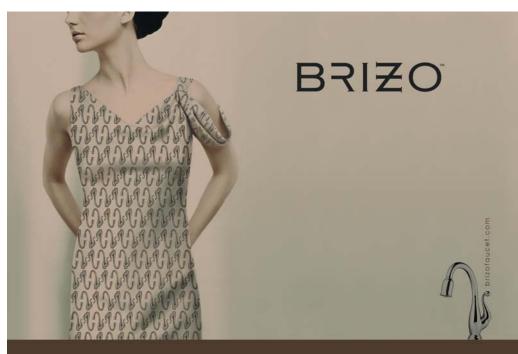
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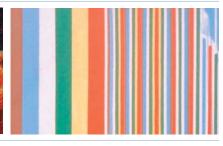
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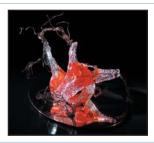
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Building 1, 354 Davenport Road, Suite 301
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MELANIE THOMPSON has 10 years of experience in corporate interior design. She contributes a broad understanding of carpet performance and aestheics, and their impact on the success of an interiors project. Melanie's goal as an *Antron*® Fibre Consultant is to provide the Architectural & Design Community and their clients with the information and tools they need to make informed flooring decisions.

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STUDIO 9
10:30am - 11:30am
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Building 1, 354 Davenport Road, Main Floor
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CAROLINE BUTCHART and her team at *Grohe Canada* have trained over 1500 plumbers, showroom staff, college students, designers and contractors. When she is not on the road she manages Technical Support and Customer Service, designs customer showers, provides warranty products and assists plumbers with installation. Previously employed by several *Fortune 500* companies Butchart is a seasoned trainer with over 15 years experience.

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TOM BUTTERS has been the Program Manager, instructor and facilitator at *Canlyte's Lighting Concept Centre* since 2000. He develops and implements lighting education programs for various audiences including Interior Designers, Architects and students of Design. Tom is Lighting Certified, a designation earned from the National Council for Qualification of the Lighting Professions in the USA.

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Everyone knows that the design industry is highly competitive in the GTA and the design schools are churning out new students every year. How does an individual or small design firm compete in this highly charged environment? Learn tips on how to gain back control of your life and enjoy your workday!

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2:30pm - 3:30pm
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160 Pears Avenue, Suite 210
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4:00pm - 5:00pm
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