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Nilli works with your own natural hair tendencies, for a cut that enhances your features and also fits your lifestyle. Her talent is creating haircuts so easy to maintain that, even when left to air dry, they fall naturally into place.

If you have short hair you'll especially appreciate Nilli's skill with the scissors—because while Nilli can cut any length/style of hair, she is a master when it comes to short hair styles.

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*Nilli Salonspa* is now taking appointments on Saturdays and has late, extended evening hours for your convenience. Call for details.

A new season is a great time for a fresh new look. This autumn visit *Nilli Salonspa* for a **cut and highlights (and/or colour)** and save **20% off** your entire bill. **Offer expires November 15/11.**

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INSIDE: The best of the season from your local shops plus home improvement & personal services  
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## Kid friendly and grown up approved lunchbox ideas

With the summer over, parents are faced with the back to school challenge of finding healthy lunchbox meals their child will enjoy. Here are some ideas that will keep lunchboxes full of fun and nutrition and that will keep both you and your child satisfied.

### Choose healthy ingredients

Many children love the taste and texture of white bread but many parents desire the added nutrition of whole wheat bread. A number of contemporary bakeries have created a solution to this challenge; white bread with the benefits of whole wheat bread. *COBS Bread*, for example, offers Higher Fibre bread that has the same yummy flavour and soft texture as their traditional white bread but with three times the fibre. *COBS'* breads are also baked from scratch daily with no added preservatives, sugar, dairy or eggs. Pairing this with fresh fruit and veggies as well as a source of protein and dairy will round out any lunchbox meal.

### Make it fun

It's all about presentation! Include ingredients that allow your child to be creative; silly face sandwiches can be created with raisins, seeds, shredded carrot or cucumber slices. Add colour to their sandwiches;



vibrant green apple slices and bright red cranberry sauce make a turkey sandwich a feast for your child's eyes as well as their tummy.

Preparing healthy lunchbox meals is not hard but it does take extra thought and planning. Start by choosing the right ingredients and then get creative; you and your child will be pleasantly surprised! For more fun sandwich ideas, visit [www.cobsbread.com](http://www.cobsbread.com).

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Pemberton Group has more than 50 years' experience building superb communities in many of the Greater Toronto Area's most desirable neighbourhoods. This fall Pemberton unveils *Vivid*—one of Etobicoke's most convenient and commuter-friendly locations. A new addition to this established community at Bloor and Dundas Streets, *Vivid* will offer a brilliant lifestyle, exciting suites and on-site amenities, all just a short stroll from the Islington subway station, Kipling GO station, shopping, restaurants and numerous services.



All suites offer quality features and finishes

*Vivid* residents will enjoy 24-hour concierge service, as well as impressive amenities. These include an equipped fitness room, spectacular indoor pool, theatre, and a large, party room with a full kitchen, bar and lounge area. Just outside is the neighbourhood park complete with a playground, splash pad, gazebo and night-lit walkway.

Among the quality features are custom-designed kitchen cabinets with granite countertops, stainless steel appliances; laminate flooring; 40-ounce broadloom; granite or CaesarStone bathroom countertops; stacked washer/dryer; and generous balcony, terrace or patio, all as per plan.

Suite selections range from 580 to 1,120 square feet, priced from the mid-\$200,000s. Be sure to take the virtual online tour and register for preview information at [www.vividcondos.com](http://www.vividcondos.com).

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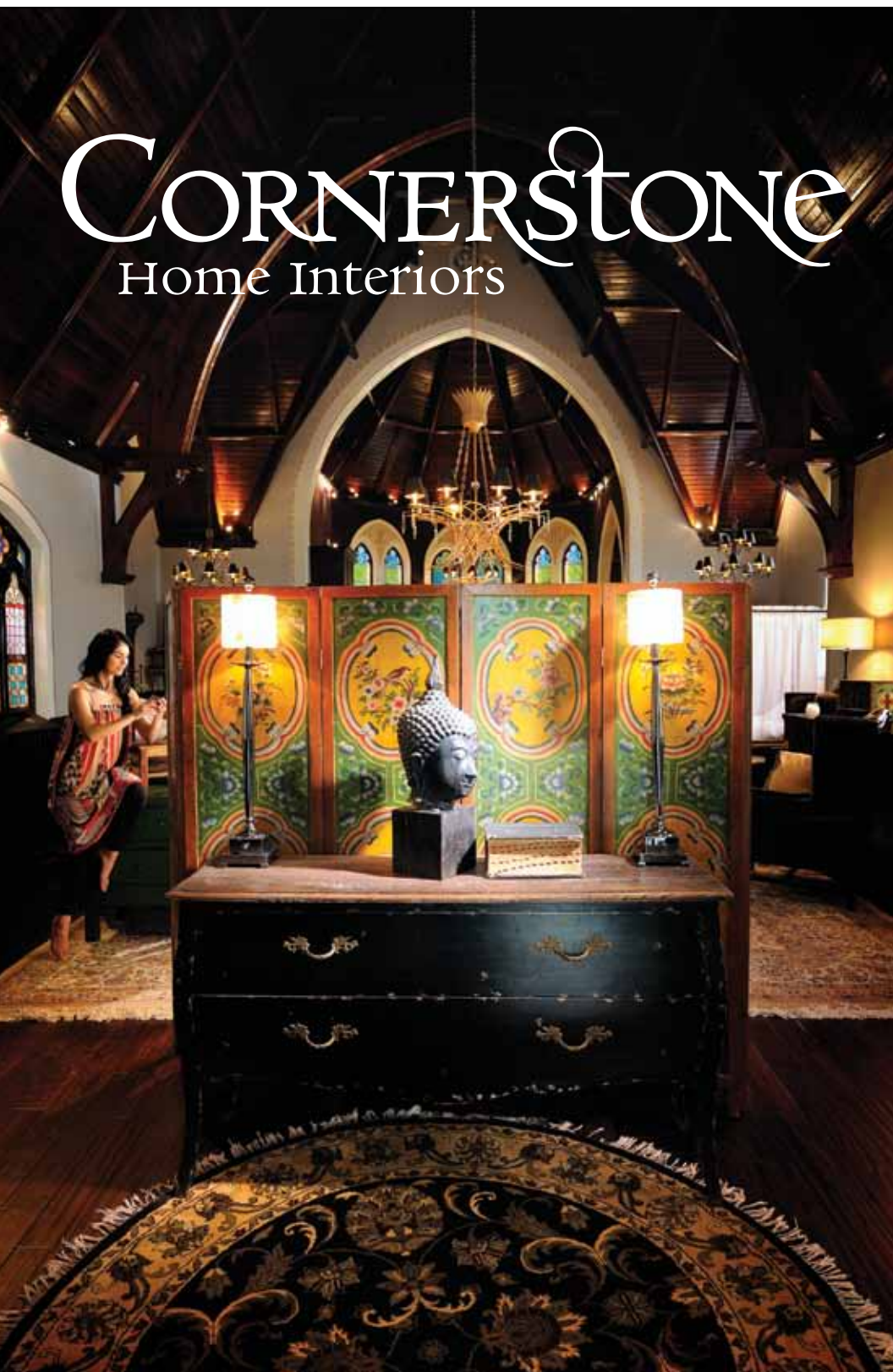


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## Small weekend projects equal big impact



As summer comes to a close, it's time to start thinking about those small weekend projects that yield a big impact. Visit *West Toronto Paint & Wallpaper* for advice on any design project large or small. For example, in just one weekend you can completely transform the look of a bathroom vanity by painting it Benjamin Moore's Bittersweet Chocolate, 2114-10, a warm espresso colour that will warm the space and give your old vanity a fresh face. The recommended product to use is Benjamin Moore's Waterbourne paint, Advance, in a pearl finish for best results. Update the hardware and add a stunning mirrored mirror from Tulula Home Décor, the beautiful 500 square foot décor showroom at *West Toronto Paint & Wallpaper*.

A new school year deserves a new bedroom colour. Before you pack those school bags, help organize your kids for a successful school year. Try a new paint colour such as Benjamin Moore's Peony Pink, 2079-30, for girls or Denim Wash, CC-770, for boys. Chalkboard paint creates a functional workspace, an area they can personalize and make their own.

Luckily for us, autumn weather in Toronto still allows us the time to finish our exterior projects. The deck you installed in the spring has weathered for six weeks and is now ready to be stained. Benjamin Moore's Arborcoat stains can be used on anything from pressure treated wood to lpe (pronounced e-pay) in translucent to solid finishes. A word of advice, be sure the temperature is above 10 degrees C for 48 hours before staining.

Visit the expert staff at *West Toronto Paint* and get those weekend projects started. Looking for unique home décor, visit the home décor section at *WTP*, Tulula Home Décor or book your colour/design consultation with Jacqueline Houghton today.

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## Casual Affairs Clothing—fall season trend report



Indulge yourself with the best of the new season at *Casual Affairs Clothing!*

From icy pastels to bold brights, designers covered every inch of the rainbow. Make a statement by adding rich jeweled tones such as emerald green or ruby red to neutral-toned outfits or go for a bold look by combining the traditionally male tuxedo styles with sheer and ruffled feminine blouses.

Designers are also bringing us back to the 60s and 70s with mod style military jackets and wide legged jeans.

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Are you a family of dog lovers? Perhaps you can't make the commitment to permanently adopt one but would like to help by caring for a dog short-term. Perhaps you already have a dog of your own but would like to help a less fortunate dog—either way, you might want to think about becoming a foster parent/family.

*Speaking of Dogs Rescue*, an all-breed rescue launched in 2001, is Toronto-based and always in recruit mode for responsible, caring people to become part of its foster parent team.

Now that the summer is over, the kids are back to school and you are back to a regular schedule, the time could be right to consider offering your home to a needy canine.

*Speaking of Dogs Rescue* covers all veterinary and medical bills as well as food and supplies required for the dogs in foster care. Foster parents need to offer a safe environment along with heaping helpings of TLC; patience and understanding are also requirements. Fostering is a serious responsibility but comes with unmatched rewards. Foster homes with children need good parental direction and supervision, must be respectful to dogs and illustrate gentle, thoughtful handling abilities. For a child, helping a dog along life's path through fostering can have a lasting meaningful affect. It is an act of kindness, giving and caring that they can proudly share the experience with friends, family and teachers.

If you are interested, contact [www.speakingofdogs.com](http://www.speakingofdogs.com) for a foster package that is chock full of everything you need to know to get started!

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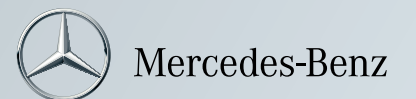
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