

Artful white furnishings like a James Perse sofa and Paola Lenti wicker chairs.



BEL AIR

PATIO PERFECTION

What's state of the art in outdoor rooms? Consider **Rios Clemente Hale Studios'** recently completed project in Bel Air. RCHS installed a steel-boned pavilion with retractable glass walls and a turf-topped viewing deck. Glossed automotive paint lacquers the high-concept decor of the cantilevered, slightly asymmetrical space, while motorized doors, Aero floor-to-ceiling sunshades, infrared heaters and touch screens round out the details. The firm joined with Ferrari Forge to create furnishings like a fire table and console. Even so, the Air Frame Pavilion doesn't detract from the wide L.A. vistas. rchstudios.com.

SANTA MONICA

WICK-IPEDIA FLEUR: (n). Candle to buy when you want your party to smell like neroli but you were born with a black thumb.



Blanc Collection, \$46, Hollyhock, L.A., and Upstairs at Pierre Lafond, Montecito; fleurcollection.com.

SAN FRANCISCO

Fringe benefits

The 65-year-old S.F. company that helped put Cali-cool on the map has taken a New York minute with **Laura Kirar** helming a new collection. Standout in the **McGuire** collaboration is the **Guerrica**, an arm chair that uses custom needles to thread 3,500 holes with leather laces.



Laura Kirar Guerrica lounge chair, from \$17,496; and tall concrete stool, from \$1,094, mcguirefurniture.com.

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GARDEN TRIBE SOURCEBOOK

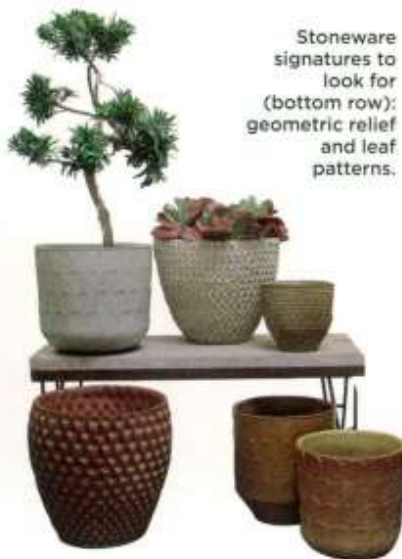
Jen Long and Beth LaDove of **Garden Tribe** (gardentribe.com)—a new online hub for expert classes—share their circle of friends. • **POLLINATE FARM & GARDEN, OAKLAND** Turn your backyard into an organic farm. 2727 Fruitvale Ave.; pollinatefarm.com. • **LIVING GREEN DESIGN, S.F.** An exceptional nursery of plants and artifacts. 1465 Custer Ave.; livinggreen.com. • **MOSTLY NATIVES NURSERY, TOMALES** For coastal natives. 27235 Hwy. One; mostlynatives.com. • **LILA B., S.F.** Making beautiful statements with living things. 2128 Folsom St.; lilabdesign.com. • **FLORA GRUBB GARDENS, S.F.** The ultimate designer garden shop. 1634 Jerrold Ave.; floragrubb.com.



FROM TOP Pollinate Farm. Beth LaDove and Jen Long of Garden Tribe. Lila B. Design display at Restoration Hardware, S.F.



Stoneware signatures to look for (bottom row): geometric relief and leaf patterns.



CULVER CITY FIRED UP

Inner Gardens owner Stephen Block's latest acquisition is a rare gathering of vintage planters by David Cressey, the Venice-based ceramicist who shared studio space with the great Robert Maxwell and designed for A. Quincy Jones, Architectural Pottery and Earthgarden. 310-838-8378; innergardens.com.

