

## BEDROOMS



**1** The Chichester 150cm kingsize bed from **Neptune** with Chichester bedside tables and Burlington ball lamps. Chichester bedrooms can be customized from the standard limestone colour in many ways. Firstly the head and footboard fabric can be changed, bed shown here with herringbone fabric. Also choose from 20 paint colours and between chrome or oak handles to give your bedroom a completely unique feel. Individual prices on request. **2** Use a stylishly covered chair to brighten up your bedroom. From the Anoushka collection by Harlequin is this beautiful covered chair available from **Homestyle Blinds & Interiors**. Price on request. **3** Trendy table lamp from **Spa Lighting** with four different options on shade scenes. The images become visible when the lamp is switched on. When the lamp is off the shade is a neutral cream shade. Pendants and floor lamps also available. From €64.95.

# Inhouse news

## Stylish Stainless Steel and Glass... The New Manhattan Range from Neptune

Having traditionally produced pieces inspired by country living, Neptune have added a new range of furniture to their collection more at home in an urban environment. In doing so Neptune have created a collection that works equally as well when mixed with all the existing Neptune collections. Inspired by the skyline of Manhattan, this sleek new collection is handcrafted from polished stainless steel and 12mm tempered glass, its cross section design and architectural style gives a very contemporary cutting edge feel. Mix Manhattan with a piece from the Chichester or Henley collection for stylish functional furniture that harmonises with any environment. For styling a smaller area, the 60cm Manhattan lamp table is perfect and looks great with a Somerton Basket or Bloomsbury lamp. For those looking for that 'wow' centre piece for their urban pads, the 120cm coffee table provides just that! And for your office, the range includes a sleek 150cm desk that provides a large work surface. New to the upholstery collection is the Charlotte sofa in Night Sky, a perfect match with the Manhattan range.

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## New pieces introduced to Belleek 2011 range

Inspiring design and unique style with a variety of traditional and contemporary giftware pieces for your home, Belleek's worldwide reputation for quality and craftsmanship and a history that stretches over 150 years have brought the Belleek brand to homes throughout the world. Practical tableware, distinctive statement pieces, lighting and a successful designer jewellery collection have all been passionately designed to fit in with your lifestyle. They have introduced some beautiful pieces to their 2011 range. Included in the new additions are a Serenity three tier cakestand, a rose vase and a selection of lamps.

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## *Diffusion introduces a stunning new roller blind collection*

Leading blind and shutter specialist, Diffusion, has just launched a new collection of roller blind fabrics and finishes. This stylish new range has been selected from textile mills all

over the world, which gives an eclectic feel to the entire collection.

The on-trend colours and designs featured provide an amazing choice for the customer. Elegant, striped sheers will subtly soften the light coming through your window, or add a touch of glamour with striking metallic Baroque designs. Grass weaves offer a rustic appeal to sunrooms, kitchens or bathrooms, which can be finished with a wooden bottom bar that creates a contemporary look.

With more than 250 fabrics to choose from, there is an array of plains, prints and textures which will appeal to many varied tastes and requirements. You can then achieve your own unique blind, by selecting a complementing trim or finish from the Finishing Touches Accessories Collection – elegant beads, braided pulls, textured braids, wooden or aluminium bottom bars, the choice is yours!

This innovative collection is available from a number of department stores and independent retailers throughout Ireland.

**To find your local stockist, contact Diffusion on 028 9446 6100 or email [info@diffusionblinds.com](mailto:info@diffusionblinds.com). [www.diffusionblinds.com](http://www.diffusionblinds.com).**



## SOFAS

### *Expert Advice*

**James Brennan, Country Manager for Natuzzi UK:**

*'If you're thinking about buying a new sofa, while it is important to get a sofa that looks the part, it is just as important to get one that will last. Poor quality furniture can break, wear and look out of shape within a year of purchase. Quality construction will offer years of enjoyment, comfort and ultimately, value for money.'*

*Good quality leather should age beautifully with time, however as with any natural material, it should be cared for correctly in order to look its best. A couple of simple measures will keep leather from long-term damage. Firstly, it is important to periodically dust the surface using a clean, dry and non-abrasive white cloth. Secondly, the sofa should be positioned at least 50cm from sources of heat such as heaters or radiators, and avoiding exposing the sofa to direct sunlight or to powerful lamps will ensure the colour of the leather remains bright. Genuine leather should provide comfort in both hot and cold months; breathable and cool in the summer and warming and cosy in the winter.'*



**1** The simple box shape of **Ikea's** Klippan sofa allows it to blend seamlessly into the designs of your living room. Comes in two and four seater. £254.30/€263 and £283.92/€349. **2 Neptune** Charlotte Linen 3 Seater Sofa has an unusual look with the button back feature. £1,295/€1,695.

