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HUDSON HOME

Happenings - Preholiday 2008

Simple Centerpieces

Keeping a few classic forms on hand will enable you to easily create a variety of different centerpieces for any occasion. The rolled edge hurricanes at right are a good example. They can be filled with a variety of different seasonally appropriate items (cranberries, nuts, pine cones); run them in a straight line down the table with plain or colored votives; you could even fill them with water and put a goldfish in them. Ask for these and more table décor ideas and suggestions the next time you're in the store. We're here to help!



Gift Buying Made Easy

Delegating is a great way to get more done. It can also be an effective way to stick to a budget. If you have a list of people to buy gifts for (clients, staff, neighbors family), costs can escalate quickly. Put it off and you'll pay for your procrastination.



Instead, provide us with a list & budget and we'll shop for you. We can meet at a convenient time (in person or on the phone), review your criteria and make selections based on your input. We will gather the items, wrap them, even add a hand written note if you like. We provide you with a detailed list showing who got what and ship the gifts when and how you want; to the recipients home or office; to your office or home; or any other address in the US or

Managing Holiday Stress

Shopping. Parties. Travel. Sometimes the holiday season can get the better of us. Relax! Take a deep breath and let it out. Next, make a list. I find that just writing down my chores helps me keep a busy schedule in perspective. What tasks can be delegated? Can you use a service to run errands for you? How about paying the kids to write the holiday cards? Take a look at your list, prioritize, delegate and edit. Figure out what you want. It is critical that you include tasks that matter to YOU. Spending all your time on everyone else will burn you out in no time. Instead, try a ratio of 1 to 5. For every five task you do, be sure one thing is for you. This can be simple; take five to call a friend, get yourself a latte, take a bath. It

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New Room - No Effort

Just as fashion accessories complete an outfit, decorative accessories complete a room. The finishing touches are what make a room special. This can be the most challenging part of decorating. That's where we can help. Give us a budget, a time when you'll be away and your keys. We'll evaluate your room, select the right accessories and place them for you. You'll come home to a whole new room. Just in time for holiday entertaining.



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doesn't have to be elaborate. Lastly, at the end of the day revisit your list. Cross out what you've done today (this feels great!) set the tone for tomorrow and then let it go. It's time to get a good night sleep. You've earned it.

Happy Holidays!