

weekend warrier projects

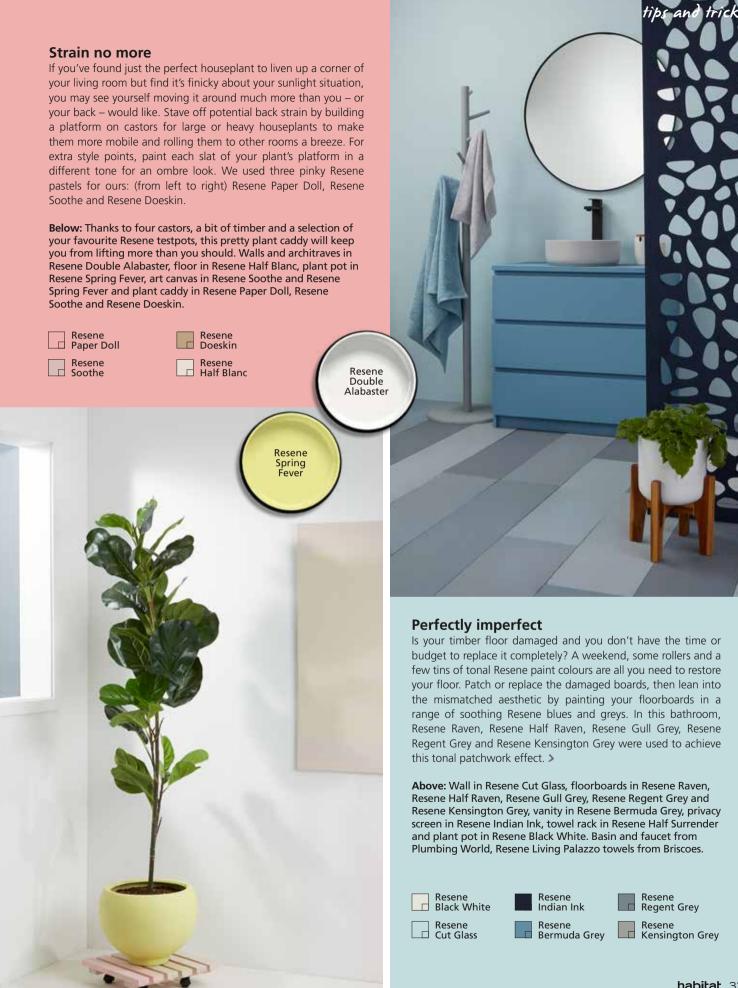
Whether you've got an hour on your hands or a whole weekend to occupy, these easy projects will put your spare time to good use.

> Resene Enigma

Cubby cache

If you find yourself with a messy mudroom, a lick of paint could be the solution to the disarray in your entryway. These painted stripe storage areas not only provide much needed space for each child to stash their shoes and outdoor gear on their own handy hook and in their own convenient cubby, but they also work as a place to leave helpful reminders. The secret is Resene SpaceCote Low Sheen, a durable interior paint which doubles as a chalkboard. Or you can use Resene FX Chalkboard Paint. You can tint it to your favourite Resene hues (though it's darker shades that show chalk best) and simply wipe it down with a damp cloth whenever you need a clean slate. Simply measure and mask the width of your cubby – we added a few centimetres on each side of ours – and then roll on two coats of your chosen colour to get the look. For a crisp line, be sure to use high-quality painter's masking tape (available from your local Resene ColorShop) and remove it as soon as your final topcoat is dry to the touch.

Above: Walls in Resene Rice Cake with colour blocked stripes and outside of cubbies in (from left to right) Resene Cello, Resene Enigma and Resene Quarter New Denim Blue, inside of cubbies in Resene Rice Cake, floor in Resene Mountain Mist and coat rack in Resene Nocturnal.



THE BEACH

tips and tricks

Left: Wall in Resene Breeze, bench in Resene Sazerac and caddy in Resene Edgewater (sides), Resene Aqua (ends) and Resene Maestro (handle).

Below left: Wall in Resene Half Sauvignon and caddy in Resene Lola (top) and Resene Poet (base) with cans in Resene Moonbeam, Resene Perfume, Resene Fog and Resene Sonique.

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Edgewater

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☐ Breeze☐ Resene

Aqua

Resene Maestro

Resene Sazerac



Cutlery and condiment consolidation

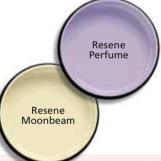
When you're entertaining a crowd, it's common to feel like you don't have enough hands. Make it easy to transport the eating essentials to your table all in one go with this cute cutlery caddy (that upcycles an old cutting board and a quartet of cans) and a toolbox-style caddy to hold all your condiments. Not only will these make carrying things quicker and keep your tabletop tidy, they'll also help reduce traffic to and from the kitchen and pantry so that you and your guests will have more time to relax and enjoy each other's company. H

Resene Sonique

Resene Fog Resene Lola

Resene Poet

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Get crafty

If you haven't already, you can also try these favourite projects to help you enjoy your outdoor space. Learn how to make them yourself at www. habitatbyresene.com/tips/weekend-warrior.

Resene Half Sauvignon







