



The Girola chair is part of the Tacchini line.

Dom NY in SoHo

Dom NY has just launched its SoHo-based flagship location. The showroom features high-quality European home-furnishing collections, which are dedicated to environmentally-friendly building techniques and a modern, minimalist aesthetic. The 10,000 square foot, three-story space will feature a mock-up of a two bedroom/two bath completely furnished apartment, intended as a resource for industry professionals and consumers. On display will be products by Alpes, Axia, AltaMarea, Bellato, EmmeBi, Kipro, Kristalia, Max Fire/Steel Time, Pallucco, Res, Tacchini, Vange and Valcucine, the high-end Italian kitchen systems manufacturer. Additionally, Dom NY will host the premiere North American installation of La Cucina Alessi. See www.domshowrooms.com.

Artist's Corner



Woodcarver Deborah Mills

Using chisels and a mallet, Deborah Mills coaxes spirits from the wood: angels, nymphs and numens, animals, winged beings, birds and mythical beasts. During a four-year stay in Oslo, Norway, Deborah immersed herself in Scandinavian folk art and the intricacies of Viking carving traditions. Continuing her studies in wood sculpture begun at the Art Students League of New York, she interned at the carving studio of the Viking Ship Museum in Oslo, where she studied with master woodcarver Erik Fridstroem. Mills creates unique carved doorways, doors, blanket-chests, hanging shelves, cabinets, ornamental benches, tables, chairs, sculptural bookends, mirror and picture frames, accessory boxes and other art furniture, garden ornamentation, and architectural detail. She also works with architects, designers, collectors, galleries, and museums. Contact Deborah Mills at 212.447.5146. See www.deborahmillswoodcarving.com



River: A Garden Shop in Connecticut

River is a specialty garden and interiors shop in the picturesque village of Essex, Connecticut, featuring outdoor garden elements, such as Campo de Fiori moss-covered terra cotta pots and wrought iron sculpture. The shop also carries luxury goods for the home, including Libeco Belgian linen bedding, tabletop accessories, fine soaps and candles, and one-of-a-kind antiques. Since the owners aim was to feature not only products but ideas, River's courtyard is a demonstration space featuring artfully-arranged items and floral displays, all for sale. See www.river-ct.com.



Pottery from Paintings Comes to Life

Inspired by the still life works of Van Gogh, Cézanne, Matisse, Pissarro, Picasso Carravaggio, Dali, and other artists, potter Todd Piker of Cornwall Bridge Pottery in Cornwall, Connecticut has designed a collection of pottery that appears in well-known paintings. In many paintings the pitcher, bowl, or pot takes on meaning as it is juxtaposed with fruit or flowers, and light and shadow, and Piker has brought those meanings to life. Each pot began as a recreation of what was in the painting, but in some cases Piker's study resulted in a unique new work. See www.cbpots.com.