



SITTING *pretty*

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Create a paradise inside and out with this season's experts on all things beautiful.

JULIA VERTOLLI *Decorative Dreams*

Design must-haves? Make first impressions count when guests enter your home. In your foyer, try a trendy console, geometric runner and a large mirror. Or, be creative in the powder room with a patterned wallpaper and a roman shade with colour and patterns.

Advice to potential clients: We focus on quality Greenguard-certified and Canadian-made products, such as Eclipse Shutters and Fusion Mineral Paints. When choosing window fashions, go cordless with the Hunter Douglas LiteRise feature. With the proper shade and paint colours, rooms are transformed into an environmentally-friendly work of art.



CODY DEVINE *Devine Image Lawn Maintenance*

Why hire a professional? When it comes to maintaining your lawn and gardens, it is not just about the materials, tools and techniques used. It represents the passion and pride of the homeowner.

What sets a well-landscaped home apart and what does it say about the homeowner? Lawn and garden maintenance is the path to your very own paradise and your sanctuary from the outside world. It's your plot of land, your homestead. You see it every time you leave and return home. It's also the first thing guests see. Your lawn and garden are a public expression of your character.

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PETER LATKOLIK & JUSTIN BERUBE

Rain Gods Inc.

Specialty: We service, install and optimize irrigation and landscape lighting systems to ensure a season of green grass, healthy gardens and extended beauty at night. Seasonal maintenance means our clients have one less phone call to make. Our difference is in our knowledge and experience.

Outdoor tips: 1. Water when the sun is down to allow water to penetrate roots. 2. Have your system inspected in spring and mid-season to ensure it is running efficiently and optimized for new growth and temperature. 3. Not only does landscape lighting enhance your home and garden, it provides a great source of security and safety throughout the property. **OH**



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