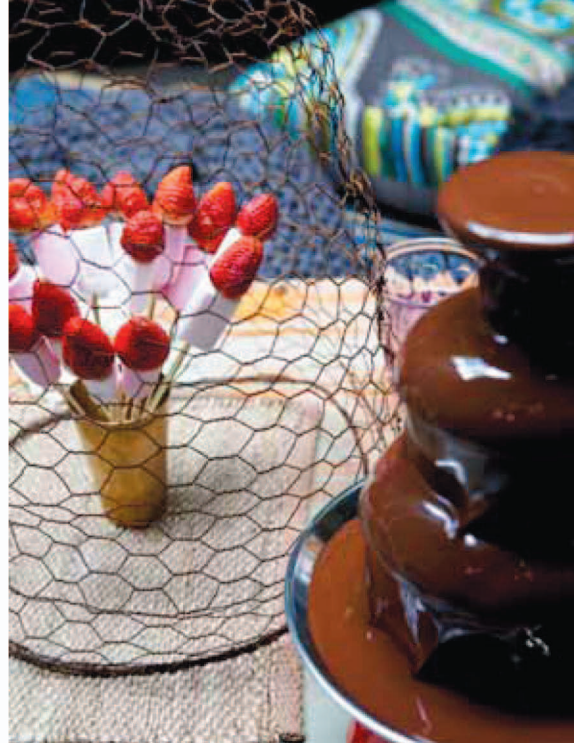




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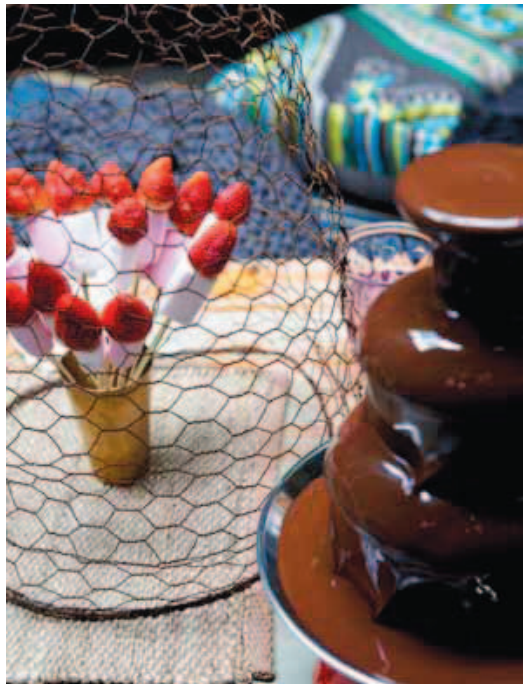


TOP LEFT: 'Walter's Family' sculptures, \$1500, by Walter Auer at Tibet Sydney. Copper lantern, \$95, and pillar candle, \$5, Orson & Blake. TOP RIGHT: The Servery & Soup Station ceramic birds, \$25 each, Terrace. Breville single hot plate, \$68.97, Big W. 'Microstoven' 6.5L casserole, \$129.95, Maxwell & Williams. Etched glass tumblers, \$15 each, Orson & Blake. Beige floral bowls, \$57 medium, Ada & Darcy. BOTTOM LEFT: As previous pages. Patio by Jamie Durie cast iron chiminea, \$148, Big W. Extra large turquoise ginger jar, \$242, floral storage jar, \$89, all Ada & Darcy. *Dichondra* 'Silver Falls' in green pot, \$45, Watermelon Peperomia in pot, \$45, all Terrace. Brass vase, \$120, Tibet Sydney. BOTTOM RIGHT: Ochre velvet cushion with linen back, \$145, Mongolian lamb-fur cushion in ink, \$120, red wine glass, \$27, all Orson & Blake. Sam, as previous page. OPPOSITE: Lantern, candle and sculpture as previous pages and above. >

# *Pleasure pour*

DECADENT CHOCOLATE-DIPPED STRAWBERRIES AND DECANTED RED WINE ARE PERFECT COMPANIONS TO LINGERING AFTERNOONS OUTDOORS





OPPOSITE: Taylor (seated left) wears 'Silk Road Sweet' kimono, Ada & Darcy. Lisa (standing) wears 'Voodoo Child' long sleeve T-shirt with hood, Camilla Franks. Miranda and Sam as before. Vinoteca 'Duck' decanter, \$89.95, Krosno. Red wine glasses, \$27 each, Orson & Blake. 'Choccy' chocolate fountain, \$74.95, Sunbeam. Blue striped rug as previous page. TOP LEFT: Charcuterie platter, \$45.99 Victor Churchill. TOP RIGHT: Chocolate fountain as above. Brass cups, \$25 each, Tibet Sydney. Wire cover, \$35, Doug Up On Bourke. BOTTOM LEFT & RIGHT: All as above and previous pages. 🍷



#### DIY GARLANDS

Cut each sheet of tissue paper in half. Fold half sheet in half, then half again and half again. Punch a hole a little towards one corner with scissors and cut through any folds in the paper. Thread string through the hole and tie off. Scrunch each layer of tissue to your liking or until it resembles a pompom or flower.

#### CHAI TEA

To enjoy a lovely outdoor brew, use Twinings new Vanilla Scented Chai Teabags. Add a teaspoon of Monin rose syrup to sweeten and warm milk. Or, try it Sri Lankan-style and add a couple of teaspoons of sweetened condensed milk.



OPPOSITE: 'Tsangpo' rug, \$1030/m<sup>2</sup>, Tibet Sydney. Vintage Afghani ottoman, \$350, hexagonal side table, \$695, glass lantern with leather handle and trim, \$220, and three-wick pillar candle, \$48, all Orson & Blake. Abstract floral rug, \$1150/m<sup>2</sup>, orange hand-knotted cushion, \$420 large, Tibet Sydney. Gold leather Moroccan pouffe, \$184, Ada & Darcy. 'Saffron' floor cushion in green, \$119.95, from Kas. Balls of wool (on bench), \$65 small, \$75 large, Tibet Sydney. Other pouffes as page 33. Ceramic sculptures, LEFT TO RIGHT: 'Formosa', \$3300, 'Amata', \$3000, 'Giocosa', \$3500, 'Gocce', \$3300, all by Walter Auer at Tibet Sydney. Turquoise plant stand, \$95, Doug Up On Bourke. Maiden Hair fern in white pot, \$45, Terrace. TOP RIGHT: Placemat and mirror, stylist's own. Monin rose syrup, \$18.50, 'Paris' glass teapot, \$35, and cups, \$16, all T2. BOTTOM RIGHT: As page 33. Handmade brass cutlery, \$35 per set, Tibet Sydney. 'Neem' yellow napkins, \$36 for four, Ada & Darcy. Brass camel, \$275, vase, \$59, and bowl, \$55, all Orson & Blake. Bongo, stylist's own. 'Purl' ottoman (charcoal), \$149.95, from Kas. >