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CALIFORNIA STYLE

AT LEISURE

LAKE TAHOE
NEWPORT BEACH
BEVERLY HILLS
SAN FRANCISCO
PORTOLA VALLEY
LOS ANGELES





Arterra Landscape Architects project on Whiskey Hill. RIGHT An Evens Architects' storage system in Manhattan Beach.

HOLDING COURT

A typical pairing in wine country: bocce ball in one hand, glass of cabernet in the other. All you need for a residential court is 91 by 13 feet for regulation (or 60 by 10 feet for fun). Explains Erik Evens, partner at KAA Design Group/Evens Architects (evensarc.com), "[A court] can be integrated into many gardens, both modernist and traditional in style, without overpowering. The installation and the equipment are not elaborate or expensive." Look for landscapers who specialize in the installation of hard surfaces like oystershell (see jennabayer.com and boccebrew.com). The wine is up to you.



LOS ANGELES

A NEW LEAF Budding floral designer **Krystal Chang** draws from her architectural practice to inform her arrangements. "Structure and form are the first things I consider," she says. Here, she balances wild and formal using dahlias against bright cornflowers, lavender scabiosa, nigella pods and tuberose with loose Queen Anne's lace filler. The foraged foliage is from a honey locust tree and dwarf umbrella tree. krystalchang.com.

Garden Club

TUBULAR! **Garden Glory** hoses, nozzles and racks come in gold, silver, white, even bubble-gum pink. From \$111; scandinaviandesigncenter.com. **STAKE DINNER** Mark your veggies with **Thomas Keller's** copper plaques and seed sets. \$8; tkrg.com. **BLOOM BOX** Billie Holiday would drool over these delivery boxes of a dozen-plus fragrant gardenias from S.F.-based **High Camp Supply**. From \$119; highcampsupply.com.



CONTAINER STORES

For colossal concrete with color, seek out Half Moon Bay's **Mary Martha Collins**. marymarthacollins.com. In San Francisco, find minimalist style (with maximalist size) at **Atelier Vierkant**, a year-old Belgian showroom. ateliervierkant.com. What's more, join David Rizzo at **Roger's Gardens** in Corona Del Mar for a containers workshop on Sept. 13. rogersgardens.com. San Francisco's **Atelier Vierkant**.

