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LIGHT & SHADE

I love items in my home to tell a story. When I found the Asho rattan pendant lampshade from Kalinko, I immediately started thinking about how it would create a beautiful, calming atmosphere above my dinner table. Kalinko's homeware products are all made in Burma by local artisans, and all purchase costs go straight to the maker who created the piece.

ASHO RATTAN LARGE PENDANT LAMP SHADE, £120, kalinko.com



ASPEN TOTE BAG, £135, lawfullondon.com

IN THE BAG

Lawful London's sophisticated bags, made from PVC-free vegan leather, tick all the boxes for stylish sustainability. I chose the feminine and functional Aspen tote. It includes a spacious main compartment, slip pockets and a padded laptop sleeve. Gorgeous, vegan, and with room for my laptop? I'm sold!

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OUR COLUMNIST, SUSTAINABLE STYLIST ARMELLE FERGUSON, SHARES HER FAVOURITE GREEN-LIVING FINDS



Single-use plastic bags have been a no-no, until now! Yago Eco Accessories transforms supermarket bags into elegant modern jewellery.

The contemporary colourful designs are the ideal statement piece.

ORANGE RECTANGLE STUD EARRINGS, £35, yagoeco.com

TINY ADVENTURERS

When I was young, I loved making dens and playing outside. So when I found out about Den Kit's adorable sets, I wished I could go back in time. Designed to encourage children to play outside, whether it's a tiny garden, balcony or meadow, each set has the essential tools for an exciting adventure. The kits contain robust, high-quality, real tools, free from single-use plastic. They're the perfect way to help your children explore and discover nature – while also respecting it.

PIRATE DEN KIT, £45; MAKE A PIZZA FOR THE BIRDS KIT, £15, both thedenkit.co.uk

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HOW TO MAKE REUSABLE DISINFECTING WIPES

I'm not usually crafty, but when I saw how easy, affordable and sustainable it was to make my own disinfecting wipes, I got on board! Here's how to make one of my top cleaning hacks:

- 1 Put some orange peel in a jar half-filled with white vinegar for a week, to let it infuse.
- 2 After a week, fill the jar with water.
- 3 Cut old T-shirts into small squares – about the size of a regular cloth.
- 4 Soak the wipes in the jar, and use as needed on surfaces
- 5 Once the wipes get dirty, pop in the washing machine and then soak them again as required.

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