

Rocky home front

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► Dovetail Studios Neighborhood dinnerware and vases

■ **Why it's cool:** Plain white dishes are standard for those with a polished, contemporary style. However, Boulder-based Dovetail Studios offers the loft-loving types a fresh twist on their boring basics. The smooth ceramic pieces are lovingly made by hand and reveal playful sketches of birds, buildings and other things. A fun alternative for the modernist in the family.

■ **Cost:** \$42 plate, \$28 mug, 23 bowl

■ **Get it:** The Perfect Petal, 303-480-0966; dovetail-online.com



▲ Lupe magazine rack by Ynes Kropf for Brand Spankin' New

■ **Why it's cool:** Finally a magazine rack for design enthusiasts. As a student at Metropolitan State College of Denver, industrial designer Ynes Kropf conceived this stylish accessory. The rack holds up to 18 magazines, architectural drawings, newspapers or any type of paper project that needs to be stored and organized. A portion of the proceeds goes to Brand Spankin' New, which supports on-the-job training for budding furniture designers and business students.

■ **Cost:** \$270

■ **Get it:** Brandspankinnew.org



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