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Dog Adoption Event

at Cole St. Store

Saturday, July 19

11:00 am–1:00 pm

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The Ultimate Cooking Experience®



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Spotlight on COLE HARDWARE SUPPLIES

Besides our four retail locations, our COLE HARDWARE SUPPLIES division is also an integral part of our operations. With nearly 100 years of combined hardware knowledge, our SUPPLIES team can source building and cleaning supplies, hardware, paint, plumbing, and electrical supplies from an extensive array of manufacturers. We can visit on-site at any business to assess needs, offer credit terms, and provide just-in-time delivery. Property management firms, Bay Area municipal entities, and various county and city departments are just some of our SUPPLIES customers. Our SUPPLIES crew specializes in the “hard to find.”



COLE HARDWARE SUPPLIES sales team:
Joe and Veronica

Meet the COLE HARDWARE SUPPLIES Crew:

Joe, Sales

Joe has been the rock of COLE HARDWARE SUPPLIES for 15 years, solving problems and servicing businesses and municipal agencies reliably. He's *continued on page 2...*

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Dog Adoption Event

956 Cole Street

Saturday, July 19

11:00 am—1:00 pm



Join us at our Cole Street location as we sponsor a dog adoption event with our friends from Copper's Dream Rescue, a group that has a long history of rescuing dogs up and down the state. You might recall that our Mission Street crew and Copper's Dream

A \$25 COLE HARDWARE gift card will be given to anyone who adopts a dog at the event.

Make a donation of \$10 or more during the event and receive a \$5 COLE HARDWARE gift card.



hosted a successful adoption event in May. We're pleased to report that one dog was adopted and three foster homes were found for dogs awaiting permanent placement into loving homes.

Copper's Dream helps dogs of all sizes, shapes, and breeds and is dedicated to the mission of ending the euthanasia of adoptable animals through increasing public awareness, taking legal action benefitting shelter dogs, and rescuing dogs scheduled for euthanasia.

We will also have a variety of supplies available that Copper's Dream needs to host their many furry friends, which can be purchased as a donation. Even if you can't adopt a dog, come by and show your support. You might even fall in love!



Big Green Egg® Demonstration

Saturday, July 26

11:00 am-1:00 pm

Mission Street Location

3312 Mission Street

See the Big Green Egg in action and prepare to get hungry! More than just a barbecue, the Big Green Egg is a complete cooking system that allows you to grill, slow cook, bake, smoke, and roast. Join us as we cook up a variety of tasty treats, while demonstrating how easy it is!

Versatility is the name of the game with a Big Green Egg. Perfectly prepare anything from a steakhouse-style grilled porterhouse to a tender brisket, turkey, or pork tenderloin. Vegetables, stews, stir-frys, casseroles—even pies and desserts—are superbly cooked with an EGG. Pizza on an EGG is in a class of its own. You can literally cook an entire meal with an EGG!



The Ultimate Cooking Experience



Spotlight on COLE HARDWARE SUPPLIES

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been accumulating hardware wisdom for nearly 45 years! Whatever your business needs, Joe will find it for you.

Veronica, Sales

With 15 years of hardware experience, Veronica is the newest addition to the team. Many Mission Street shoppers will remember Vero as the popular store manager at that location.

Dave, Inside Sales

When Joe and Veronica are out servicing accounts, Dave is your man to get you what you need. His hardware knowledge is expansive with nearly 30 years of expertise.

Jose, Operations

Jose, or "Naz" as he is known, keeps our operation running smoothly, receiving merchandise and scheduling your deliveries when convenient for your business.

Matt, Delivery

Bringing COLE HARDWARE SUPPLIES to your business is our friendly delivery driver, Matt, who also boasts years of hardware knowledge.

Call us for a quote today at 415/647-1800!



*Joe, Veronica, Jose, and Dave
Not shown, rock star driver Matt*

Marc: Our Master Locksmith

COLE HARDWARE would like to introduce our customers to Marc Estoqe, our Master Class Locksmith. Marc, a native San Franciscan, has been working with COLE HARDWARE for more than 15 years; in fact, he has over 25 years' experience installing and maintaining locks in the many Victorians and Edwardians in our City. He takes pride in his work and offers unparalleled customer service in the COLE HARDWARE tradition: "Your satisfaction guaranteed!"

Marc says that a typical call these days is a rekey (combination change), whereby, for many different reasons, a customer needs his or her locks changed. The average person just needs the lock changed or is locked out. In most cases, Marc provides fast 30-minute response times. Marc says, "You should take a few minutes to recall who might have copies of your property keys" (a former housemate, dog walker, tradesperson, contractor, etc.). Many people in San Francisco live in shared housing. Locks and keys are rarely changed when a property is bought, sold, or rerented, which means old tenants and their friends, associates, and so on, still might have keys to your home.

Marc suggests that homeowners, businesses, and property managers purchase a lock system that will block unauthorized duplication of keys. This concept is called "key control." COLE HARDWARE carries locks that operate with high-security and patented keys. Marc advises his customers to consider master key systems as another option.

Customers should consider getting a security consultation if they have any doubts or concerns about the overall security of their property. Additionally, they should install quality locks such as Schlage® or high-security locks like Medeco®. If a customer would like a security consultation, Marc can do a complete walk-through of the property. He will look for any security vulnerabilities and point out any substandard hardware (locks, windows, doors, etc.). He will then provide a written summary that will include suggestions as well as hardware recommendations. A standard security consultation is \$150. If customers choose Marc to upgrade their security, the \$150 fee is applied to the final bill. **For the month of July, Marc is offering a special price of \$99.99 for a security consultation!**

Marc is versed in the many different high-security locks and their installations, including commercial applications such as magnetic card readers, biometric (finger print reader) locks, and push-button entry systems. In addition, Marc also provides automotive service for customers locked out of their cars.

From simple rekeys and dead bolt installations to high-security locks and master key systems, Marc can do it all. If you would like to contact Marc for your locksmith needs, you can call him directly at 415/760-LOCK (5625), or call our Repair Referral Service at **415/753-2653 ext. 3**, and we will put you in touch with Marc. We also do referrals via e-mail at **homerepair@colehardware.com**.



Re-COLE-mend: Locksmith, Home Repair, Design + Build, and much more!

Repair Referral Service

COLE HARDWARE's Repair Referral Service was created to introduce our customers to the finest contractors and tradespeople we know. We have formed alliances with independent businesspeople in order to provide you with the very best in home repair, maintenance, and remodeling. Some jobs may even be performed by qualified members of our staff.

We provide referrals for:

- Air Conditioning
- Alarms/Security Systems/Access Control
- Antique Restoration
- Appliance Repair and Installation**
- Arborist
- Architectural Planning
- Asbestos Removal
- Bath Resurface
- Brick and Stone Masonry
- Cabinetmaking
- Carpentry**
- Carpet and Linoleum Installation
- Carpet Cleaning
- Chimney Sweep and Repair
- Cleaning/Janitorial
- Commercial Kitchen Installation

- Computer Data Cabling
- Computer Grounding
- Computer Repair and Tutoring
- Concrete
- Custom Closets, Pantries, and Storage Solutions
- Decks New/Stain
- Design + Build
- Disaster Cleanup and Restoration (Flood/Fire/Sewage)
- Door Refinishing
- Drain Cleaning
- Drywall / Lath
- Duct and Dryer Vent Cleaning
- Electrical 24/7**
- Emergency Locksmith
- Emergency Power Restoration

- Faucet Repair and Installation
- Fences
- Furnace Repair and Installation
- Furniture Refinishing and Repair
- Furniture Upholstering
- Garage Door Repair/Installation
- Gardening/Pruning/Tree Trimming
- General Contractors
- Glass Installation
- Grout Restoration
- Handyman Services**
- Hardwood Floors New/Refinish
- Home and Office Organizing
- Home Energy Rating Systems (HERS)
- Home Entertainment Systems

- Insulation Installation
- Intercom Systems
- Interior Design, Staging, and Color Consultation
- Interior Wood Refinishing and Restoration
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- Plastering
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- Remodeling/Major Remodeling**
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- Room Additions
- Security Evaluation/Consultation
- Seismic Upgrading
- Sheet Metal Work
- Shutter Installation

- Skylights
- Solar Energy Installation
- Stained Glass Creation and Repair
- Stair Lift Installation
- Stucco Work
- Telephone System Installation
- Tile Installation
- Wallpaper Application
- Water Heater Installation
- Welding
- Window Cleaning/Repair
- Windows and Doors



Re-COLE-mend...

COLE HARDWARE REPAIR REFERRAL SERVICE

Independent contractors and tradespeople for:

- Home, business, and property repairs
- Maintenance
- Remodeling/room additions

Contact us at 415/753-2653 ext. 3 or e-mail homerepair@colehardware.com

All of the vendors and tradespeople in our Repair Referral Service have been pre-screened and carefully selected. Your satisfaction is 100% guaranteed. Period.*

*If you aren't satisfied, we will work as your advocate until you are.

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Meet Matt, General Contractor

Matt began his construction career as a teenager for a custom homebuilder based in northeast Ohio. He learned the basic techniques of building and developed the eye-hand coordination needed for manipulating tools and handling construction materials. While working construction part time during the year and full time during the summers, Matt earned a bachelor's degree in geography and urban planning.

After college, Matt utilized his education and worked at a small city planning department, assisting the principal city planner with various construction-related policies. While learning the complex relationship between building and city planning, Matt realized his interest in the physical construction process outweighed the city politics side. After this discovery, Matt decided he wanted to take his knowledge and experience elsewhere, and he put his sights on the West Coast.

Landing in San Francisco, Matt was fascinated with the Victorian and Edwardian homes and their unique characteristics. To this day, preserving these homes has

become a primary focus, but he does not limit himself in styles or structure. He has been remodeling and repairing residences of all types in the San Francisco Bay Area for over 13 years and founded



A peek at some of Matt's fine craftsmanship.

his construction company in 2008. Matt holds a California General Contractor's B license and carries full general liability and workman's comp insurances. For all your repair and remodel needs for home or business, contact Matt through our Repair Referral Service at 415/753-2653 ext. 3 or e-mail homerepair@colehardware.com.

Wanted: Talented Tradespeople!

Our Repair Referral Service is in need of the below tradespeople at this time. If you specialize in one of these areas, please contact us at 415/753-2653 ext. 3 or e-mail homerepair@colehardware.com.

- Gardeners and landscapers
- Tile setters
- Concrete contractors

Because our tradespeople are ambassadors of COLE HARDWARE, we will perform background and credit checks and vet references thoroughly.



WHAT'S UNIQUE?

Allett: The World's Thinnest Wallets

Proudly made in the United States, Allett wallets relieve the hassles and discomforts associated with carrying a bulky wallet. And while our smartphones keep getting bigger and bigger, this stylish and functional wallet's thin shape is perfect for men and women on the go.

Dropped your wallet in a puddle on a hike? No worries! Simply lay it out to dry and count on a fast drying time. With an internal cross-pattern stitch and a moisture-wicking coating, the thin nylon makes these wallets durable and water resistant.

Allett's SoftTech nylon style



is made from a thin and nearly weightless rip-stop material that provides tear-resistant strength and long-lasting durability. (Sku 926675, \$19.99)

Their classic leather style is made with top-quality Napa cowhide. The full-grain leather shows the true characteristics of the hide and allows for the fibers' natural strength. Noted for its soft, supple feel and lasting durability, rather than wearing out, Napa leather develops a patina over time. The grain has breathability, producing less moisture while allowing for a faster dry time. Combined with rip-stop nylon, the thin cut of Napa leather creates the perfect balance for an optimally performing wallet. (Sku 926678, \$34.99)

Technology in Action

Though we're not quite in the Jetson's era yet, we're seeing more and more technology integrating with

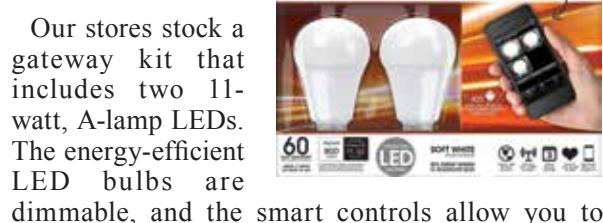
our everyday homelife. Check out these new products that you'll find at a COLE HARDWARE near you.

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A HOME SMART LIGHTING SYSTEM

Connected by TCP utilizes LED technology that operates on a home's Wi-Fi network and is controlled by any iOS- or Android-enabled device, allowing instant remote control of up to 250 bulbs, in groups by room. The system was top rated in a recent edition of *Consumer Reports*. The handheld remote has been tested up to 150 feet, and smartphone access depends on the home wireless router connection to the smartphone, but you can control your home lighting from anywhere in the world—from Bernal Heights to Budapest—from a personal computer with Internet connection!

**Control the lights
in your home
from anywhere!**



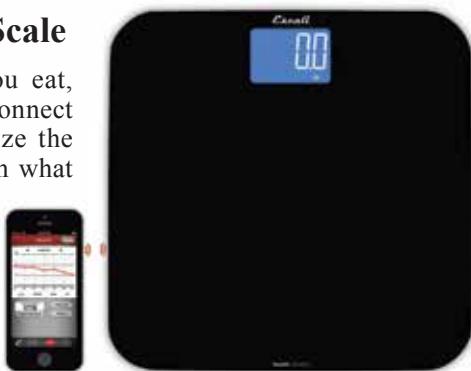
Our stores stock a gateway kit that includes two 11-watt, A-lamp LEDs. The energy-efficient LED bulbs are dimmable, and the smart controls allow you to customize and personalize your system. The system is very simple to set up and fun to use. (Sku 319000, \$129.99) Additional bulbs are available, too. (Sku 319001, \$27.99)



Escali® SMARTCONNECT™

Digital Body Scale

You are what you eat, and Escali SmartConnect will help you realize the connection between what you eat and what you weigh. Track weight and body mass index (BMI) with this scale and the SmartConnect app. Capable of weighing up to 440 pounds, the scale features instant-on technology, and a blue backlight display connects to your mobile devices with Bluetooth low-energy technology. The setup process is simple, and with the app, you can set goals and watch trends. (Sku 643004, \$89.99)



Digital Kitchen Scale

With this multipurpose, tempered-glass kitchen scale, you can not only weigh your food, but also calculate the nutritional value of what you're preparing—everything from fats, carbs, and protein to vitamins and minerals—with a free app for your smartphone. 9 3/4" x 6". Lifetime warranty. (Sku 645148, **HOT DEAL \$59.99** Regular price \$69.99)



SinkPositive™

As a retrofitted sink basin, SinkPositive delivers a touch-free hand wash with every flush. It's simple to install and even easier to use. By rerouting clean water from the supply line, the water runs through the faucet for a touch-free hand wash and then drains directly into the bowl. The reuse of this soapy water to refill the bowl helps save gallons of water each day and promotes hygiene to stop the transmission of diseases.



SinkPositive is a retrofit for your toilet lid that turns it into a sink, delivering a clean, environmentally friendly, and touch-free hand wash with every flush!

When you flush your toilet, fresh water that would normally refill your tank is instead routed through the SinkPositive faucet, no different than the water from your faucet. Wash your hands with the water flow, which then drains to your toilet bowl, where it is used for the next flush—saving about 2 gallons of water per person per day. (Sku 400031, \$139.99)

SinkPositive is ideal for any space-challenged powder room or basement toilet. As energy prices continue to rise, SinkPositive is a win for the environment and your wallet!



**Store hours: 8:00 am–8:00 pm
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FROM THE GARDEN CENTER

Visit our garden centers at the Cole Street, Polk Street, and Mission Street stores.

In the Garden July Garden Tasks

Tips from Dennis and Bill

Our dry season should be in full swing now as we enter the first full month of summer. Don't let your garden dry out. Watering early in the morning is best. Evening watering is preferable to watering in the heat of the day, but it can promote disease. Weeds steal valuable water, so make sure to keep them under control. These long summer days provide an ideal opportunity for enjoying your garden.

✓ **Fertilizer:** Annuals, perennials, and trees will enjoy a boost of nitrogen. Use an all-purpose fertilizer such as Espoma® Plant-tone. (Sku 7122930, \$9.99) After azaleas, camellias, and rhododendrons have finished blooming, use an acid-loving plant food on these. We recommend Espoma® Holly-tone. (Sku 7122773, \$9.99)



✓ **Wisterias:** These should have finished blooming, and long growth can be cut back by about half. This will stimulate the plants to form flower buds and reduce long, tangled growth—especially if it is growing onto eaves or windows.

✓ **Indoor plants:** For plants to be effective in cleaning indoor air, NASA suggests one potted plant per 100 square feet of indoor space. Some common indoor plants that are effective in removing formaldehyde, benzene, and carbon monoxide from the air include English ivy, gerbera daisies, peace lilies, and chrysanthemums.

✓ **Vegetables:** Plant a second crop of vegetables now: beets, bush beans, carrots, radishes, cabbage, cauliflower, fava beans, and turnips. Harvesting your vegetables while they are young, and on a regular basis, will keep them productively fruiting. Harvest early in the day.



✓ **Bearded irises:** Cut irises back to about 3 or 4 inches after they have finished blooming. You can dig up and divide the rhizomes (root mass) by cutting them apart. Let them dry for a day or so in a dark place. They can then be replanted.

✓ **Color:** Now is the time to plant summer flowering perennials, shrubs, and annuals. Marigolds, petunias, salvia, and begonias should all do the trick to make your garden bright and colorful.

✓ **Herbs:** Dry herbs by tying in bunches with raffia or ribbon. These make ideal hostess gifts when attending friends' backyard barbecues.



✓ **Aphids:** Combat aphids with a strong spray from the hose, with ladybugs, or with Safer® Insecticidal Soap. (Sku 74805, \$9.49) Release ladybugs in the evening at the base of your plant. If released during the day, the ladybugs will fly away. As they crawl up the plant, they will feast on the aphids.

✓ **Butterfly-loving plants:** To attract butterflies to your garden, it is essential to plant nectar-producing flowers for them to feed on. Our stores sell Botanical Interests® Bring Home the Butterflies seed packs. (Sku 701283, \$3.99) Also consider these plants:

- Flowers: goldenrod, milkweed, sunset, marigolds, cosmos, Mexican sunflowers, and phlox

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Widely used in agriculture, revegetation and mine reclamation projects, and to establish plants in erosion-prone areas, DriWater allows plants to flourish in places where they would otherwise not grow at all. (DriWater recently committed to planting over 17 million trees in a Cairo, Egypt, development. This will allow the growth of many trees in over 35,000 acres in the middle of the Sahara Desert!)

DriWater is good for the health of both you and your plants—you enjoy worry-free watering, and your plants stay healthy with reliable, consistent moisture in the root zone. Use DriWater to conserve water, increase survival rates, and facilitate difficult planting



throughout your landscape.

The DriWater Tube and Insert can be used as a permanent source of water for container growing or to establish plants in hard-to-reach places (such as hanging or elevated plants and plants on decks). (Sku 707016, \$4.99)

The Gel Pac can be used alone on small potted plants or as refills for DriWater Tube. When used alone, the Gel Pac will water a plant for up to 30 days. (Sku 707020, \$2.99)

The DriWater Quart

Carton placed next to the root mass will provide consistent, subsurface drip irrigation to a plant or seedling over a three-month period, regardless of ambient temperature or humidity. Only the treated plant receives water and not the surrounding surface area, greatly reducing competition from undesirable plants and weeds. The window of transplant success is therefore extended through the summer months. (Sku 707015, \$3.99)



Stop by our Cole Street garden center for all your gardening needs. The advice is free from the Garden Guys, Dennis and Bill. E-mail them with any questions: dennis@colehardware.com or blitz@colehardware.com.

- Vegetables: broccoli, kale, and cabbage
- Herbs: catnip, lavender, thyme, dill, sage, and parsley

✓ **Honeybee-friendly plants:** Our garden centers stock plants from local suppliers Blooms and Sweetwater. These are honeybee friendly and free of the insecticides neonicotinoids, which are believed to be a possible cause of the honeybee colony collapse syndrome. We also stock Botanical Interests® Save the Bees seed packs. (Sku 701295, \$4.99)



See you in the garden!

Visit Our Backyard
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WHAT'S IN SEASON

Carhartt® at Cole Fox



Synonymous with the highest level of quality, Carhartt work wear is the preferred clothing of professional tradespeople—and hipsters—across the land! Our downtown Cole Fox location carries a wide

assortment of classic Carhartt as well as fashionable, everyday casual styles.

We offer three different vests, including the Arctic quilt-lined vest, made of 12-ounce, 100% ring-spun cotton duck. For warmth, it features a nylon lining quilted to arctic-weight polyester insulation, plus a rib-knit collar, and in back, a drop tail. Other features include a front zipper with wind flap, a convenient inside patch pocket with hook-and-loop closure, and front hand-warmer pockets. (\$63.99)



With enough comfort, support, and protection for all activities, the

waterproof Carhartt men's lightweight hiker composite toe work boot can take on anything. This boot is loaded with key features throughout; with an EVA midsole and OrthoLite® insoles, you're provided with unbeatable cushioning. Add on the rubber outsole that's oil-, chemical-, and slip-resistant to make this Carhartt boot one of the best around. (\$139.99)



Made in the United States, the double-front work dungaree is made of 12-ounce, firm-hand, 100% ring-spun cotton duck. It features chap-style, double-front panels as well as double knees with cleanout bottoms to accommodate kneepads. It's cut to sit at the natural waist and offers a full seat and thigh. A hammer loop and multiple tool and utility pockets add convenience, and the 19-inch leg openings fit over work boots. (\$44.99)



The relaxed fit jean is designed to last. Made of 11.75-ounce, 100% cotton denim, it sits below the natural waist and has a relaxed fitting seat and thigh. It also has two reinforced back pockets, triple-stitched main seams, and leg openings that fit over boots. Available in two weathered shades of denim. (\$49.99)



Our Cole Fox store also stocks a variety of accessories, including a new assortment of work gloves and socks.



**Pick up an
Outdoor Living
2014 Catalog
at any of
our stores.**

Big Green Egg

The Ultimate Cooking Experience®

The Big Green Egg is a blend of the best of ancient wisdom, modern technology, and proprietary processes, resulting in a far superior product that is stronger, more durable, and provides better heat insulation than any other outdoor cooker on the market. Reaching cooking temperatures in just minutes, the Big Green Egg allows you to grill, smoke, and bake at exact temperatures by easily adjusting the air flow control. You have accurate control at your fingertips of temperatures ranging up to 750°F—many indoor ovens cannot match the EGG in temperature control and accuracy!

Big Green EGG natural lump charcoal is made in the United States from oak and hickory for superb performance and results. (Sku 870010)

**10% OFF
All Big Green Eggs
and "Eggcessories"
until July 7!**



Lighting the charcoal is quick and easy, as the design of the Big Green Egg allows airflow to work like a fireplace. Use a natural charcoal starter (Sku 870011) or an electric starter (Sku 869024), and never buy lighter fluid again.



Sizzlin' Saws!

NEW!

Just in time for an Independence Day barbecue, we introduce our Sizzlin' BBQ Saws and Sizzlin' Hot Saws! Fire up the grill with this mildly sweet barbecue sauce with a great hickory flavor. Molasses, brown sugar, Worcestershire sauce, and a little hot sauce add to the flavor. Enjoy a free jar with any barbecue purchase over \$100, while supplies last. (Sku 999201, \$5.99)

Inspired by our founder Dave Karp's love of liberal hot sauce use, we introduce our Sizzlin' Hot Saws. This extra-hot habanero chili hot sauce adds a wonderful flavor and heat level to any food. (Sku 999200, \$4.99) While there are plenty of other condiments that offer lots of flavor, our hot "saws" does the same with no calories or fat!



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HARDWARE KNOWLEDGE

Paint Brush Choice and Care

Better Brushes, Better Results

Though people may spend hours pondering the right paint type and hue for their redecorating project, they often don't devote enough time selecting the proper brush for the job. Just as paints are available in a wide array of types, paintbrushes also offer an abundance of options.

You may be tempted to "make do" with a less-expensive brush, but the difference in price between an inferior brush and a good-quality one is far outweighed by the ease of application and superior results. Furthermore, you'll save money in the long run with a brush that can withstand project after project.

All brushes are not created alike. The type of paint used will dictate the best brush for the job. Paint brush bristles (fibers) fall into two general categories: **natural bristles** and **synthetic bristles**. Natural bristle brushes should be



used only with oil-based (solvent) products. Do not use natural bristle brushes with latex (water-based) paint. Natural bristles will absorb the water in latex paint and soften—causing the finish coat of paint to have streaks or other noticeable defects.

Synthetic bristle brushes are made from man-made materials such as polyester or nylon and are excellent for latex and other water-base products because they hold their shape and resiliency. They are also easy to clean, and their filaments will not soften and become limp. They can also be used for oil-base paints.

Use the right size brush.

It may seem elementary, but using the right size brush will save you time and effort and give you far better results. One-inch brushes are made for trim, shutters, and most touch-up. Four-inch brushes are designed for painting larger surface areas such as interior walls, paneling, exterior siding, and so on. A project with sharp angles or other unusual surfaces may



require an angular brush. Long handles on trim and sash brushes make it easy to reach into hard-to-get places and are good for "cutting in."

Checking for quality.

Paint brushes should always be springy, and a good brush will get better with use. Cheap brushes have silky bristles that tend to break easily. On a good-quality brush, at least half the bristles will have split ends ("flags")—these hold more paint and spread it out more uniformly.

To check for quality, hit the brush against your hand and fan the bristles to see if they come out easily. If you've decided to use a cheap brush, keep a pair of tweezers handy to immediately pick loose bristles off the freshly painted surface.

Now that you own a superior brush, take care of it!

The lifetime of a brush is determined to a large degree on the treatment it receives. Whenever possible, retain the original brush keeper and cleaning instructions. Many professionals clean their brushes more than once during the workday to prolong the life of their tools. Here are some tips to help you extend the life of your new paint brushes:

- Before using a new paint brush with oil-based paint, soak it for a day in linseed oil. The brush will last longer and be easier to clean.
- Before loading a brush with a water-based product, dampen it with water. This will draw some of the water into the ferrule (which holds the brushes' bristles) and prevent paint from drying out the brush during use. It will also prevent paint from clumping as you work and make cleanup easier.
- Resist the temptation to use your larger brush edgewise—the rounding off of brush corners shortens brush life and produces an inferior paint job. Use a brush designed to be used edgewise, or paint with the flat surface of a smaller brush.
- For each type of paint, there is a specially formulated solvent that works best to remove residue from the brush. Be sure to use the appropriate cleaner.
- "Fingering," the clumpy separation of filaments, occurs when a brush is only half cleaned and allowed to dry with paint residue holding the filaments crooked. To avoid fingering, clean brushes properly.
- To clean brushes, remove excess paint by wiping the brush on sheets of old newspaper. Then pour an inch or two of the correct solvent into a clean can or bucket. Press the bristles down and work the brush up and down against the bottom of the can to bring all the bristles in contact with the solvent. Do this for a minute or two and then wipe the bristles almost dry by again stroking the brush across sheets of old newspaper. Replace the dirty solvent with clean and repeat the washing process two or three times. Give the brush a final washing in warm water and detergent. Then comb the bristles flat by using a metal brush comb or a coarse hair comb (do not comb with a wire brush). Pat the brush dry with a paper towel, and then place it in its original packaging or brown wrapping paper secured with tape. Store the brush hanging by its handle or lying flat.

Saw Blades: Pick the Right One for Your Project

Saw blades are designed with specific features to get the job done. Here are some characteristics to look for when you shop for a saw blade:

Heat vents and expansion slots. Heat buildup can distort a blade or cause it to lose its tempering. Heat vents are cut into the blade's body to help the blade cool as it cuts. Expansion slots are cut into the perimeter of the blade, allowing it to expand without distorting.

Roundness. Blade roundness impacts cutting accuracy and product life. The hole used for mounting the blade to the saw—called the "arbor"—must be perfectly round and exactly on center to prevent wobble and uneven cutting.

Kerf. Kerf is the saw blade's thickness. Thinner kerf wastes less material—and is designed to cut with minimal friction and without binding. Thick kerf has more cutting power.

Carbide vs. steel. A carbide

blade will cut better and last longer than a steel blade. C4-grade carbide is the hardest material—saw blades designed for professionals are normally made of C4 carbide. C3- and C2-grade carbide blades are designed for the do-it-yourselfer.

Coatings. A black silicone coating is added to the best C4 carbide blades, resulting in smoother cutting and no pitch or resin buildup. (The silicone also reduces friction and heat buildup, thus extending the life of the blade.) Saw blades may also be treated with silicone or lacquer to reduce oxidation (rust).

Blade types. Generally speaking, the more teeth, the smoother and more accurate the cut. A typical 7 1/4" ripping blade might have 12 to 24 teeth, a general-purpose crosscut blade might have 40 teeth, and a trim and finishing blade might have up to 60 teeth. The "grind" is also important. Look for precision grinding on the top, sides, and face of each tooth—this ensures safe and accurate cutting without chipping the material.



ENVIRONMENTAL INFO

Garden for the Environment—July Classes

Our longtime community partner Garden for the Environment (GFE) is San Francisco's nationally acclaimed organic demonstration garden in the Inner Sunset at 7th Avenue and Lawton Street. Since its

founding in 1990, the garden has operated as a demonstration site for small-scale urban ecological food production, organic gardening, compost education, and low-water-use landscaping. Garden

for the Environment was the recipient of our April spare change collection (see photo). Here's what GFE has planned for the upcoming months.

Urban Composting

Date: Saturday, July 12

Time: 10:00 am–12:00 pm

Cost: FREE; sponsored by the San Francisco Department of the Environment

Summer can be a great time to start a new compost pile as your vegetables are in full production mode! Join GFE to discover how to turn those leftovers, either from the garden or the kitchen, into "black gold." This fun, hands-on workshop teaches methods for both backyard and worm composting for all seeking to enrich the bounty of their gardens and reduce their ecological footprint. Come learn what you can do to improve your garden and prevent organic waste from ending up in the landfill! Rot on!

Edible Plants for Shade & Part Shade

Date: Saturday, July 26

Time: 10:00 am–12:00 pm

Cost: \$25, or \$15 for GFE members

Got shade? Don't be jealous of those sun-drenched vegetable gardens! You absolutely can have an edible garden without six hours of sun every day. Join Ellyn Shea, garden educator and Bay Friendly Landscape Professional, as she shares her experiences creating and maintaining an edible garden in a north-facing backyard in San Francisco. Learn the different kinds of shade, some good plant choices for part or even full shade, and how to take advantage of the light you do have. At the end, we'll raffle off a few shady edibles for your garden!



GFE's program manager Maggie Guerra gets a hug and a check from our April spare change collection during the Energy Upgrade California grizzly bear visit.

This introductory class will cover:

- How to incorporate the top medicinal plants for our area into an attractive garden
- How to care for and harvest them
- How to make them into your own medicinal teas, tinctures, salves, and inhalants

As part of the class, you'll make several herbal remedies that will be yours to take home.

Get Up!

Course Dates: September 13–December 10, 2014 (Saturdays, 10:00 am–3:00 pm; Wednesdays 6:30 pm–9:00 pm)

Materials Fee: \$300 (includes a backyard or worm compost bin and three books)

The Gardening and Composting Educator Training Program (Get Up!) is designed to educate a small cohort of San Francisco residents in the basics of organic gardening, urban agriculture, and compost education. Get Up! runs from September to December with classes on Saturdays and some Wednesday evenings. Course instruction includes hands-on gardening skill development and experience, lectures, awesome field trips, and discussions of pertinent social and environmental issues with local leaders of the urban agricultural movement.

The course is facilitated by Garden for the Environment (GFE) instructors and staff along with a dozen inspiring guest speakers, many of them Get Up! grads themselves! After completion of the program, Get Up! students will design their own capstone project, offering 40 hours of community service to the local urban agriculture, food justice, or nutrition literacy project of their choice.

Students will graduate from the course with:

- New skills and knowledge essential to organic gardening, sustainable landscaping, and urban agriculture
- An understanding of the importance of sustainable agriculture
- The experience and ability to teach a two-hour composting class at GFE
- A supportive community of like-minded individuals committed to leading positive change



The Backyard Apothecary

Date: Saturday, July 26

Time: 1:00 pm–3:00 pm

Cost: \$35, or \$25 for GFE members (includes \$10 materials fee)

A surprising number of our common garden plants have been used for centuries to ease everyday health problems and support overall wellness. Learn about some of the best herbal remedy plants for San Francisco and start growing your own medicine!



As part of the kickoff of this new initiative, the grizzly bear from the California state flag crawled down the flagpole and paid us a visit at our Cole Street location on May 20. Despite, his "grizzly" nature, the bear was a sweetheart and posed for photos to the delight of our shoppers, passers-by, and our crew.

Visit Energy Upgrade California for more information and energy-saving tips at energyupgradeca.org.

All classes take place at the Garden for the Environment garden at 7th Avenue and Lawton Street. To apply for Get Up! or to sign up for any classes, visit www.gardenfortheenvironment.org. The Edible Plants and Backyard Apothecary workshops each cost to addend, although no one will be turned away for lack of funds. Preregistration is required.

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Rent-A-Tote

It's funny how the value of a used cardboard box can skyrocket quickly from that of discarded dumpster trash to a covetable treasure when you are moving. Boxes of all sizes and states of deterioration are rebuilt, stuffed with belongings, and furiously taped. Fingers are crossed that they survive the move with their bottoms intact, only to be destined for the dumpster once again when a move is completed.

Enter an alternative to this cycle: COLE HARDWARE's Rent-A-Tote program. As part of our never-ending quest to lessen our collective environmental footprint and offer unique services, COLE HARDWARE has a Rent-A-Tote program. The totes we have available for rental are a generous 27" L x 17" W x 12" H—the perfect size to pack with your things without becoming too heavy to comfortably carry.

They are the same type of totes that we fill to the brim and toss into our vans for our inter-store transfers of merchandise. So we can tell you from *lots* of experience in our warehouses that they are much sturdier than cardboard! We keep an extra set of these totes (cleaner and less banged up) separate from our store-use totes to make available to our customers.

Why is renting totes for your move instead of buying or scavenging for boxes a good idea?

- You extend our planet's resources. Fewer moving boxes purchased means fewer trees cut down and less carbon dioxide added to our atmosphere in producing the boxes.



- You can pack much more in a tote than you can in a box, so you won't need as many.
- There is little risk of totes being damaged, so your belongings are safer in totes than packed in cardboard that can be dented or smashed.
- You'll save valuable time by picking up your totes at COLE HARDWARE, or having them delivered, instead of spending hours scavenging.
- By design, our totes stack on top of each other more neatly and easily than boxes—meaning

you or your movers (who often charge by the hour) can use time and space more efficiently.

Totes are cleaned between rentals. From 1 to 5 totes will

fit in the backseat and/or trunk of most cars. For rentals of 25 or 35 totes, we offer *free delivery* within San Francisco city limits! A deposit is charged at the time the totes are rented and is refunded when your clean totes are returned to us.

| NUMBER OF TOTES RENTED | COST PER WEEK |
|------------------------|---------------|
| 1 | \$5.00 |
| 5 | \$20.00 |
| 25 | \$95.00 |
| 35 | \$125.00 |

Recycle Every Day: Small Consumer Electronics



In partnership with GreenCitizen, our stores will now offer everyday recycling of small consumer electronics. Due to our lack of storage space, recycled items can be no bigger than a desktop computer. GreenCitizen recycles all electronic items in the United States under stringent environmental and health regulations. This process ensures that all heavy metals and toxins in electronic items are reclaimed, reused, or properly disposed of rather than being sent overseas or to the landfill.

For larger items, GreenCitizen offers convenient and accountable electronics recycling to Bay Area customers with six locations. The City location is at 590 Howard Street, close to our downtown Cole Fox Store.



—Rick Karp, President, aka Keeper of the Karma

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BATTERIES:

Rechargeable (NiCad, NiMH) and household (alkaline and carbon).



OLD LATEX PAINT:

- Recycle dry, clean, empty metal paint cans through your regular trash pickup. The latex paint containers you bring to us should have paint in them!
- The ORIGINAL label on each can must CLEARLY state "latex," "acrylic," or "water-based" paint. No handwritten labels can be accepted.
- Be sure that lids are SEALED ON TIGHT and containers are rust-free and don't leak.
- You must not be a commercial paint user.
- Please limit your drop-offs to no more than 10 gallon-size containers (or 40 quart-size containers or a combination of both) at a time. Containers are counted by size, not by the volume of paint they contain.
- Take paint to the customer service desk.
- PLEASE, no brushes or rags!



PROPANE TANKS:

Small (14 or 16.9 oz.), empty, nonrefillable propane cylinders only. Household only. Limit 5 per visit.



SCRAP METAL:

Copper and brass.

SPENT FLUORESCENT BULBS:

CFLs, tubes up to 8 feet, U- and D-shaped tubes. Drop-off limit is 10 bulbs.



EXPIRED PRINTER CARTRIDGES:

Must be in plastic bags to avoid leakage.

SOFT PLASTIC:

Clean plastic only. Households only. One basketball-size amount per visit, please.

For Bay Area recycling resources, visit
www.colehardware.com/recycle.htm

COMMUNITY NEWS



Our Spare Change Collection Program Tops \$20,000!

After our May collection of \$385.36, we're pleased to announce that we have topped the \$20,000 mark—all thanks to you! Our grand total, since our program's inception, stands at \$20,288. Our May collection benefitted Swords to Plowshares, a community-based service organization that provides care to veterans in the Bay Area. Our June spare change collection is earmarked for the St.

ST. ANTHONY'S FOUNDATION Foundation, whose mission is to feed, heal, shelter, clothe, and lift the spirits of those in need and create a society in which all people flourish. We'll report those numbers next month.

For July, we will collect spare change for Josie's Place, which provides facilitated peer support groups to children and teens in the San Francisco Bay Area who are grieving the death



of a parent, sibling, close relative, or friend. The group offers a safe environment for the expression of feelings and thoughts about the death of a loved one. Trained facilitators assist participants in the healing process, and open-ended as well as time-limited school-based support groups are available.

Josie's Place is founded on the belief that all children deserve the opportunity to grieve in a supportive and understanding environment, and families are supported through education, compassion, and understanding as they integrate loss into their lives at their own pace.

It's simple to donate! Just drop your spare change or those pennies collecting dust in a jar on your dresser into the collection jars at each of our registers the next time you shop with us.



Another Great Birthday Celebration!

Thank you to everyone who turned out for Dave's 98th birthday celebration! Dave visited the Cole Street store to enjoy his paint can-shaped cake baked by our own Tessa, assistant store manager at our Cole Street location. He charmed shoppers young and old with his famous card trick and handed out 98-cent gift cards. Dave then made a surprise visit to our Polk Street store to the delight of the neighborhood and our crew members. Awaiting Dave at Polk Street was a bottle of wine from Mr. Frank Brucia, who dropped off the gift and pointed out that he was just a year shy of Dave at a spry 97 years young. Dave appreciated all of the warm birthday wishes he received.



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- ⇒ Membership is free, and you'll receive the *Hardware Hotline*, our monthly newsletter full of valuable information and promotions.
- ⇒ Free delivery in San Francisco with \$100 purchase.
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- ⇒ We don't sell our customer list, and all information is kept confidential.

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For more information, visit www.colehardware.com/rewards or e-mail service@colehardware.com.

Curb Appeal

The City at large is bursting with inspiration for sprucing up the front of your home. We've spotted these homes that add a bit of curb appeal to their neighborhoods.

Russian Hill Regal: This beauty stands out not only for its rich, regal tones and exquisite detail, but also for its lush, cascading planters.



Touch of Green: This tasteful combination of plants combines a minimalist aesthetic with a perfect pairing of plants and reed grass and takes advantage of the small planting area.



North Beach Nook: This little North Beach alley has an inviting appeal with its row of bucket-based flowering geraniums.



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