

Posted August 25, 2011

SEVEN DAYS

TV & Entertainment Magazine

The Weekend West

DAYS

August 20-26, 2011

"Edifier's Bric is compact and lightweight and has a retractable iPod docking drawer, making it ideal for small spaces or for portable use. It comes in black and costs \$99.95"



What's hot CHRIS WADE

Steam-powered coffee & a new pad

▼ **Bodum Round grinder**
Bodum's battery-operated Round grinder can be used for salt, pepper and spices and uses an elegant system that detects its orientation, so it goes on and off depending on its degree of tilt. Finished in a range of colours with a non-slip rubber casing it's yours for \$99 at Kitchen Warehouse.



◀ **Design by Them Stem Tree**
Cousins of Australian designers Nicholas Karlovasitis and Sarah Gibson, this simple and elegant coat-and-hat "tree" is easily assembled to fit inside a standard mailer tube. The Stem Tree measures 40 x 55 x 180cm, and is made from rock maple coated in a clear satin polyurethane finish. Yours in natural (\$1210) or yellow (\$1775) from Venn, 16 Queen Street, Perth.



◀ **Royal Belgium Siphon Coffee Machine**
Steampunk coffee lovers rejoice, this device is a piece of genuine 19th century technology — elaborate, entertaining and a real conversation piece. It consists of two chambers placed side by side — a glass brewing jar and a metal canister. Water is boiled in the sealed canister using a small alcohol burner. This creates steam which forces hot water through a pipe into the brewing jar where the ground coffee sits. When all the water has passed into the brewing vessel the metal chamber becomes lighter and lifts up, causing the burner cover to drop and extinguish the flame. Then, as the metal container cools it creates a vacuum which pulls the freshly brewed coffee back into the metal container. Splendid! Four-cup set is yours for \$190. For stockists visit siphoncoffeemachines.com.au or call 0448 170 603.



◀ **HP TouchPad**
HP's newly released Wi-Fi touchscreen device incorporates its webOS operating system and is being sold as a stand-out multi-tasker, with webcam, integrated messaging, wireless printing and all the other goodies you expect in a tablet device. It's around the same size as the iPad, with a 9.7-inch screen, and a little heavier. The Synergy feature integrates social networking accounts including Facebook and Twitter with calendars and contacts. New pricing means it's one of the cheapest tablets on the Australian market. Available in 16GB or 32GB (\$499 and \$599) from Harvey Norman stores or online at hp.com.au.



▲ **Edifier Bric iPod dock**
Edifier's Bric is compact and lightweight and has a retractable iPod docking drawer, making it ideal for small spaces or for portable use. It comes in black or white and costs \$99.95. For stockists call (02) 9527 0042 or visit www.edifier-international.com.



► **The Desk Aquarium**
A USB-powered 20cm desktop aquarium with built-in stationary holder and adjustable LED light which also plays your choice of five nature sounds... what could be better for de-stressing at your desk? Yours for \$59.95 from latestbuy.com.au or call 1300 528 378.



TV GUIDE
WA's favourite, with all the details you want in one place.



YOUR WEEK
Check out comedy, grab vintage bargains and help to keep Australia beautiful.



EDIFIER®

—a passion for sound™

www.Edifier.US.com