

# COASTAL LIVING®

## THE JOYS OF SUMMER!

The best boardwalks, beach  
reads, barbecues & more

**100+**  
BEACH HOUSE  
STYLE IDEAS

Chic accents for  
outdoor spaces

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Bring on the  
watermelon margaritas!

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OUTDOOR LIVING

4. Tough break

Plastic cups and paper plates aren't the only solutions to shatter-proof outdoor gatherings—a greener and more stylish alternative is melamine or acrylic dinnerware. Impress your guests with a set that mimics the patterns and shapes of real glass and ceramic. We like these bamboo-trimmed serving pieces and vintage-style wineglasses.

**Kim Seybert Chinoiserie Melamine Salad Bowl**, \$44, and **Acrylic Salad Servers**, \$13; kimseybert.com

**Sur La Table Colored Acrylic Ruby Wine Glass** in Green, \$7; surlatable.com



5. Comfort zone

It's prime time to trade air-conditioning for ocean breezes, Ferragamos for flip-flops, and your plush, perfectly styled living room sofa for a plush, perfectly styled outdoor one. With endless options in all-weather fabrics and patterns, fab alfresco seating is easy. Try covering cushions in a nubby, tweed-like fabric and adding throw pillows in coordinating colors and playful patterns.

From top: **Perennials Nubby**, **Holy Mackerel**, and **Geez Louise Fabrics**, all in Citrus, available to the trade; perennialsfabrics.com for showrooms



Keep pillows in outdoor fabrics on hand to give hard seating surfaces a little cushion.

6. Hot seats



CONTEMPORARY

Sculptural lines make this woven chair an artful option. **Crate & Barrel Darwin Dining Chair**, \$399; crateandbarrel.com

ECLECTIC

Place a pair of these wrought-iron seats near a garden as a charming accent. **Terrain Honeycomb Wire Chair**, \$198; shopterrain.com



BISTRO

A colorful steel folding chair is easy to transport. **Fermob Bistro Metal Chair** in Aubergine, \$99; fermobusa.com for retailers

COUNTRY

This hardy teak chair boasts a stylish grid-like pattern on the back and seat. **TeakOut Waffle Chair**, \$195; teakout.com



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