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THE COLOR ISSUE

BEAUTIFUL BLUES!

PLUS: Reds, Yellows, Greens & More

Hot Salsa Recipes

THE FAMILY
GAME ROOM
IS BACK!

CROATIA'S
SECRET COAST

Best Whale-Watching Spots

Turks &
Caicos

TROPICAL
PUNCH

Turn your home into
a cheerful paradise

MARCH 2014

DECORATING
WITH
BLUE

POOL TIME

“Looking out at this spot, it’s easy to see why blue was a no-brainer. It was dictated by the crisp turquoise color of the beautiful Caribbean water. We wanted it to look like nothing had a beginning or an end—the bed, the pool, and the ocean all blending seamlessly thanks to a strong unifying hue. We used the fact that blue has so many natural variations to our advantage; it helped everything work better together. Once we found the great Trina Turk outdoor fabric that we used on the daybed, we knew we were onto something—it’s young and fresh and incorporates lighter and darker shades of blue. For an even more tropical look, though, I would consider introducing hits of yellow or chartreuse. It’s not your standard color combination, but that’s what makes it special. You’ve got to think outside the box.”

Lisa Kanning,
Lisa Kanning Interior Design

Santa Barbara Umbrella
La Playa Beach Umbrella
in Regatta 1690 Cabana
Aqua Stripe, from \$1,190;
sbumbrella.com
for showrooms



Fresh American Flora
**Crewel Turquoise Indoor/
Outdoor Pillow**, \$88;
dashandalbert.com

Resort
Limbo Blue
Rug, \$500
(5' by 8');
zincdoor.com



Serena & Lily Aqua
Mercado Baskets,
\$48 for a set of two;
serenaandlily.com

Trina Turk Collection
for Schumacher
Pisces Print Fabric in
Pool, available to the
trade; fschumacher.com



TRANQUIL
VIEW

To create a sense of sea and sky indoors, pair serene blue walls with an airy blue ceiling color, like **Crystal Springs** by Benjamin Moore.



MARCH WIND
Pratt & Lambert



AQUARIUS
Benjamin Moore



SPA
Sherwin-Williams