

Sunset EXPERIENCE the WEST JUNE 2018 HOUSEBOATING ADVENTURE SUMMER EATS SPECIAL BARBECUE MOVIE NIGHT

TOP STARGAZING SPOTS IN THE WEST

Sunset

2018 SUMMER GUIDE

SUMMER EATS SPECIAL
BLOCK PARTY!
HOW TO COOK FOR A CROWD
6 TO 75

**FAMILY
FISHING
CABIN**

**BACKYARD
MOVIE
NIGHT**

HOUSEBOATING
ON SHASTA LAKE,
CALIFORNIA



JUNE 2018





ANNIE ARMSTRONG
OF BEST DAY EVER
FLORAL DESIGN.

THE BIRTHDAY PRESENTS



TATAMA
COLOMBIA,
MEDIUM
ROAST, \$17;
CANYONCOFFEE.
CO.



OLIVE OIL, \$33; WELCOMETO
WONDERVALLEY.COM.



RITUAL OIL
DIFFUSER,
\$98; BODHA.
COM.



PARTY SIPS
ON FIRECLAY
TILE
COASTERS.



CRAFT PROJECT Oakland maker Jimmy Brower turned his love of the desert into West Perro (westperro.com), a line of wall hangings, jewelry, and home decor with an evocative, sun-bleached vibe. At the party, guests created their own wall hangings from handmade clay objects, maple-wood beads, and natural leather cord that Brower styled on a table with woven baskets and vintage *Sunset* books.



NATIONAL PARK LODGE

Environmentalists, rejoice—not all new hotels mean the destruction of what’s come before. Just ask Rob Wallace of Architectural Resources Group, whose latest project, Lodge at the Presidio, takes this design maxim to heart: “When a building is re-adapted for use, it’s much greener than building new.” Set in San Francisco’s famed Presidio—the former U.S. military fort turned 1,500-acre national park—the 42-room hotel is designed to meet LEED Gold standards with its historic rehabilitation of the Montgomery Street Barracks. The 1895 red-brick structure previously housed cavalry and artillery. While the decor of its sister property, the Inn at the Presidio, gives more of a nod to the park’s military background, the Lodge’s handsome, understated spaces allow its sustainability efforts to shine—from a green electricity program to smart key cards that turn off appliances for guests. For Wallace, the Lodge is about longevity: preserving a landmark by becoming an active part of its history. *From \$275; lodgeatthepresidio.com.* —Devin Collins

TABLETOP

Talk about a visual feast: San Francisco-based Harlow & Grey creates painterly collections of paper plates, cups, and other party goods. When planning a palette, “include neutrals, like marble and gold,” advises cofounder Jeanne Chan. “Then mix in complementary colors like blush and deep green for a cohesive table.” harlowandgrey.com.

SOUNDTRACK

Search “#Sunset SecretHouseParty” on Spotify for our two-hour mix of R&B, pop, and down-tempo jams—perfect for a lazy weekend brunch that stretches well into the afternoon. (Current show-er anthem: the irresistible “Backseat” by Charli XCX.)