

Horse & Countryside discovers some elegant fireplaces to add a glow of heat and cosiness to your home.

# Time to get FIRE UP!



### Elegant simplicity

The Flat Victorian Classic limestone fireplace (£659), from Acquisitions, is the essence of elegant simplicity, pictured here with the Prince highlight-polished insert and a boxed and lipped limestone hearth (£1,499 complete). [www.acquisitions.co.uk](http://www.acquisitions.co.uk)



### From oak to granite

The Fireplace Warehouse has solid light-oak models such as the Abbey (£599), with cream marble set, Bolton cast-iron insert, solid-granite or cream-marble back panel and hearth, as well as granite models, including the Lattice (£899), with small secondary hearth to raise the hearth. [www.thefireplacewarehouse.co.uk](http://www.thefireplacewarehouse.co.uk)

### Tudor touch

If you want to bring Tudor into your living room, try the Lyncombe fireplace (from £2,058) in hand-carved Bath stone with arched slips and black granite hearth - made to all sizes by Pinckney Green Stoneworks. [www.pinckneygreen.co.uk](http://www.pinckneygreen.co.uk)

### Relaxing glow

The Adam Sambro electric fire suite (£399.99) has a smooth travertine-stone effect with a reflective glass back panel and walnut-veneered shelf. The lighting effect illuminates the pebbles to give a relaxing, glowing ember bed. [www.argos.co.uk](http://www.argos.co.uk)

### Flickering flame

Finnish designer Ilkka Suppanen marries the opaque properties of glass and reflective nature of steel in the slim littala fireplace (£999), with an ethanol-fuelled fire that provides a warm, flickering flame. [www.cloudberryliving.co.uk](http://www.cloudberryliving.co.uk)



### Hand-crafted oak

The wood-burning fireplace surround from AJ Rustic Oak (£272) is hand-crafted to your own measurements and has legs that have peg features to give a subtle aged look. [www.ajrusticoak.co.uk](http://www.ajrusticoak.co.uk)



### Classically refined

The Heddington stone fireplace surround (from £2,186), from Pinckney Green Stoneworks, has a refined stepped mantle. It combines simplicity with classical design and is seen here with a three-piece hearth (extra).  
[www.pinckneygreen.co.uk](http://www.pinckneygreen.co.uk)



### Palmerston perfection

Gallery Fireplaces' Palmerston cast-iron fireplace with a Toulouse tiled insert (£725), perfect for the country home, is ideal for gas, electric or solid-fuel fires.  
[www.fireplacesareus.co.uk](http://www.fireplacesareus.co.uk)

### Style and versatility

The Imagin Oblosk bioethanol fireplace (£399), from John Lewis online, can even be moved from room to room – and brings style to any room with its understated curved body and smooth, powder-coated iron exterior.  
[www.johnlewis.com](http://www.johnlewis.com)

### Rockbourne's stone

The Dimplex Rockbourne (£299.95) is a natural, stone-effect fire surround with matching back panel and hearth. Just find a flat wall with a nearby power point so that you can plug in your fire (this is compatible with all Dimplex Optiflame 16 and 18in inset electric fires).  
[www.johnlewis.com](http://www.johnlewis.com)



### Fabulously French

From Chesney's French collection comes a good example of the company's exact copy of an antique original. The Regence surround (from £2,700) is an 18th-century Rococo design, in white marble, with free-form carving.  
[www.chesneys.co.uk](http://www.chesneys.co.uk)

