

FOCUS ON OUTDOOR FURNITURE

YOU WANT TO TAKE IT OUTSIDE?



◆◆ Lowe's offers several outdoor furniture lines that are suitable for corporate and institutional settings as well as residential ones. Listing for \$25, DriscoL steel-framed stacking chairs have polyester sling fabric seats and backs. Matching tables are available.



◆◆ Made with recycled plastic, Classic Displays' Phoenix Modular Waste and Recycling Unit features an ergonomically superior front-loading (as opposed to top-loading) design. Single- and multi-stream units have a ribbed surface that provides added structural integrity while serving as a deterrent to postering and graffiti. Standard-model prices start at \$595.



◆◆ Country Casual is a Maryland-based manufacturer of solid teak site furnishings. Suitable for heavy commercial use, the company's Foxhall Benches are large-scale pieces constructed of robust timbers with mortise-and-tenon joinery. In addition to four- five- and six-foot benches, the Foxhall collection includes an armchair.

Spring is in the air, and perhaps it's time to spruce up your facility's outdoor furnishings. See "e-marketplace" on page 33 for manufacturers' website listings.



◆◆ Ergo, the newest bench from Mississauga-based Classic Displays, was designed to be kind to our aging population and the environment. Its raised seat height, raised arm rests and curved back and seat all make it easier for older people to take a seat - and more importantly, to get back up again. This bench is constructed from recycled cast aluminum ends, a zinc-treated powder-coated frame, and the customer's choice of wooden, aluminum or 100 per cent recycled plastic lumber boards. List prices start at \$1,350.



◆◆ Virginia-based Kingsley-Bate manufactures furniture for a wide range of outdoor settings. The company's Tivoli Collection combines stainless steel and teak with cream or black Batyline, a durable, mould-resistant and UV radiation-resistant material created by weaving extrusion-sheathed threads. Chairs stack for easy storage, and tables are available in a selection of heights and sizes.