

## A Home Run

Tricia Roberts is the local design star to watch. The Cardiff-based mom of two (and wife of Padres first base coach Dave Roberts) launched **Tricia Roberts Design** ([www.triciarobertsdesign.com](http://www.triciarobertsdesign.com)) nearly two years ago at the prodding of friends who loved her natural sense of style.

"The best compliment you can pay me is, 'I love how it feels in here,'" says Roberts, who, though technically an up-and-comer, has already established a signature approach to style: relaxed, approachable interiors with a touch of texture and something personal. Take the hand-stitched, monogrammed pillow in her living room, or a map of a client's hometown above their sofa. "We've always had to have a second home when my husband played ball. A lot of my clients are in the same line of work, so my goal is to make that second home personal."

Roberts' approach is all about the mix, from accessories gathered at SoLo in Solana Beach to high-end forever pieces: "I splurged on a Grange French coffee table that will stand the test of time with my family." As for style splurges, Roberts' wellstyled closet contains her secret: "I'm a jeans-and-boots girl, but I love a great handbag!"

**INTERIOR MOTIVE**  
Tricia Roberts in her  
Cardiff-by-the-Sea  
pool house

