

LET'S SWITCH THINGS UP

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**A to F** AFFAIRS: City renewal done right **BUSINESS**: A young publisher turns the page **CULTURE**: The art fair redux  
**DESIGN**: Home, need a lift? Get some wood **ENTERTAINING**: Toast to English wine **FASHION**: Witch-maker calls time on its office

## TIME FOR CHANGE

Jane Fonda, Theaster Gates and  
Chris Wallace on a landmark election.

Yes

Solution A

A

Rethink  
your life\*

- 1 Find a balance
- 2 Read reliable news
- 3 Start afresh

\* Too much time online? Seeking inspiration from around the world? Read on for businesses to benchmark and recommendations to heed.

Yes

Solution B

B

Improve  
your city\*\*

- 1 Back better buildings
- 2 Be experimental
- 3 Do it yourself

\*\* We meet the city-makers who take change into their own hands, from developers and artists to have-a-go urbanists.

GO  
FOR BOTH

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If all else fails, find inspiration in our  
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### Gentle start

It is a truth universally acknowledged that weekend mornings are best spent in bed. So pour yourself a coffee, reach for a good book and plump up those pillows.



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