

## **Exclusive, High Quality Log Furniture Source Comes to Colorado**

Interior designers will welcome a new source for high quality home décor in Colorado. Rustic Point in Evergreen offers a full range of beautiful log furnishings along with unique mountain accessories. The new showroom has leather and log furniture for every room of the home: bedrooms, family and living rooms, dining rooms, bar and game rooms....even bathrooms.

“This is not just another log furniture store,” says Rustic Point owner Sara MacBean. “Our new store was chosen as Colorado’s exclusive showroom for Fireside Lodge furnishings, a premiere handcrafted cedar log furniture manufacturer.”

Fireside Lodge, a division of Lonesome Cottage Furniture Company in Pequot Lakes, MN, uses only northern white cedar, instead of pine, for its beautiful grain, rustic knots and unique color variation. It is a beautiful, light tan color when freshly milled. This color is preserved through a high-quality, catalyzed lacquer clear coat finish that accentuates the natural characteristics and grain of the wood.

In addition to beauty, there are other reasons to choose cedar over pine in high quality log furnishings. Cedar is air dried- nature's way of gently seasoning wood to maximize wood-cell stability. As a result, splitting, cracking and checking are minimized and the logs have the natural characteristics born of Mother Nature. Alternatively, pine is traditionally kiln dried, which is a hard, high heat process that can destabilize wood cells and reduce insulation ability. Kiln drying also accelerates splitting, cracking and checking. Further, northern white cedar creates its own natural preservative and withstands the abuse of seasonal elements without breaking down or rotting like other woods. With a life of 50 years or more, northern white cedar is the ideal wood to create heirlooms of tomorrow.

“Rustic Point’s clients demand high quality in their home furnishings,” says MacBean, “and our Fireside Lodge log furniture delivers.” Drawers open and close easily with self-closing roller slides. The drawers are rated at 100lbs. for a superior holding capacity. All hinges are a concealed, European-style hinge for a clean, uncluttered look. Dovetail drawers provide superior strength, quality and long-lasting performance.

All pieces are built to order and many can be built to custom sizes for each unique home. The expertise of the gifted craftsmen behind Rustic Point’s furnishings can also help with custom projects and original designs. They specialize in custom log railings, mantels, and other log materials for use in unique home designs. In addition to high quality hand-made cedar log furniture, Rustic Point offers a full range of unique mountain accessories, including fine art, rugs, distinguished lighting, and Vietri Italian dishes, to enhance any Colorado home. The showroom is located in the Showbarn Center, ½ mile east of downtown Evergreen, and is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10 am to 5pm and

Sunday 12 pm to 4pm.Sunday, from 10 am to 5 pm. Contact Rustic Point at 303-225-4660 or [info@rusticpoint.com](mailto:info@rusticpoint.com).