

Organizing Café:

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Decorating classes.
Organizing classes.
Staging seminars.
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for dates and times.

A Perfect Mess

A book recently published called *A Perfect Mess* celebrates the virtues of an unorganized life and the hidden benefits of disorder. While I'm not ready to reformat my business, I do subscribe to the school of being **organized enough**. While there will always be a need for some form of order for most people, I'm inspired to make a list of things that can be appreciated when not completely organized.

How's that for twisted?

Consider This:

Don't try this at home:

There are still come things that require some sense of order.

- Finances
- Formal presentations
- Train schedules
- Personal sanctuaries
- Work spaces

Cut Loose

- Sale racks. Ah, the thrill of the hunt!
- Book stores. I've found wonderful reads while not finding what I was looking for.
- Last minute getaways. A romantic or daring spur of the moment trip can be the best kind. Paris this weekend, anyone?
- Teachable moments. The important times with kids don't seem to be programmed; they are random and powerful.
- Shopping Carts that aren't in the cart corral. With the addition of Kylie to our family, I now look for a wayward shopping cart at the store and park near it for easy transport, something I never appreciated before becoming a mother.
- Kitchen creations. Flexibility via a creative addition or substitution sometimes produces a masterpiece. Sometimes it just gets dinner done, and that's enough.
- [Email me with your favorite unorganized thing.](#)

Simple Tip: Allow your spouse at least one space they can keep "organized" differently than you would.

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