



collected over the years since that's what I feel gives a home soul and integrity," she says. "Sustainability and longevity are very important to me and I'm a firm believer in buying pieces that I won't tire of, rather than following trends. A lot of the fabrics from our London home have been tweaked and appear in different guises here, which gives that feeling of history and depth."

Since moving in during April 2021, Olivia, Chris and their boys have been embracing their new rural lifestyle and fit-for-purpose home. "Streamlining the house and adding the orangery has given it a completely new lease of life," Olivia says. "The reconfiguration works incredibly well for our family, and the boys are delighted that they now have a separate playroom, as well as a large garden and acres of land to explore."

"We love the view and the added bonus of the huge roof lantern is not just the quality of light during the day, but also the starry skies at night. These days, when we step outside, we walk straight into the heart of the countryside and the best bit is that there's absolutely no road noise. It's an idyllic, tranquil corner of the world that we adore." ■

ABOVE Deciding to work with the curtains and a wardrobe left by the previous owners, Olivia refreshed this space in Ball Green by Farrow & Ball.

RIGHT Having admired this Gallier Diamond wallpaper by Brunswick & Fils for many years, Olivia felt it would be a striking addition in the cloakroom.

