CARRYMASTER TROLLEY

- Does a quick walk to the shops for a bottle of milk end with you loaded down by unexpected purchases? This clever invention could be the answer. The collapsible Carrymaster takes four big bags so it's big enough for a family shop and has a ledge on the back for larger items such as a carton of drinks. It's easy to manoeuvre, light, robust and folds down small enough to fit in the boot or under a bed when not in use.

Carrymaster, $295, carrymaster.com.au

CLEVERPATCH CRAFT PACKS

- Don't want to break the bank when it comes to keeping the kids entertained at your next birthday party? These colourful crafts kits contain all the bits and bobs the kids will need to complete their project and give them something special to take home. Various themes and sizes available with some kits catering for 20 children.

Cardboard Peg Safari Pack, makes 20, $43.89, Cheeky Monkey, $2.75, makes one. From cleverpatch.com.au

BUBBLI BABY SCALE

- Regular newborn weight checks can give peace of mind to new mums, but the trip to the chemist or GP to use the scales isn't always easy. The Bubbli Baby Scale has a contoured design to help keep bub still and the memory function will remind you of the last measurement. $65, kogan.com.au