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COUTURE VINYL

Yes, you read that correctly. MZ Wallace handbags are made with a lightweight nylon that is Teflon-coated for water repellency. The spring collection features Italian leather trim, custom hardware and satin lining. This oxymoron of a bag is absolutely gorgeous and practical!



Shown:

Bedford Alex nylon orange, \$275, STYLEDLIFE

Tangiers Bea linen whiskey, \$395, STYLEDLIFE

GREEN & GROOMED

Organic Grooming is a new local company with products that are packed with complex essential oil blends and nutritious food-based vegan ingredients like carrot, ginger and cucumber that cleanse and condition the skin. They're free of dyes, parabens and harsh synthetics that essentially pollute the skin. Now men can embrace their green lifestyle with a non-fufu-smelling personal care line! You can find them at Whole Foods, Lunds & Byerly's.



SEX AND THE CITY MOVIE HITS THEATERS ON MAY 30TH!

On May 30th, all of our fashionista-friends are coming back for the silver-screen version of our favorite HBO show that ended in 2004. There are even a few new characters this time around, including Dreamgirls' Jennifer Hudson as columnist Carrie Bradshaw's assistant and Candice Bergen as the editor of Vogue Magazine. Who doesn't want to live vicariously through the characters in this movie? As the tagline says, it's time to get "Carried away."

Photography: Courtesy of Craig Blankenhorn and New Line Cinema



BEAUTY + FASHION NOTES:

JB Hudson is celebrating the grand opening of their new location on 9th & Nicollet in Minneapolis with May Events!

Designer Jewelry & Watch Event: Friday, May 2 - Saturday, May 3

Home Décor & Giftware Event: Tuesday, May 6

Pearl Event: Thursday, May 8 at 901 Nicollet Mall and Friday, May 9 at Ridgedale

Estate Event: Monday, May 12 - Tuesday, May 13

Watch Trade-in Event: Friday, May 16 - Saturday, May 17

Designer Bridal Event: Monday, May 19 - Tuesday, May 20

Cos Bar grand opening party!

On May 8th from 2 - 6 pm you can receive amazing gift bags filled with blissful products as well as receive complimentary make-up applications and refreshments! If you haven't already made it into Cos Bar, May 8th is the time to do so! (50th/France - 952.303.6249)

Sanctuary SalonSpa: New Location in Downtown Minneapolis!

Sanctuary SalonSpa (formerly the LiteSpa) will open a second premier Aveda Lifestyle Salon and Spa in downtown Minneapolis on Harmon Place. The salon will open in June, but if you book your appoint in May, you can receive 50% when you mention TCLF! How is that for a deal?! (1201 Harmon Place, Minneapolis, 612.333.0300)

Shu Uemura Art of Hair Products now at Denny Kemp Salon!

The exclusive Art of Hair line is comprised of nine hair care products formulated to create the perfect hair fiber. Check it out at Denny Kemp Salon in Uptown. (322 East Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis - 612.676.0300)

Uptown Dermatology "Beauty Tune Up" Event!

On Friday, May 2nd from 5-7 pm head to Uptown Dermatology for amazing swag gift bags, discounted Botox, hors d'oeuvres, complimentary UV skin analysis and mini-facials as well as fabulous product discounts. For more info call: 612.455.3200 (1221 West Lake Street - Minneapolis, MN 55408)

Target launches limited-edition GO International designer collection!

In between guest designer stints for the GO International designer collection, Target will be offering limited edition GO International collections of on-trend, affordable separates and ensembles.

New BCBG Opening in Galleria!

This month the popular fashion line will open its first stand-alone shop in the upper Midwest at the Galleria in Edina. The spacious (4,700 sq ft) BCBG store will carry its signature dresses, separates, accessories, handbags and footwear.