

# Fashion FYI: New sandal designs at Lex & Lynne

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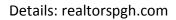
Alexis Corry, owner of Lex & Lynne clothing and accessories boutique, 430 Beaver St., Sewickley, has designed her own line of sandals. For inspiration in developing the collection, she traveled to Italy. Prices range from \$125 to \$140.

Details: 412-259-8955 or lexandlynne.com

### For a cause

The Realtors Association of Metropolitan Pittsburgh will present the Fashion for a Cause fashion show from 6 to 8 p.m. Aug. 11 at St. Clair Country Club, Upper St. Clair.

The runway event will feature designs from James Houk, Lana Neumeyer, Michael Anthony, Bradford Mumpower, Sofiya Mozley, Shawna Solomon and Leesa Kassler. Proceeds will benefit Emmaus Pittsburgh and Salvation Army's Project Bundle Up. Tickets are \$55, \$100 for VIP to meet the designers from 5 to 6 p.m.



The Naturae Design accessories line will have a trunk show at Glitter & Grit bridal boutique. PHOTO BY CHYMO & MORE PHOTOGRAPHY

# **Beauty secrets**

The Gilded Girl Beauty Emporium, 5104 Butler St., Lawrenceville, will host "Ooh La! La! French Beauty Secrets" from 3 to 5:30 p.m. Aug. 6. Learn the beauty secrets from the French — from skin care to cosmetics. Admission is \$25.

The boutique will host fall trends classes from 7 to 9 p.m. Aug. 11 and 25. The classes, which cost \$25 each, will explain how to look on-point for the upcoming months.

Details: 412-450-0578 or thegildedgirl.com

# **Trunk shows**

• Glitter & Grit bridal boutique, 5300 Butler St., Lawrenceville, will have a Naturae Design accessories trunk show from Aug. 5 to 14 by appointment.

Details: 412-781-2375 or glitterandgritpgh.com

• Larrimor's, 249 Fifth Ave., Downtown, will have a Lafayette 148 New York trunk show from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Aug. 11 and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Aug. 12 and 13. Meet company representative Angela Koster.

Details: 412-471-5727 or larrimors.com

## On sale

Whowhatwear.com's Michelle Scanga gives insight on how to dress like a millionaire without spending like one.

Make note of the best sales of the year: One of the easiest ways to score designer pieces without paying full price is to shop the sale section. To be sure to never miss a major sale, put a reminder on your cellphone. Start by adding Nordstrom's Anniversary Sale to your calendar. It ends Aug. 7.

Hunt for designer pieces on resale sites: If you're dying to add a high-end designer item to your wardrobe, shop resale and outlet sites. This way, you'll save a ton of money and still snag classic, quality pieces. Farfetch, TheRealReal and The Outnet are all great options.

Challenge yourself to never buy shoes at full price: Take note from whowhatwear.com editor Allyson Payer and never buy shoes at full price. Sound too good to be true? Here's where she shops: shoescribe.com, Nordstrom.com, theoutnet.com.

Know which fabrics and colors to shop at fast-fashion brands: Paying attention to details like fabric and color when it comes to shopping budget-friendly brands is key. Always remember, suede over faux leather and solid colors over busy prints at places such as H&M and Zara.

Use at-home hacks to make items look more expensive: Sometimes removing an extra feature like a charm or tassel adds an elevated feel.

# Transitional fall skin care

When we think of fall, bright autumn leaves, adorable boots and warm-spiced lattes come to mind. Unfortunately, the change in weather can also mean drier skin and damaged hair. Dermatologist Rebecca Kazin, associate director of Washington Institute Dermatologic Laser Surgery in Chevy Chase, Md., shares her tips for keeping your skin and tresses in tip-top shape despite the changing weather.

Get rich: As the weather cools, it's important to change your daily moisturizer to a thicker, more nourishing formula. Switch to a cream containing hyaluronic acid such as Hyalogy, or one that locks in moisture like Epionce Daily Facial.

Reduce your hair washes: Over-washing hair can dry its natural oils. Wash hair less frequently and add conditioner to the ends. If hair feels oily, opt for a dry shampoo to keep hair looking clean and voluminous. I like Dove Invigorating Dry Shampoo — it has a lovely fresh scent and gives a volume boost, plus it doesn't leave any residue.

Switch out your soap: Some bar soaps can be more drying to skin. Switch from bar soap to a hypoallergenic body wash such as CeraVe.

Foot repair: The soles of your feet are the thickest skin on your body, and they tend to take a lot of abuse from walking, sports and wearing sandals in the summer. The skin on our feet is naturally dry because it has no oil glands, so it relies on sweat glands for moisture. I recommend an occlusive ointment such as Aquaphor for severely dry feet. Slather it on and wear cotton socks overnight.