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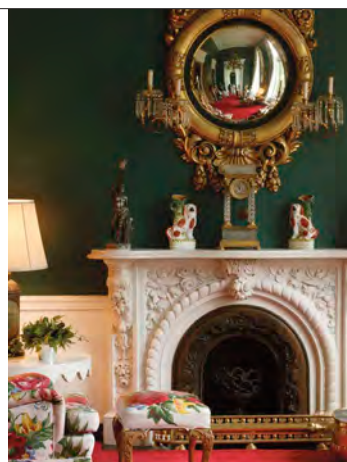
Land of Enchantment

FROM COUNTRYSIDE TO CITY SKYLINE, DISCOVER THE ALLURE OF CHINA

Tres Chic!

GATHER 'ROUND THE GIRLS FOR A FUN EVENING IN PARIS'





CHANNEL YOUR *inner designer*

Calling all wannabe interior decorators! The Greenbrier in White Sulphur Springs, W.Va., is offering a one-week interior-decorating course designed by the **Dorothy Draper & Co. School of Decorating**. This is a rare opportunity for interior design enthusiasts to learn firsthand from the master designer behind such iconic interiors as the Greenbrier and Carlyle hotels in New York.

Enrollment is available for March 25-30, April 29 to May 4, and June 10-15. The cost is \$5,000, which includes airport transfers, meals, group receptions and a five-night stay. 304-536-5319, dorothydraper.com/school.html

'80S FLASHBACK

Now's your chance to come and meet the supermodels of the '80s in person and learn about the power of image in our country. The **Supermodels of the '80s Luncheon** will be hosted by the I Am Waters Foundation, a Houston-based nonprofit dedicated to creating awareness of homelessness and helping disenfranchised people living on the streets. Supermodels Cheryl Tiegs, Joan Severance, Tara Shannon, along with Tony Spinelli and Jack Scalia, will be in attendance at the April 25 event held at the River Oaks Country Club. iamwaters.org



For another opportunity to give back, plan to attend Targets for Tourette's on March 23. Benefiting the Tourette Syndrome Association, the event will offer a sporting clays tournament, followed by an evening barbecue reception featuring country-recording artist Tommy Alverson. This Texas-style event will be held at the Greater Houston Gun Club, and is chaired by Keith and Jyl Calcote. tourettetexas.org



THE SWEET LIFE

Imagine taking refuge from the mad hustle and bustle of everyday life in your very own outdoor oasis. The great outdoors can be yours with a personalized bungalow that you can install right in your own backyard.

Northern California-based **Sweetwater Bungalow** offers a variety of semi-permanent structures made with a sturdy wood frame covered in fabric that filters in the beauty of natural daylight. The Vista is the newest model to join the company's lineup and offers French doors, sliding windows, and an eave and awning system. Pricing starts at \$6,700. sweetwaterbungalows.com



While we're channeling European fashion, **L.K. Bennett London** has crossed the pond and landed at The Galleria. If the name doesn't ring a bell, the style sure will. After all, Kate Middleton, the Duchess of Cambridge herself, dons the clothing line just about every other day. The British fashion house creates elegant, sophisticated collections of ready-to-wear handbags and accessories that will make you look like a duchess, but without the crown! Level 1 of The Galleria near Saks Fifth Avenue. 713-961-0009, www.lkbennett.com

SPRING *fashion* REPORT

SADDLE UP

While we may be in full rodeo mode right now, the festivities won't stop this month. The Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo is cooking up some sizzling summer fun with its **Hot Summer Break**, scheduled for July 4-8 at Reliant Center.

The five-day music festival features food, shopping, and Houston's top chefs and mixologists. Guests can also enjoy cooking demonstrations, a beer brewing competition, and a contest for Houston's best cocktail, margarita and martini. rodeohouston.com



ROSEANN ROGERS
Known as Houston's "Buzz Lady," Roseann Rogers has been on top of Houston's social, fashion and entertainment scene for nearly 15 years. A regular contributor to Prime Living, she is also a TV personality, spokesperson and active philanthropist.



Ever want to steal the look of your favorite red carpet starlet? Well, today's your lucky day. Thanks to **RentTheRunway.com**, designer dresses and accessories are yours, delivered right to your doorstep. The service offers more than 150 top designers, and over 25,000 dresses and 4,000 accessories. Simply login, select a dress and/or accessory, enter the date needed, check the sizes and rent away. When you're done, you can return the items by mail in a prepaid package...and there's no dry cleaning required!



April showers bring May flowers. Until then, stay dry and put your best foot forward with a pair of **Le Chameau** boots. Made of 100 percent natural rubber, these French chic wellies come in two fun and fancy styles: the Vierzon Lady (\$170), available in a variety of colors including mango, platinum and purple, or the Low Boot (\$125), which also comes in vermillion. Rebecca & Drew, 2015-D W. Gray. 713-522-7500, rebeccaanddrew.com



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Our favorite home, design and entertainment apps

IPHONE

AROUNDME

Find the nearest bank, gas station, bar, hospital, movie theater or restaurant based on your current location.

LIVINGSOCIAL

With this free app, receive bargains on your iPhone every day. Simply click to view the deal and purchase it on your phone instantly.

SHOPSAVVY

Don't have time to shop around? No problem. Locate the best deal on a product with this handy barcode reader.

IHANDY LEVEL

A great, free tool to have the next time you want to make sure that picture frame is leveled just right.

Source: apple.com/itunes

ANDROID

WORDS WITH FRIENDS

OK, it's Scrabble. But it's Scrabble you can play with your friends any time, anywhere, whether they have an iPhone, iPad or Android-enabled device. Start playing and get addicted.

HEALTHTAP EXPRESS MD

Experiencing some nagging health symptoms? Ease your mind by consulting this app that draws on the experience of more than 8,500 U.S.-licensed physicians.

HP EPRINT HOME & BIZ

Print virtually anything to anywhere with this easy-to-use, mobile, wireless printing app.

MAKE YOUR HOME

Start your spring cleaning with this handy app that shows you how to furnish, decorate and repair your home.

Source: market.android.com