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los angeles | fashion + beauty picks.

spring is finally here, so harness some wind power, and party with gusto. your season will be spot on with this list of fashion + beauty picks:



tee rex.

an insanely gorgeous austrian glass chandelier begs come-hither at **rex boutique**, the newest addition to abbot kinney's beachy shopping stretch. stocking lines like alexander wang, society for rational dress, and olsen twin label elizabeth and james. co-owners (and sisters) angela and dara reaxroad bring eastside chic west of lincoln. 1553 abbot kinney boulevard, near venice. 310.399.0860.

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spot on.

game on? go for the 3.1 **phillip lim domino tote**. this bespotted bag from phillip lim's latest collection underscores the whimsical, care-free mood of spring and instantly injects an otherwise ordinary outfit with joie de vivre. 637 north robertson boulevard, between melrose and santa monica. 310.358.1988.

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young eyes.

put off those botox injections with the new **hydradermie lift eye treatment** (\$95). santa monica seaside spa le merigot now offers this non-surgical anti-aging treatment that erases eons from your eyes. lymphatic massage and micro-currents work the muscles around your eyes to tone and firm while reducing the signs of aging, fatigue and puffiness. ciao, crow's feet. available at spa le merigot. 1740 ocean avenue, near



with gusto.

you've seen the likes of longoria and hilton toting this label. now, the **gustto** scalis collection takes you to a whole other era. think art deco mixed with mod patent patterns. a melange of all things night-out-worthy, with glitzy gold chains and bold colors, you'll be grabbing it every night. available at rumor. 915 S mateo street, near violet. 877.437.8667.

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wind power.

a great blow-out is crucial, but when you DIY it's not quite right. celeb stylist steve lococo's haute bev hills shop now offers **borrelli blowdry 101**, a monthly lesson in the salon-worthy blowout (with cocktails and cookies). each student gets a shampoo and private instruction considering your hair texture, cut and lifestyle. leave with a perfect mane, and a little homework: to try this at home. 8822 burton way, near N clark, beverly hills. 310.652.9597.



silver spring.

the latest offerings from local jeweler **claudia endler** (think brushed sterling silver cuffs and bangles dotted with jewels) look super fresh this spring. the tiny touches of sparkle, minimalist as they may be, are the perfect antidote to any upcoming april showers. by appointment only. 676 S avenue 21, near N main. 323.225.5924.

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