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REBECCA BAXTER

“The only real elegance is in the mind; if you’ve got that, the rest really comes from it.” —DIANA VREELAND

Renee Phinney hit all the glam high notes at the Asolo Rep’s American Big Band Gala in this liquid alabaster classic wrap by Diane von Furstenberg with contrasting black tie to accent her waistline. Love the hair back to highlight the plunge front neckline and shoulder duster earrings. Finished with a simple statement ring to knock the styling into perfection.



While pouring over *Vogue Paris*, I discovered Dior’s latest line of lightweight and moisturizing microcrystal glosses, complete with a promise to deliver a “sheer wash of catwalk color” for a perfectly sexy summer pout. **Saks Fifth Avenue**, \$29.50



Brooks Brothers has gone modern guy with its Red Fleece collection, a youthful take on their heritage style in look and fit. Whether on Siesta Key or Martha’s Vineyard, up your beach cred this summer and go retro surfer-style in these Sunset Stripe swim trunks. **Brooks Brothers**, \$75

LATEST OBSESSION

I’ve heard my share of beauty product promises, but Trish McEvoy’s Beauty Booster Eye Serum delivers: “Smooths lines, brightens darkness and reduces puffiness.” You will see the effects instantaneously with one drop of serum. No kidding. **The Met**, \$95



SERGIO KURHAJEC

I’m loving this candy-apple-red Paige Hamilton Design Sophie tote in waterproof nylon. She could be your everyday go-to bag, or jet setting travel tote that accommodates a laptop, or the stylish pouch to hold your workout gear. **Dream Weaver Collection**, \$725

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