



# RIVIERA

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**NOW!**



Clockwise from left: Strida's 102; Gucci's limited-edition Olympics cycle; Derringer's custom moto-bike.

## WHEELS OF FORTUNE

This summer give the Bentley a rest and put your gas money into a different luxury ride—while toning your glutes for that Brazilian bikini. Sidele up to the battery, quilted leather seat on Chanel's sleek, limited-edition hike (inspired by Coco's love of pedaling), and you'll be in the chic company of Jen Ariston, whose BFF Courtney Cox gifted her the cycle (\$13,595). Another option is a leather-wrapped Hermès bicycle. And Gucci's getting in on the

bike-path rage with a super-limited, China-red, Olympics-inspired cycle, complete with logo-embossed seat.

The catch? The haute bike is only available in Hong Kong and China. If you want more edge, try Derringer's custom vintage moto-bikes (\$3,500) at a whopping 180mpg! And lastly, the UK's Strida makes folding bikes (\$800) that will garner envious glances as you breeze by the gas station-Lance Armstrong-style.



The grand St. Regis Monarch Beach.

## SUN-KISS ME, KATE!

Ditch the sun baking and snag the ultimate beach accessory—a red-carpet-ready dewy glow, courtesy of go-to skin guru Kate Somerville. At her newly expanded Melrose Place clinic, she's continually on the cutting edge of skin technology (like the ultra-rejuvenating Pearl treatment), but now Riviera beauties have a closer Kate outpost to call home. Spa Gaudin at the St. Regis Monarch Beach is the exclusive O.C. spot for all things Kate—treatments, products and Kate-trained estheticians, sans the med-spa. "It's scary when you go outside of your own clinic, but [the St. Regis] was equally excited as we were. And they have the clientele that repeats. It's not just a resort spa that sees people for a weekend." Now Spa Gaudin flaunts Kate Somerville as its main product line. The spa offers six Somerville services with an O.C. spin. "They're quite similar but we've changed the names a little to match the St. Regis style," says Valory Reed, spa director. "The Customized Kate is different since the St. Regis experience is really about being bespoke and personalized." And it's the most popular. Estheticians devise a treatment plan for each client with options ranging from the necessary extractions to the plumping power of Dermal Quench, which helps lock in moisture and fill fine lines for a fresh-faced glow. For O.C. summers, Somerville mandates thoroughly protecting skin and staying hydrated (with Quench, natch). Stylish devotees can also pick up the goods at Neiman Marcus. Reed adds, "I would recommend Total Vitamin because it's a good counterbalance to the sun that we all love so much here in O.C."



Kate Somerville at her clinic.



Two of the delicate, diamond-encrusted pieces.



## GO FOR BAROQUE

A new collection from O.C.'s divine jewelry duo Jude Frances is so rare that they're literally breaking the molds when a series is sold, with only 10 pieces of each design being created before they're gone forever. The limited line is inspired by the designers' recent trip to Venice. "The line is a little Gothic, very architectural, still very beautiful," says Jude Steele, who partners with Frances Gadbos on the earrings, necklaces and trademark cuffs with diamond latticework in 18-karat gold. Hand-selected white and canary-yellow diamonds

and South Sea pearls dot the intricate filigree. While the exclusive finds have already been snatched by a lucky few, the rest will tour Neiman Marcus stores cross-country, and are also available by special order at Neiman Marcus Fashion Islands Precious Jewelry department. [www.judefrances.com](http://www.judefrances.com) —CL