

BeautySpy

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SEEKING... PARTY PALETTES

Make-up palettes look a little confusing, but are an easy way to try out lots of trends. **Givenchy's Pretty Chic All-in-One Coffret** includes a mini mascara, eyeshadows, blusher and pressed powder. £36 (01932 233 824).

It is rare to find a make-up compact without one slightly off-the-wall shade. But **Chantecaille's** clever colour choice only includes lots of lovely light pinks, plums and apricots. **Ethereal Lips**, £75 (020 7225 5758).

Laura Mercier's Beauty Book for lips, eyes and cheeks contains mini versions of her best-selling shades – all tucked away in an eye-catching compact. £36 (0870 837 7377).



'I've gone through pink hair phases, corkscrew hair – you name it. Unfortunately it was all captured on camera'

Donna Air's hair disasters

TRICK & TREATMENT

Inspired by Eva Green and Caterina Murino looking buffed-up and beautiful in *Casino Royale*, I took a trip to the Spa at Chancery Court to try out their new Bond Girl Experience. Wrapped up in a white robe, I collapsed on to the heated massage bed as my two-hour treatment commenced with vigorous lymphatic skin brushing. Following a full body exfoliation, I was covered in marine algae and then treated to a hot stone aromatherapy oil body and head massage. Embarrassingly, my therapist had to wake me up at the end. 007 wouldn't have been impressed. £125, 252 High Holborn, WC1 (020 7829 7058). SG

Freshen up for £5 at London's first boutique-style changing rooms, complete with toiletries and towels. WC1, at 439-441 Oxford Street (www.wc1.co.uk).



NATALIA VODIANOVA

BEAUTY BUYOGRAPHY

Russian model Natalia Vodianova, 24, is the face of Euphoria by Calvin Klein. She lives in New York and London with her husband, real estate heir Justin Portman, and their children, Lucas Alexander, four, and Neva, eight months

My daily beauty routine is...

I keep my skin clean with Lancôme Galatée Confort cleanser, £17, and

L'Oréal Pure Zone Anti-Regreasing Moisturiser, £5.99.

My newest beauty discovery is...

I don't put mascara on the ends of my eyelashes; instead, I apply it close to the lid and smudge it to give a smoky effect.

I keep my skin looking fresh by... Drinking a lot of water, taking Berocca vitamin C tablets, £4.89, and getting as much sleep as possible. Beauty is all about

positivity – you have to see the next day as something exciting.

My signature scent is...

Euphoria by Calvin Klein, £28 (0800 083 6310). Fragrance is a luxury.

I never travel without... A

cashmere jumper. I always take a long shower after I land to refresh myself.

I get my hair done by... I

recently worked with super-stylist Guido Palau. I really like Kérastase Oléo-Relax Anti-Frizz Serum; it keeps

hair in check without making it dull or greasy, £14.80 (0800 316 4400).

My signature look is...

It depends on my mood. I like looking natural, so usually just wear a little bronzer or mascara. I love red lipstick for special occasions.

My best beauty tip is...

Beauty comes from the inside. I think someone who smiles is beautiful.



THE INSIDER Hats

A hat can make a mediocre outfit look marvellous. As usual, Topshop is the first to take on a difficult trend and make it more wearable. £45, Victoria Grant at Topshop (0845 121 4519).



CASH

As milliner Gina Foster makes clear, a hat doesn't have to look over-the-top and out of place. This White Russian design is wonderful and wearable. £150 (020 7565 2211).



CHEQUE

Quaint little hat shops such as Marie Mercier, 8 Knightsbridge Green, SW1, are few and far between. Stop by to chat to the charming staff or have a headpiece made to order. £280 (020 7589 7534).



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