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Great Store
The Great has opened its first store in New York as part of a retail rollout strategy.
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Women's collections from 3.1 Phillip Lim, Loveshackfancy and Kobi Halperin, plus Thom Browne men's. Pages 8 and 9



Life of Juergen
A new exhibition explores the life and career of famed photographer Juergen Teller, gym shorts and all.
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Forever in Plaid

If you're going to wear checks, plaid or pleats, what better place than where many of them originated: the U.K., especially London. Take the bundled-up pedestrian here, who opted for all three over denim – proving once again that London fashion often starts on the streets. *For more They Are Wearing, see pages 4 and 5.*

PHOTOGRAPH BY PAUL GONZALES

SUSTAINABILITY

New Alliance: LVMH, Chanel Link Up on Sustainability

- The cooperation was unveiled during an all-day LVMH event that also revealed a partnership support program with its suppliers.

BY RHONDA RICHFORD

PARIS – The luxury world is recognizing that when it comes to sustainability, cooperation is better than competition.

In a groundbreaking tie-up of two of the world's largest luxury groups, LVMH Moët Hennessy Louis Vuitton on Thursday revealed it will cooperate with Chanel to harmonize corporate and social responsibility reporting and audit schedules at the supplier level. It will also directly support its suppliers through a partnership program titled Life 360 Business Partners, and will launch LVMH Circularity, which will reuse unsold products from across group houses in new projects, among other initiatives.

The initiatives were revealed as LVMH held a full-circle day of sustainability under its Life 360 banner, bringing together brand presidents and creative directors at the UNESCO headquarters in Paris, hosted by the group's head of image and environment, Antoine Arnault.

LVMH chief Bernard Arnault also acknowledged LVMH and Chanel working together. "The environmental challenge redefines the usual rules of competition," the chairman and chief executive officer said. Arnault said that competition should be on design and creativity, and businesses can share information.

"I believe it is our duty to know how to rise above the usual patterns. This is why we have chosen to invite certain competitors today," he added. "Progress of any kind is crucial. We must join forces."

During the day, the French luxury group discussed its wins, such as meeting its 10 percent energy reduction target at its stores, and where it is facing challenges such as removing fossil fuel-based plastic from its packaging.

The partnership program with suppliers will include financial support and coinvestment, as well as education and other initiatives to bring the suppliers on board as partners, hopefully making any mandatory changes positive rather than penalizing.

"The name of the game from now on for us is going to be Scope 3," Arnault told WWD, about extending its sustainability reach further afield. Scope 3 is the supplier level.

"It's the part of our mission that we control the least by definition; however, we are going to try to help our suppliers and our partners be more active on this topic – to train them, and to invest with

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HOME DESIGN

WWD's Holiday Gift Guide for the Design Curious

WWD put together a list of some covetable pieces that are meant to last a lifetime, envisaged by historic brands and design-forward creatives. BY **SOFIA CELESTE AND LILY TEMPLETON**

MILAN – Iconic gifts with a design-forward vision that are steeped in storytelling make for classic gifts this season. As the world turns to more conscious spending, here is a list of decor items that should last recipients a lifetime.



Svenskt Tenn Vänskapsknuten Knot of Friendship Candle Holder

The gift of solidarity may very well be a welcome gesture this season, amid ongoing tension around the world. Before the outbreak of World War II, Austrian architect and designer Josef Frank designed The Knot of Friendship as a symbol of friendship and peace. Today, The Knot of Friendship is made at Humstorp Metal in Västergötland, a province in southwest Sweden and is one of Svenskt Tenn's most iconic items.

\$320, available on svensktenn.com and apparatusstudio.com.



Stories of Italy Candle Sticks and Donuts

Interdisciplinary design firm Apparatus makes Gabriel Hendifar's chic vision available in the form of a brass chalice that calls to mind the mystery of ancient rituals. Made to endure the test of time, it is also an incense burner from which smoke emerges atop a hand-cased porcelain dome, and doubles as a candleholder.

Priced at \$880, the Brass Censer is available on apparatusstudio.com.

Pineider and Colony Notebooks

Pineider, the Italian luxury brand known for paper, writing instruments and leather goods, has teamed up with Rome-based fabrics and wallpaper firm Colony for a selection of notebooks covered in Colony's luxe hand-painted watercolor imagery and designed in its historic atelier in the Italian capital's Piazza del Popolo. Three patterns characterize the collection: Melograno (Italian for pomegranate), drawing attention to the world of floral decoration; Papaveri (Italian for poppies), which expresses a fresh and novel approach to the representation of classical styles, and Sogi, which calls to mind Oriental motifs and landscapes.

\$102, available on us.pineider.com



Fornasetti's Square Plate Red Lips

Mona Lisa isn't the only woman in the art world with a mysterious expression. With this unique square plate, actress and soprano Lina Cavalieri's sensual lips are again the basis of these Fornasetti creations, indicative of the brand's unmistakably spontaneous pop spirit.

\$350, available on fornasetti.com

Cassina Trinket Tray and Vase by Ico & Luisa Parisi

In the '60s, architect Ico Parisi and his wife Luisa ventured into the world of ceramics to create decorative art objects. The same effervescent, playful spirit found in Ico Parisi's furniture designs lives on today in three re-editions of these iconic pieces: a cylindrical vase with an opening in the shape of a mouth; a single-stem vase characterized by a hollow contour in the shape of a hand, and a trinket tray that reproduces the cast of an open hand.

Currently being sold on cassina.com as a design exclusive, it is priced at 481.90 euros for the larger square and 353.80 euros for the cylindrical vase.





Waww La Table

Talk about a conversation start, or rather, starter: with the Assiettes Parlantes 3.0, not only will the tarot design provide a hint of what's to come beyond the turkey and trimmings, but the plates also come with an Instagram filter that brings them to life.

320 euros for the "Divinity" or "Oracle" set of four plates, or 80 euros per plate, available on waww.fr



Form Tea Set by Tom Dixon

Designer Tom Dixon has been a fixture on the British design scene since the '80s when he first created a line of welded salvage furniture. This season, his creativity makes its way to the table with a stainless steel Made in India set that includes a teapot, milk jug and sugar dish and spoon. The Tom Dixon logo is etched on the base.

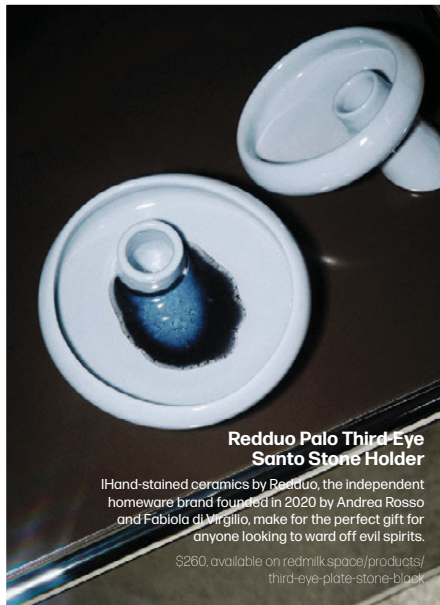
\$365, available on tom Dixon.net



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Redduo Palo Third-Eye Santo Stone Holder

Hand-stained ceramics by Redduo, the independent homeware brand founded in 2020 by Andrea Rosso and Fabiola di Virgilio, make for the perfect gift for anyone looking to ward off evil spirits.

\$260, available on redmilk.space/products/third-eye-plate-stone-black

Carrières Frères Scented Tapers

The ultimate stocking stuffer, particularly if one of the candelabras struck your fancy, would be handsome how of the Trudon royal wax manufacturer and botanics, Carrières Frères is offering versions scented with jasmine, cedar, mint or more surprisingly, tomato.

32 euros for a box of six, available on carrieresfreres.com



Mario Luca Giusti Caterina & Vittoria Salt and Pepper Set

Imbuing aspects of the Baroque and Pop Art, Mario Luca Giusti's synthetic crystal pieces are perfect for a holiday dinner centerpiece, a poolside bash or the interior of a yacht. In addition to the salt and pepper set featured above, the brand's larger pieces also include an ice bucket.

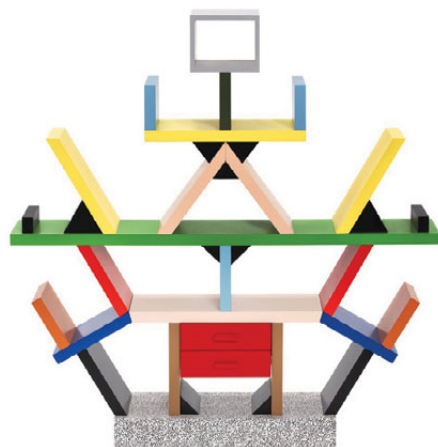
Priced at 52 euro, available on mariolucagiusti.it



Christofle's Chess Set

Tea or coffee? Sugar or milk? If you are passionate about your choice of hot beverage, why not duke it out over Christofle's high silversmithing "Duel des Théés" chess set. Pitched against each other on the chessboard are miniature versions of the Art Nouveau-style Printania and the Art Deco-inflected Courages sets. Precious and entertaining, it is also a design nodding to a lasting mystery in the 193-year-old house: the presence of a knight on the house crest.

250,000 euros, available on christofle.com



Mini Memphis Carlton Bookcase by Ettore Sottsass

At a little more than 18 inches wide and 19 inches tall, one can have a taste of the modernist school of Memphis in their own home this season. Modeled after the legendary bookcase by Italian designer Ettore Sottsass in 1981, its junior size is a great way to share his vision, at a more affordable price.

\$970, available on artemest.com