

LOVE IT



This week's must do, see, buy

MEGAN MILLER



CLEAN SWEEP

We love a multi-tasker and this cult liquid soap might be just what the doctor ordered. Dr Bronner's Pure Castille Soap boasts 18 uses, from rinsing you clean in the shower to washing the dog and banishing ants. In a variety of scents, including rose and green tea, this bottle of wonder is the signature product of Dr Bronner's, a family-owned and run business with more than 150 years in the soap biz. RRP from \$5.95.

DRBRONNER.COM.AU

ESPECIALLY FOR YOU

Here's your chance to make your eyes at Kylie Minogue. The pop princess has launched her debut eyewear range, which hits Oz on Thursday. The collection for Specsavers features 25 spectacles and four sunglasses in modern, vintage and bling-y styles, because boys do make passes at girls in glasses. RRP from \$199 for two pairs.

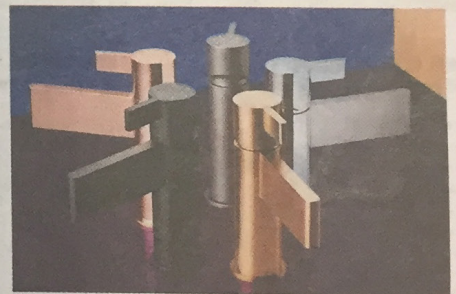
SPECSAVERS.COM.AU



ON TAP

If you have cash to splash and bling's your thing (even in the bathroom), bathware brand Sussex has just released Australia's first diamond-set tap range. Handmade in Campbellfield, each mixer comes in chrome, rose gold, matt black, gunmetal or brushed gold, inlaid with real glittering gems to make every visit special. RRP from \$3800.

SUSSEXTAPS.COM.AU



JIGGLE IT

Whether you covet coffee or vie for chai, you can now soak in the good stuff. Bath Brew — the makers of giant tea bags for your tub — has added coffee and chai to its organic bath soak range. In a limited-edition two pack, the coffee scrub and soak invigorates with arabica and coconut oil, while the chai relaxes and warms with sweet orange, cardamom and black pepper. Sounds good enough to drink. RRP \$31.95.

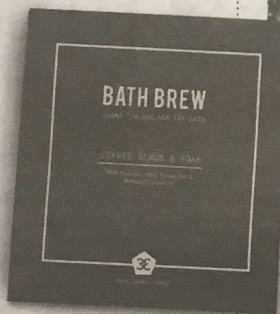
PAGETHIRTYTHREE.COM



I SAID PET, I SAID LOVE

If you're looking to welcome a pet at your place, North Melbourne's Lort Smith has opened a new adoption hub helping people choose their ideal furry friend. There are no cages, just lots of open space and interactive environments for dogs, cats and bunnies needing a new home to play freely and let their personalities shine. There's also child-height "viewing bubbles" and a clear perspex "catwalk" from the cat room into the reception area so felines can strut their stuff.

LORTSMITH.COM



THE NEW BLACK

THE DRUNIC

HYBRID clothing can be tricky. Skorts. Zip-off cargo pants that become shorts. Wide-leg culottes that look like a skirt but are secretly trousers. Those sleeveless turtlenecks that are too cold for winter and too boiling for summer.

We've tried and failed at most of them, but when the trend wires brought us news of the drunic, our sartorial interest was piqued. The drunic is a combination dress and tunic, worn over trousers and, according to *The Times*' style section, set to appear in shops everywhere.

Apparently it's the newest iteration of the dress-over-pants look that has been floating around for a few

seasons, seen on fashion week runways and adopted by celebrities such as Olivia Palermo, Rita Ora and Solange (who, according to our Google search, has a whole wardrobe of red carpet dress-and-pants combos).

The more structured, usually knee-length drunic is apparently flattering and practical, especially for the over-40s, according to one fashion commentator, which makes it a say-no-more from our side.

And it has to be better than the trench dress we tried in A/W14. It promised so much yet turned out to be a raincoat you had to keep on all day. **MEG MASON**

