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COUNTRY STYLE

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reveal the best
regional food
destinations

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*The farm that feeds
Annie Smithers'
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FASHION

Sarah wearing pieces from Watson X Watson store.



on the move
SARAH'S WARDROBE
BRINGS TOGETHER PIECES
FROM HER TRAVELS.

1 Talisa fedora hat, \$240, from Helen Kaminski. 2 Bella Freud 1970 merino jumper in red, \$547, from Workshop. 3 Beaumont wrap vest in Nude, \$520, from Viktoria and Woods. 4 H8i wireless headphones in Natural, \$599, from Bang and Olufsen Australia. 5 4-in-1 Sugar Peppermint Organic Pump Soap, from \$17.95, from Dr Bronner. 6 Gucci New Ace embroidered low-top leather trainers, about \$900, from Matches Fashion. 7 Donna Ida Rizzo The High Top skinny velvet jeans in black, about \$340, from Harvey Nichols. 8 Mythical tassel earrings in Storm, \$115, from Studio Elke. 9 Rosewater Balancing Mist, \$49, from Jurlique. 10 By Terry Cellularose Brightening Serum, \$152, from Mecca. 11 Sleep mask, \$49.95, from Slip. 12 Marisol bag in Tan, \$465, from Kate Sylvester. 13 Pleated lace dress in Bold Blue, \$199.95, from Witchery. For stockist details, see page 132.



CLOCKWISE, FROM BELOW
Sarah at Jones Beach in Mollymook;
taking a break on the deck at the
restaurant; Sarah out for a walk
with husband Rick Stein.

SARAH STEIN

**PUBLICIST, BOOKSHOP OWNER
AND RESTAURATEUR, 51**

*Sarah is co-owner of Padstow Bookseller, UK,
and Rick Stein at Bannisters in Mollymook.*

Your family has been going to Mollymook for the last 35 years. What do you love about it?

Its pristine beach, complete with turquoise water and squeaky white sand. Also, knowing that when I go to the shops, I will likely run into someone I've known for ages. A good example is Annette, who has been selling me lamingtons in the Mollymook bakery for the past 30 years!

Describe your style. Eclectic. I like to buy clothes that are made locally and as I travel a lot, I have clothes from places such as Italy, Spain, Iceland, Portugal, Mexico, Hawaii and Australia. I'm attracted to texture, embroidery and bright colours although, saying that, in the evening I love a classic, navy slim-fitting dress.

What's your typical outfit? In winter, a Bella Freud cashmere jumper, high-waisted Donna Ida velvet trousers and wedge black Gucci boots (they're never allowed to fall apart!) and a felt hat. In summer, I love wearing kaftans; it means you can eat a lot and still feel glamorous.

Wardrobe essentials? My Louis Vuitton 'Neverfull MM' bag — it's my portable office — and sneakers, as I walk everywhere. Also, gilets [vests]; I really feel the cold and they act as my security blanket. Plus, white T-shirts and my Helen Kaminski straw hat.

What are your go-to beauty products?

Bumble and Bumble Thickening Shampoo, Dr Bronner's Pure-Castile Liquid Soap and By Terry Cellularose Brightening CC Serum.

Do you have any favourite accessories? My two Cartier 'Love' bracelets given to me by husband, [chef and TV presenter] Rick, one to represent each of my children, Zach and Olivia.

What do you never leave home without?

A book, phone charger, candle, headphones, Jurlique Rosewater Balancing Mist and tape measure. If I'm travelling on a plane, I need my leather jacket that I bought at Camden Market 10 years ago, a cashmere wrap and eye mask.

How do you achieve a work-life balance?

Working with my husband makes it tricky, so we've made a rule not to discuss work at dinner and we organise regular holidays.

What's your best style advice? Dress for yourself, not for others. *CS*

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