

# BEAUTY *booty*

PAMPER YOURSELF & LOOK YOUR PRETTIEST WITH THESE EDITOR-APPROVED PICKS.

## tress *EXPRESS*

These brand new product finds take your locks from prepping to styling and finishing.



**1.** Create a soft, shiny, textured look with **Organic Beauty Now Waves Sea Spray**. The corn-starch-based product adds lift and controls frizz without weighing hair down, and includes organically certified citrus oils plus acai berry extract that infuse locks with moisture and powerful antioxidants; \$26.99, organicbeauty-now.com.

**2.** Is your hair dry and color-treated? Straight from Morocco, **Topganic Intensive Oil with Argan Oil** moisturizes tresses naturally by penetrating the hair shaft, protecting it from chemical processes, daily heat use and environmental damage. In addition to Argan Oil, it's formulated with sweet almond, grape seed and linseed oils for a healthier, more radiant mane; \$13, topganic.com.

**3.** **Giovanni Eco Chic Cosmetics** introduces **2chic® Ultra-Repair Collection with Blackberry & Coconut Milk**. Ideal for damaged, over-processed hair, the 7-product line includes Ultra-Repair Shampoo and Ultra-Repair Conditioner that will get your haircare routine off to a great start; \$8.99 each at Whole Foods, Target, Bed Bath & Beyond and Ulta.

**4.** **Schwarzkopf's Styliste Ultime Elastin Curls & Moisture Curl Defining Cream** is velvety-soft and it leaves hair naturally bouncy and touchable with a flexible hold. With its unique Elastin+ Moisture Complex, you'll be able to create shiny, defined curls that will last all day; \$6.97, walmart.com.

**5.** **ProRituals** is re-launching **Mega Hold Silver Hair Spray** in a new and improved version that provides all-day hold, ideal for setting hair and creating styles that require volume and extraordinary finishes. The lightly-scented, non-flaky formula dries instantly and doesn't go on sticky, plus it has double the hold and adds lustrous shine; \$23, prorituals.com.



If your hair is baby-fine and color-treated, try a product line like Giovanni Eco Chic 2chic Ultra-Repair Collection (opposite page).



## body *BEAUTIFIERS*

Want softer, more scent-sational skin from head to toe? Of course you do...and these items deliver!

**1. Out of Africa's Pure Shea Butter Lip Balms with Vitamin E** don't just taste good—they provide natural healing and moisture to keep lips soft and supple. At 30%, they have the highest percentage of unrefined shea on the market (most only have 1 to 2%) and retail in a **3+1 Bonus Pack**, which includes Pomegranate + Acai Lip Balm plus Orange Cream, Tropical Vanilla and Strawberry; \$8.99, [outofafricashea.com](http://outofafricashea.com).

**2. Cake Beauty's Heavy Cream Intensive Hand Repair Balm** is an ultimate hand treatment that contains 20% pure shea butter plus over 14 natural nutrients. The lightweight balm melts into the skin, helping to heal dry hands as it softens and moisturizes. Plus, it's paraben- and mineral oil-free. You'll also love the warm vanilla scent; \$22 at [Ulta.com](http://Ulta.com) & [cakebeauty.com](http://cakebeauty.com).

**3. Give dry, damaged tootsies some TLC with Earth Therapeutics Organic Triple Butter Foot Balm.** Its intensive herbal conditioning formula features Australian tea tree oil and peppermint to purify and revitalize, alpha-hydroxy acid and aloe vera to soften hard calluses, and Orange Flower and lavender extract for an invigorating scent that comforts on contact; \$9.99, [earththerapeutics.com](http://earththerapeutics.com).

**4. Welcome spring with a fresh new scent—L'Occitane Cherry Blossom Eau de Toilette** is a delicious light, fruity fragrance combining watermelon, blackcurrants and lemon. Adorable pink and red packaging designed by Provençal illustrator Charlotte Gastaut and authentic cherry extract from Lubéron, France, give the product a romantic French touch; \$50, [loccitane.com](http://loccitane.com).

## makeup *MUSTS*

Prettify your face by spotlighting your eyes and lips and creating a more radiant complexion.



**1. Unlike ordinary blush, the Japoneseque Velvet Touch Blush** in shades 5 and 6 help you achieve a beautiful bronzed look. The refined powder formula provides silky, lightweight application and the two deep, multi-dimensional shades glaze facial contours to add radiance, definition and sculpted beauty; \$22, [Ulta](http://Ulta.com) and [ulta.com](http://ulta.com).

**2. Just in time for spring, the season of love, comes Bodyography's Lucky in Love,** a flirty lip collection featuring two new shades of lipstick (Smooth and Ooh la la) and gloss (Pucker Up and French Kiss). The cruelty-free brand uses recyclable packaging and numerous antioxidants; \$16 at [bodyography.com](http://bodyography.com), salons & spas.

**3. Calibre Beauté introduces No Dark Shadows,** a complexion enhancer that highlights and conceals imperfections and dark under-eye circles with an easy-to-use pen-like tube. Available in Wow (rosy tone) and Pizazz (yellow tone), the concealer is oil-free and lasts up to six hours; \$20 at Sephora retail outlets & at JCPenney Sephora boutiques.

**4. We love Smashbox's Always Sharp Waterproof Kohl Liner** because it glides on smoothly and self-sharpens every time you twist off the cap! Perfect for precise lines and a long-lasting finish, it comes in eight awesome shades, including Storm (smoky gray) and Violetta (prune); \$20, [smashbox.com](http://smashbox.com), Sephora, Ulta and select Macy's.

## nail *CALL*

We admit it: We love DIY manis, and the right polishes make the going much easier and fun.

**1. In anticipation of the release of Disney's live-action movie Cinderella, Morgan Taylor** is introducing a new limited-edition collection of polish to help you achieve your own "happily ever after"! Choose from six pretty-as-a-princess shades like **Party at the Palace**; \$8.50 each at [morganaylorlacquer.com](http://morganaylorlacquer.com), as well as three Duo Packs and Morgan Taylor Minis.

**2. Deborah Lippmann's new multi-tasking nail color corrector, All About That Base,** offers 10 benefits and flawless coverage! It helps moisturize, strengthen and protect nails while it conceals imperfections, brightens and fills ridges for a smooth, matte finish. It's also 5-free and is infused with biotin and green tea; \$20, Sephora, [sephora.com](http://sephora.com), [deborahlippmann.com](http://deborahlippmann.com).

**3. "Super Vaidosa" Brazilian bombshell blogger, Camila Coelho** has just launched a new nail polish collection with YNC in four uber-bold, summer-hot shades: Blue Jade, Purple Dream, Forever Pink and **Tropical Salmon**, our personal fave; \$8 at [rickysnyc.com](http://rickysnyc.com) & Ricky's NYC locations.

**4. Denmark is revered for its beautiful lakes and skies, so Priti NYC** made it the inspiration for its new spring 2015 collection. Shades are soft tones of blue, grey and white, including Jack Frost, **Coyote Willow**, Canary Clover and Cherokee Princess. All Priti NYC polishes are 5-free and Vegan and are fast-drying, durable and glossy; \$15, [pritinyc.com](http://pritinyc.com).



## have an at-home *Beauty Bash!*

Gather your girls for an at-home beauty party—Elizabeth Garcia of Elizabeth's Secret Beauty Bar ([secretbeautybar.com](http://secretbeautybar.com)) in Miami has a Chocolate Mask recipe that can be used on the face, body or feet. Chocolate's packed with essential vitamins and antioxidants, so get ready for softer, more glowing skin.

### Ingredients

- 2 tablespoons of raw cocoa powder (preferably organic)
- 2/3 cup water (preferably bottled)
- 2 tablespoons organic honey
- 5 drops coconut oil

### Instructions

1. Place coconut oil and honey in small microwave-safe bowl and put in microwave for about 5-6 seconds.
2. Mix cocoa powder, coconut oil and honey and stir until mixture becomes creamy.
3. Apply to your skin using a facial brush (Garcia doesn't recommend using your fingers). Leave on until it hardens.
4. Remove with a cool washcloth in an upward motion.

