

LAS VEGAS
FASHION
COUNCIL



NOVEMBER 2019

BEHIND the SEAMS

happy Thanksgiving!

Hello Fall and Holiday Season,

Here we are once again gearing up for a wonderful time of year to celebrate the holidays and loved ones as well as show gratitude and give back to others.

This month LVFC is excited to share our **Fashion Focus Forum** presenting a variety of Fashion experts in their respective fields sharing their knowledge and insight in their area of focus. We also present opportunities to students by providing them intern and mentoring opportunities and the kickoff of our scholarship cycle.

Next is our **Bags and Bubbles** event hosted by **Max Pawn** where guests can come in and shop for the holidays AND bring in various much needed items to support **Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth**.

Continuing on in the spirit of the holidays we have our annual **Little Black Dress and Tie** event that will feature students, emerging and established local designs in a design competition as well as various pop up shops to assist you with your holiday shopping!

Also in December we will hold our **LVFC Member Holiday Party and Awards Presentation** acknowledging our board members that have donated countless

hours to our organization.

We do hope that you can join us for some of our events to celebrate our local fashion talent, shop for the holidays and give back to our community in multiple ways. See more details below for each event.

Cheers and Happy Holidays!

Respectfully,

CARRIE CARTER COOPER
LAS VEGAS FASHION COUNCIL FOUNDER AND PRESIDENT

UPCOMING EVENTS

FASHION FOCUS FORUM



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Wednesday, November 6 | 5-7PM
West Charleston Library

6301 W Charleston Blvd, Las Vegas, NV 89146

A diverse group of Fashion industry experts come together for a panel discussion and Q&A period sharing insights and experiences from their careers. Additional offerings include intern and mentor possibilities, scholarship application process, fashion competition events and volunteer/community service hour opportunities.

This is a complimentary event.

If you are interested in Fashion, Design, Cosmetology, Retail, E-Commerce, Styling, Marketing, Public Relations, Graphic Design, Photography, Costume Design, Merchandising or anything in the fashion industry, *this forum is your future*. Please RSVP with subject line 'Fashion Focus Forum' to info@lasvegasfashioncouncil.com.



BAGS AND BUBBLES

Wednesday, November 20 | 5-8PM
Max Pawn

6040 W Sahara Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89146

Please join us for a fun and fashionable shopping event with a percentage of sales to benefit the Las Vegas Fashion Council. The event also marks the kick off of our annual clothing drive to benefit **Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth**. We are requesting new or gently used coats, scarves, hats, gloves and blankets for youth ages 12-25 as well as gift cards for food. We will be accepting donations for the annual clothing drive until Friday, December 20.

This is a complimentary event.

Please RSVP with subject line 'Bags and Bubbles' to info@lasvegasfashioncouncil.com.

LITTLE BLACK DRESS AND TIE

Thursday, December 5 | 6-8PM
Gaudin Porsche of Las Vegas

6800 Redwood St, Las Vegas, NV 89118



Enjoy fashions by local designers and established brands, as well as a student design competition. There will be entertainment, food and beverage, silent auction and a not to be missed holiday shopping opportunity with proceeds to benefit the LVFC scholarship fund.

Tickets on sale now!

[PURCHASE TICKETS](#)



KENDRA SCOTT SHOPPING EVENT
Saturday, February 1 | 2-4PM
Kendra Scott
3200 S. Las Vegas Blvd. Las Vegas, NV 89109

THANK YOU

ARTLIVE! 2019 HIGHLIGHTS



ARTLIVE!

Thank you to everyone who attended & helped make artLIVE! 2019 a huge success!

Art and Fashion collided as we honored Las Vegas



visionaries in art and fashion and highlighted local designers, students and established brands that showcased men's and women's fashions. There was entertainment, live art presentations, complimentary food and beverage and a silent auction.

DESIGNERS

Azalea Ventura
Catherine Trifiletti
Flor de Liz Guior
Junior League Student Design Winners
Kelsey Kay
STITCHED

ARTISTS

Alex P. Huerta
Birdie
Daniel Holbrook
Gemjazz
Hallie Frantz
Joy Snyder
Kathryn Gilbert
MiSCRE8
Nancy Good
LaRON Emcee
Sosa
Sig

HONOREES

Fashion Visionary: STITCHED
Art Visionary: The Neon Museum

ENTERTAINMENT

MC: Joanna DiNatale
DJ: Jamal

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TIPS & TRENDS



- **Accessorize:** Add beautiful fall tones to your jewelry selection for your Thanksgiving outfit from [Dee Berkley](#).
 - **Business Casual:** Find business casual outfits appropriate for work and our Fashion Focus Forum event from [Neiman Marcus](#).
 - **Beautiful Bags:** Shop handbags from high-end brands at [Max Pawn](#) during our Bags & Bubbles event.
 - **Suit and Tie:** Get suited up at [STITCHED](#) for your next event.
 - **Little Black Dress and Tie:** Shop [Therapie Clothes](#) for Little Black Dress and Tie! The clothing line has options, such as a Valerie Deep V Dress featuring a deep cut, extra wide half sleeves, and front tie belt.
 - **Sweater Weather:** Oversized sweaters are a go-to for Thanksgiving dinner and they are ultra cozy!
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The Las Vegas Fashion Council has enjoyed an exciting 2019 with many new members, passionate board members and fantastic events, with more to come!

We are thrilled to bring forth some new and exciting events for 2020 as well as member mixers, additional member benefits and opportunities for you to get further involved in the council by participating on a committee, being featured at one of our events or through our marketing efforts.

We would love to collaborate by joining our resources and ideas for the purpose of making Las Vegas a stand out in the fashion industry.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

WELCOME

WE WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME ANGELA RENE'
TO THE LAS VEGAS FASHION COUNCIL!



angela rene'
RENE TYLER PLUS SIZES 12 & ABOVE

Angela Rene' is CEO and Designer of Rene' Tyler Plus Sizes 12 and Above. Angela's love affair with fashion began at a very young age. She was influenced by her mother and grandmother, who taught her the fundamentals of sewing. Being surrounded by women with style and her love of fashion, she always knew she wanted to be a designer. As a plus size woman, she found the selection of fashions to be limited and unappealing.

Her frustration to find fashionable and stylish clothing in her size, gave her the determination to create her own. After providing her designs for red carpet and formal events, in 2010, Purple Diva Designs was born. In 2013, Angela was honored by the Multicultural Motion Picture Association (MMPA) with the Lady in Red Award for her

contribution to fashion. She made history as the producer of the show, Haute Curves LA Fashion Week. The first ever Plus Size Fashion Show, during LA Fashion Week.

In 2016, the desire to take the brand to the next level, Purple Diva Designs became Rene' Tyler, and her son, Chase Tyler joined the company as the Creative Director. Rene' Tyler made history again as the first Plus Size Brand to show at the prestigious Art Heart's Fashion, at LA Fashion Week, in the Fall of 2016 and Spring 2018, paving the way for many other plus size brands that are now being recognized in the fashion industry. During the summer of 2018, Rene' Tyler Plus Sizes 12 & Above opened at The Grand Canal Shoppes at The Palazzo, making it the first plus size boutique on the Las Vegas Strip.

Rene' believes no matter what size you are, women should have options when it comes to fashion. It doesn't matter if you're a size four or twenty-four, fashion is for everyone!



The Las Vegas Fashion Council relies on the support of its patrons and their commitment to promote local designers and the fashion industry as a whole. We continually develop new strategies to sustain and support current and future fashion students and small business labels. Investing in the success of fashion students and local designers to secure the pipeline of talent for the future. We look to your patronage to support the LVFC.

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