Autumn A-List
HAIR, MAKEUP AND FASHION TRENDS

Lash Bash!
LASH EXTENSIONS ROCK

Sleek, Smooth, Sexy
BEAUTY FIT TIPS

NAHA 18 Winners
Bridging the Gap
You’ve spent ages slaving and struggling to get your cosmetology license. Finally, graduation day has come. So, now what? The San Diego Beauty Academy has tapped Diego Raviglione as its first artistic director in order to bridge the gap between book smarts and street smarts.

“The industry has changed dramatically over the past five years as spas and salons demand highly sophisticated, technical and professional skills from their employees,” says Lynelle Lynch, the Academy’s president. “To better fulfill the need for qualified service providers, we have turned to Diego to help us identify advanced skills to incorporate into our curriculum.”

With over 23 years of experience, the former Graham Webb international corporate artistic trainer has been published in numerous women’s magazines and regularly makes appearances on national TV programs to discuss hair trends and styles. Raviglione initiated the Student Master Artistic Team, which consists of the most ambitious students and allows the team to shadow him during editorial photo shoots and runway shows.

“Traditionally, cosmetology schools have only provided students with the fundamentals necessary to pass the state exam,” informs Raviglione. “As a long-time platform educator, I can help bridge the gap so that graduates are prepared to immediately begin work in a salon.” — Jillian E. Sorgini

Teen Mom TLC
In celebration of Mother’s Day, nearly 100 teen moms were offered the opportunity to relax and refresh thanks to the future professionals from the San Francisco Institute of Esthetics and Cosmetology (SFIEC) and the Family Service Agency of San Francisco’s Teenage Pregnancy and Parenting Program (TAPP). TAPP ensures that teen moms receive health, education and social services, regardless of whether they are in school. As the young mothers relaxed, cosmetology students pampered them from head to toe with facials, haircuts, colorings, manicures and pedicures.

“It was so inspiring to see our students using their gifts to help make these young mothers feel great,” says SFIEC president Deedee Carlson. “The students were doing what they love while making a big difference for these women.”

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