



Dear Banking Friends,

I am pleased to announce that our colourful page has grown to become its own publication called FLE, a traveller's companion with more fashion, entertainment and lifestyle ideas than ever before, now found in Qantas Club Lounges.

Save the date for all your art desires from April 18-20. The Weekend Australian presents the biggest annual Art Fair at the Royal Exhibition Building in Carlton. Over 100 galleries and 800 artists world-wide gather under one roof to inspire you. Most works are priced under \$5,000. Call Ticketmaster on 136 100 or visit www.artmelbourne08.com.au. Until next time, Joie de vivre!



Fine-Tuned

Piano designer and inventor Wayne Stuart has created an entirely new coupling device 'The Agraffe'. This piano is different to standard designs because it encourages the strings to vibrate in a more controlled manner, holding the strings vertically in the same direction as the hammer strike. The result is a constant vibration producing a more dynamic range, and longer and greater clarity. Beautifully finished and made to order. POA. Call Stuart & Sons on (02) 9927 0900.



Eighteen-Year Old Crush

Colin Scott, Chivas Brothers Master Blender, has personally selected every cask of malt and grain whisky in the Chivas Regal Eighteen-Year Old Gold Signature blend, RRP\$100 from fine liquor merchants. Try this decadent Chivas Crush cocktail recipe: 45ml Chivas Regal, 15ml lemon juice, 10ml sugar syrup, 25ml apple juice, 5-6 torn mint leaves, top with ginger beer. Shake all ingredients (except the ginger beer) in a Boston mixing glass then strain into a glass of crushed ice. Top up with ginger beer, garnish with mint and serve in a low ball/ tumbler.



Maxwell & Williams Sommelier D.o.f
\$29.95, set of 6
For stockist enquiries visit
www.maxwellandwilliams.com.au



Rare Aussie Gems

Gemologist Kingsley Wallman and his partner, architect and head designer, Genevieve Lilley are the talent behind Venerari. If you're after something 'different' you'll find your niche here. Specialists in rare Australian gems, boulder opals, sapphires and bright colours, bespoke and modern jewellery, with a rich background in art, design and personable service sets this duo apart. Drop in and view their work at The Strand Arcade, Sydney or visit www.venerari.com.

Guilt-free Luxury Getaway

Michael J. Robison has created the ultimate exclusive get away for up to 8 people at the Emerald Valley Villa. Eco-friendly, operating on 100% green climate neutral power, the five-star private retreat nestled high above the pristine hinterland on 80 acres located twenty minutes from Byron Bay features a lush landscape with architecture that pays homage to Bali's unique arts and traditions with a modern flair. Broadband and technology facilities are there if you need to take care of business - but you may be lured away with the oxygenated spring water pool, open air Jacuzzi and onsite concierge who can arrange your use of the fun 4 x 4 Polaris-Ranger to explore the site. Visit www.emeraldvalleyvilla.com or call (02) 66 849 398.



Dad Rode a Tiger

Prolific Australian graphic designer Vince Frost returns to a sell-out design twenty years after its original release. Originally starring an image of his Dad on his Triumph motorcycle titled 'Dad Rode a Tiger', the T-shirts are made from 100% bamboo, are carbon neutral, soft as silk. These t-shirts are naturally hypoallergenic, cooling and anti bacterial. They are priced at \$69.95 for women and \$90 for men. Visit www.frostdesign.com.au or phone (02) 9662 6888.



Say Adios to Muffin Tops

Cult US brand Tummy Tuck Jeans are in Australia and will make you look slimmer and sexier with a patented panel of extra-stretch denim to create a comfortable corset effect.

Available in ten styles and washes and in sizes six to twenty-two these are selling like hot cakes. RRP from \$229-\$299. For stockist enquiries, call 02 8332 1900 or visit www.tummytuckjeans.com.au.



Second SKINN

Specifically designed for men to treat skin issues such as razor irritation, ingrown hairs and dry scaly skin, SKINN is a high quality formulation that gives results without damaging agents like parabens, strong fragrances and lanolin. Aussie founders Dr Nina Wines and Annabel Merz combine biochemistry, medical and dermatological experience in this award winning range and, since launching into Harvey Nichols UK and Barneys New York in 2005, have grown to become an international hit, available in high-end locations world-wide. The stylish masculine packaging will blend into your toiletry bag. Find out more on www.skinn.com.au or phone (02) 9331 7007.



Flight Simulator

If you've wondered what it would be like to be in control of a modern jet liner flying anywhere in the world, now you can take off with Flight Experience. Your dream is a reality with the full-size commercial Boeing 737-800 jet simulator; with CAA certification, these units are used by airlines and pilots for training and customers have the guidance of a fully qualified instructor. Now open to the public with photo-realistic enhancement and motion, they're perfect for private functions and gift vouchers. Prices start from \$175 for 30 minutes. Book online at www.flightexperience.com.au or call 1800 737 800. Located at Shop 9, QV Square, Melbourne.

