

Always Wear Flip-Flops When Shopping: Five New Boutiques in the Valley

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Fall is a great excuse to shop! Check out these new local boutiques to get your shopping fix.

Jam



This up and coming boutique is located in the historical Charles Miller home in the newly developed Charles Miller Square. A creative venue bringing together the best - a space of inspiration, magic and bliss. This artisans boutique is also THE space for crafts and classes in the arena of arts, social interests, and gatherings. They have "created a feeling that taps into your spirit and feels like home." You are sure to find the perfect outfit for a classy date or a fun dinner.



Savvy Boutique

Located less than a mile from the ASU campus in Tempe, Savvy Boutique offers an array of contemporary styles and price points so all ages and income levels can shop that are participate in their fashion vision. With "iconic brands like Miss Me Jeans down to the handmade jewelry by local artists, Savvy Boutique keeps fashion forward styles flowing in Tempe."

* Chandler store is set to open by the end of October 2011. 590 N Alma School Rd Chandler, AZ 85225 in Granada Plaza in between Floridino's Pizza and The Scrapbook Store.



Willows

The Willows is a lavish home furnishings and lifestyle atelier and showroom offering our customers a comfy, yet naturally elegant collection of beautiful finds. They "offer timeless appeal to your home or office with objects for a life well lived." The Willows' owner Beverly Burch is very talented and when her new store opened it was well-received and had customers admiring everything they found in the store. Having outgrown its original location, the Willows moved into a larger location in 2001 and again, to its present location, in 2006. The style of the Willows has evolved and grown as well. Bev now describes it as "simply French refined, with a casual flair."

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Urban Lace

Urban Lace is a unique North Scottsdale women's clothing and accessory boutique. Owners Luba H. Grosz and Mary Drazek provide their customers with the latest choices of inexpensive contemporary and designer clothing. The unique clothing and eclectic accessories offer each customer the "opportunity to accentuate their individual style demands." The style of the boutique is fresh and feminine with a vintage vibe. The boutique's atmosphere is relaxed and you are encouraged to stay as long as your heart desires, in order to find the perfect outfit.



Katybug Faye Boutique

Lisa Looney's new boutique is a spectacular "place where women and girls gain confidence and self-esteem." The boutique stocks the latest trends from up and coming designers in the fashion industry and from around the valley. If you are on the look out for a new pair of perfect jeans, premium denim is one of the specialties at KatyBug Faye Boutique. They carry every cut of denim from bootcut jeans to skinnies, capris, Bermudas, shorts, skirts, jackets and everything in between, from such names as Miss Me, L.A. Idol, Miss Chic and more. Once you have the flawless jeans, top it off with some colorful accessories like the latest styles in purses and jewelry!