

This Season's Simmering Shades

(NAPSA)—Looking for this season's hottest fashions? Keep an eye on the newest shades. Here's a breakdown of eight of this year's freshest frames:

- See Red—Red is huge this year, with stars such as Kim Cattrall and Salma Hayek donning crimson at the Golden Globes. Look for the trend to carry into eyewear.

- Fly High—in the past, classic aviator glasses have been revamped with tints, interchangeable lenses and oversized frames. This year, it's back to basics, with some designs eliminating the bridge of the frame completely.

- Metal Shields—This year's shades are about chrome, metals and reflective neutrals. Mono-lens glasses accented with metal have a modern look and feel.

- Hurray For Hollywood—Hollywood-inspired shades are meant to make people think retro—Jackie O with a mod, futuristic twist. Look for oversized, translucent frames with gradient lenses.

- 3-Piece Mount Trend—These demure rimless shades resemble their timeless, chic eyeglass cousins but with fashion tinted lenses.

- What's In A Name?—Not so discreet, this trend comes from the urban and hip-hop styles. Look for designer names prominently displayed on this year's shades.

- Color Of Clear—Last season's rave was clear gradient and flash mirror lenses. This year the trend is translated into frames. Clear, cool ice looks that match any outfit.

- Decadent Décor—Look for shades with crystals on them that represent the wearer's desire for the finer things in life. They can be delicate or gaudy, but they're always in demand.

All of these sunglasses are available at Solstice, the designer sunglass specialty store chain (646-348-6100), as well as better department and optical stores.



Metal Marvel—New Ralph Lauren shields are a metal masterpiece.



Retro Rave—Kate Spade's timeless Griffon sunglasses are made in the shade.



3-Piece Mounts by Gucci—Amount to a lot of wearability and style.



Polo Sport's newest design radically redefines red as a key new eyewear color.



The Name Game—Logo mania continues with Dior's newest design.



Clearly Stylish—YSL's clear shades are cool and chic.



Luxury Unlimited—Valentino's new decadent designs dazzle.



Reflection Of You—Burberry's clear flash mirrored lenses shine.