

# Beauticians Fashion Show Exhibits "Latest Look"

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Recently, the Charlotte Beauticians and Cosmetologists chapter number 4 presented a Spring and Summer Hair and Fashion Releases Programme at the Radisson Plaza Hotel in Charlotte.

An audience of approximately 400 people saw the latest looks in warm weather fashions as models paraded beautiful 1985 clothing designed by Bill Blass, Anne Klein, Liz Claiborne and other famous designers.

On showcase were exquisite styles in lounge-wear and up-tempo fashions of sportswear and casual gear. Also presented, contemporary casual wear and alluring evening wear and party dresses.

During the show, operators, hairstylists and models presented the fashions to the music of Nathaniel Smith with M. Walter McAlister as commentator.

Elizabeth Tyler and Jackie Stanley were hostesses for this evening's fashion extravaganza.

Behind the scenes were makeup artist, Janie Deese of Amber Hues; show coordinator and program committee chairperson, Willie Mae Williams of Williams Studio of Beauty II; and program committee co-chairperson, Freeman Talford. Other members of the program committee were Maxine Foard, Mary McDaniel, Ruth Ross, Jackie Stanley and Janie Shipman.

According to Mrs. Beatrice Gomillion, of Charlotte Beauticians and Cosmetologists number 4, "The audience was en-



Model Willie Mae Williams, owner of Williams Studio of Beauty II, strides in a glamorous two-piece linen pants suit. The suit is a bone color with the tiniest of pale blue and peach stripes. Williams' linen, peach-colored blouse with matching tie complements the suit as well as her wide-brimmed, bone-colored straw sombrero.

lightened with many thoughts and ideas for summer dressing and the newest in hairstyles. This show made every woman

her best.

"An understanding of fashions and hairstyles is the key to unlocking the door to success," adds Mrs. Gomillion. "Define your goals and plan skillfully to be beautiful all year."

One highlight of the show

## New Styles Add Kick To Spring

As women kick off their winter boots, they can look forward to slipping into the new footwear of spring. And spring '85 offers enough styles to please a wide range of tastes.

While the classic plain pump is always desirable, the newest pumps are anything but plain. Softened with draping and shirring, they lean toward very feminized styling. Scalloped top lines are popular as are open toes or "sandalized pumps."

"Draped, pleated and wrinkled designs are important women's dress shoe looks this season," says buying executive Kevin Vogl of Kinney Shoes. "There are also a lot of ornamental treatments, such as bows."

More big news is in heel heights. Whether a woman's preference is flat, medium or high, all are available and work well with today's clothing.

While high heels are traditionally considered dressier, flats and mid-heels now fit into this ca-

was the presentation of a gift of \$50 to Easter Johnson, "Miss Cosmetologist" of 1985. President of Charlotte Beauticians and Cosmetologists chapter number 4, Carrie Kirkpatrick, presented door prizes to two lucky ticket-holders.

tegory.

White is "far and away" the number one color, according to Mr. Vogl, and neutrals, such as beige and bone, and soft pastels are all very popular. Vivid colors like royal blue and fiery red are also exciting.

With the many choices of color and styling, women can delight in packing away winter's looks for spring's fabulous footwear.

## Woman in red



Bill Blass engineers stripes in a sophisticated blazer of black and white, here worn over a slim, knee-skimming red dress. For spring '85.

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