

WHAT'S ON

Exhibition of First Soviet Top Model in Moscow



An interesting fashion display has been opened in the Decorative and Applied Arts Museum in Moscow. The first Soviet top-model Tatiana Sorokko presents 80 outfits and accessories from her personal collection. The opening of the exhibition "Extending the Runway" was timed to the start of Russian Fashion Week.

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Festive salute on VE Day

For the first time ever, Poland's armed forces have joined those from the US, UK, France and Russia, in Red Square parades to mark Victory day in Europe in Moscow.



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Test Water Quality

Ecologists will take water samples from the Neva River and other local rivers and canals before their ship moves on to Moscow. During the course of its one-month journey, Beluga II will cover almost 5,000 kilometres of one of Russia's major waterways. Through this expedition Greenpeace wants to establish the level of pollution in

some of the country's most important rivers, and publicize the results with an eye to persuading regional authorities to enforce a ban on the illegal discharge of waste into rivers.



The St. Petersburg Times

Treasures from the Antarctic

A recent expedition to the Antarctic resulted in samples of cereals, which can be used in creating new frost-resistant wheat. Research fellows from the Irkutsk Limnology Institute collected samples of sub glacial lake water, bottom sediments and flora samples from so-called Antarctic oases, which are not covered with ice. One of the plants, growing at such sites, where soil temperature is extremely low, is Antarctic hair grass, a cereal able to withstand frosts even during blooming. This plant is a treasure for scientists, who can use it for creating frost-resistant sorts of wheat or rye.

Izvestia

Vladivostok Logos Appear

The first logos of Vladivostok are appearing on the Internet. The logos mainly present typical symbols of the seaside city: sailors, fishes, seashells, seagulls and scallop shells. The Vladivostok City Administration announced a competition of the tourist logo and the logotype of the 150th Vladivostok anniversary. The advertising gifts will be decorated with the best logotype.

Vladivostok Times

Kapova cave, Bashkiriya

The Kapova cave is famous for its Stone Age cave paintings. They are about 15 thousand years old. The paintings represent mammoths, horses and other animals. There are also complicated sym-

bols and human like figures. The cave was a centre of the religious life of the Palaeolithic people; moreover, the legends of the Bashkirs are also tied with it. They supposed that the spirit of Ural-Bator lives in the cave. His horse Arkbuzat has wings. You would be lucky during all your life, if you see him.



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Comments from a student in Moscow

"I really liked being in Russia and I thank AMBergh for providing the opportunity for me to go. I am remembering more Russian words and phrases every day. I always thought the program was an amazing opportunity for those wanting an authentic Russian experience."

Romanieo G., USA

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