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THEIR TRUE COLORS

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Although Marissa Hermer is a California girl—she was raised in Newport Beach and Laguna Beach—she may be best known for her role on Bravo's Ladies of London. The mother of three and her husband, Matt Hermer, own several restaurants and bars in the U.K., and, after making the move across the pond to Pacific Palisades last year, recently opened their first California restaurant and lounge, The Draycott (15255

Palisades Village Ln., Pacific Palisades, 310-573-8938; thedraycott.com), in the tony new Palisades Village. We sat down with Marissa to chat Pimm's cups, puddings and Palisades living. What's the creative vision behind The

Draycott? I wanted to create a place where I would want to hang out, where I could meet girlfriends for brunch alfresco or have a great cocktail at the bar while my kids run around and play. Would you say the restaurant has a British aesthetic? Absolutely. The design is inspired by our home in Chelsea, with

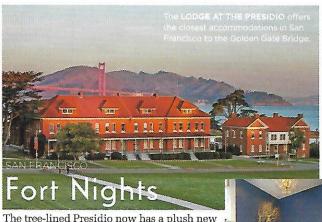
some of the same textiles. Tell us about the menu. The produce is sourced from the Wednesday farmers' market, and the menu leans very British: The English pea dip is like a pea hummus with Moorish flavors. We're also doing a traditional beer-battered cod and brasserie classics such as steak-frites. Should we order the sticky toffee pudding or Eton mess? Get both! Otherwise, you'll see the one you didn't order at another table and have dessert envy. KAREN PALMER



BEVERLY HILLS

In the PINK

Natalie Bloomingdale is wearing her love of The Beverly Hills Hotel on her sleeves. The founder of The SIL-a meticulously curated site for independently designed collections by such standouts as Tish Cox, Molly Moorkamp and Cassandra King Polidori-is launching a capsule collection of bags, caftans, shirtdresses, shorts and earrings with a twist. "Each designer pays homage to the legendary hotel using our shared palette of hunter green and blush pink," says Bloomingdale. Fittingly, the designs debut on Nov. 14 and Nov. 15 at a bungalow trunk show. The Beverly Hills Hotel, 9641 Sunset Blvd., Beverly Hills: shopthesil.com. ELIZABETH VARNELL



The tree-lined Presidio now has a plush new perch: the elegant **Lodge at the Presidio**, a 42-room hotel inside reworked Colonial Revival-style barracks. The former mess hall and regimental offices have been adapted

by designer Laura Cook, in partnership with the Presidio Trust, into a military-inspired lobby and guest rooms, with a courtyard overlooking the Golden Gate Bridge. A short ride on the hotel's complimentary bikes offers a closer look at the city skyline and lush 300-acre forest just beyond the Lodge's original brick walls. From \$275/night. 105 Montgomery St., S.F., 415-561-1234; lodgeatthepresidio.com. E.V.

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