

BIRMINGHAM

fashion week

2013



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2013 MODEL WINNER ASHLEY BURGESS

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SATURDAY NIGHT GUS MAYER PARTY

Birmingham Fashion Week 2013 proves to be a mainstay among top Birmingham events. In its 3rd year, the city hosted even more nationally known designers, reality television stars, local and national celebrities, and fashionistas alike. This year's event was 7 fun filled fashionable days. The week kicked off with the annual Gus Mayer party at The Summit. Bright and early on Sunday morning, brides found themselves at Bromberg's downtown for "Bride Atelier." Heidi Elnora hosted a private viewing of her Fall 2013 collection at Avondale Villa on Monday night. Saks Fifth Avenue joined forces with Birmingham Fashion Week this year with the Emerging Designer reveal party on Tuesday night. Wednesday night showcased the first ever LifeStyle night in support of the ever growing athletic apparel industry. On Thursday, the official Birmingham Fashion Week runway show began under the big tent. On Friday night, Birmingham welcomed Anthony Ryan Auld, Project Runway, All-Star, season two winner and on Saturday the fashion powerhouse Tibi sent her acclaimed designs down the runway.

Mission Statement

"To create an atmosphere that not only directly influences our youth and local economy in a positive manner but to change the persona of the Southern fashion industry while setting the stage for future generations. " -Birmingham Fashion Week

*"New York Fashion,
Sweet Home Style."*
-Birmingham Fashion Week



Fashion week kicked off with an opening night party at Gus Mayer at the Summit. The models taking part in Fashion Week were in attendance along with plenty of guests and fans of Birmingham Fashion Week.



Heidi Elnora

Known as one of Alabama's top designers, heidi elnora didn't disappoint with the debut of her Fall 2013 collection, "Heavenly Days." The designer drew inspiration from the movie "Snow White and the Huntsman", while on her way home from a shopping trip to Paris. From the opening look to the final line-up, the audience was carried on an emotional journey that kept them wanting more.

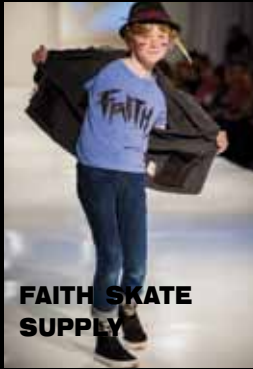
WEDNESDAY THURSDAY



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PURE BARRE



FAITH SKATE SUPPLY



MARELLA



VINEYARD VINES

PROPHETIK



MANDI FAULK



THE PANTS STORE



STATE TRADITIONS



THREE 07



LEONA



Prophetik
 "We all have a story to tell;
 we all have a canvas, and
 my canvas is clothes."
 – Jeff Garner

FRIDAY

Anthony Ryan

Project Runway Season 2 All-Star winner Anthony Ryan Auld was the highlight of Friday night's runway event. The Project Runway fans were out in full force to show support for the all-star winner. Anthony Ryan's collection was filled with clean lines, definitive shapes, and bold fabric selections. His innovative and use of bright colors and simple form continues to bring forward thinking women striking pieces that are current yet amaranthine.



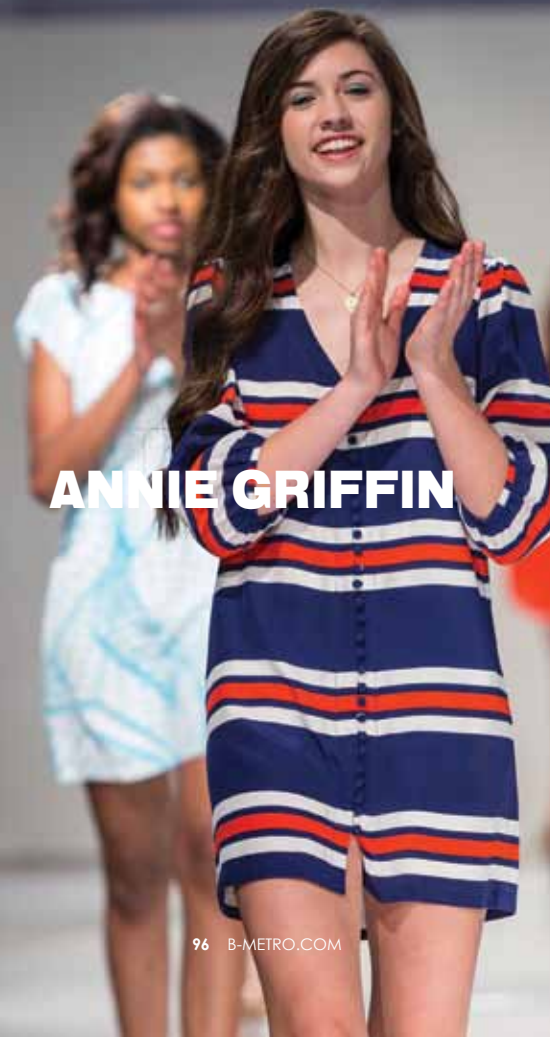
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SATURDAY



**RISING DESIGN STAR WINNER
ANNIE BLOOMSTON**



**EMERGING DESIGNER
WINNER
ELIZABETH SINGLETON**



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