

Cool Kiwi Jewellery

ROYAL SHOW

Cheryl Sills exhibits at Royal Jewellery, Auckland, November 7-27; she's fascinated by diamond, faceted forms as shown in her sterling silver pendants (below), from \$395-\$435; also at Form Gallery, Christchurch, www.form.co.nz & Quoil, Wellington, www.quoil.co.nz



CLASSIC CASE

Classically trained goldsmith Jargo Robertson makes custom jewellery in fine metals and gems; he also designs edgy, elegant pieces like these from his Hand Luggage Collection, in sterling silver and leather: pendant/coin case (comes with chain) \$615; case ring with pendant bail \$345; silver & leather case ring, \$275, etch, Tauranga, www.jargo.co.nz



PRETTY IN PINK

Aucklander Lisa Voigt's Flaunt Jewellery frangipani earrings, \$52, The Garden Party, Ponsonby & Newmarket, Auckland, www.thegardenparty.co.nz



PIRATES' TREASURE

Dem Penny Jewels Long John Silver necklace, sterling silver wound with costume chain for dramatic effect, \$270, from Miss Crabb, Ponsonby, Auckland, www.misscrabb.com



HOT BROOCH

Auckland jeweller Cheryl Sills works with silver and modern materials like resin and rubber; her quirky brooch (below) features "hot pink" rubber set in sterling silver, \$340, Royal Jewellery, Auckland, www.royaljewellerystudio.com



RUNGA FAN

From Boh Runga's new Messenger Stories Karearea Wing bracelet with miromiro feather, \$279, www.bohrungajewellery.com and Redcurrent stores.



NATIVE BRACELET

Nelson-based jeweller Ash Hilton's sterling silver cuff-bracelet features delicate etchings of nikau palms and cabbage trees, \$235, www.ashhilton.com for outlets.



ETHICAL GOLD

Ash Hilton recycles old jewellery and also "sifts" gold from West Coast beaches, using eco-friendly methods, to make his ethical gold jewellery, like the 18ct etched gold ring (above left), \$950, www.ashhilton.com for outlets.



RING LEADER

Northland jeweller Ben Flynn's sterling silver tapa-flower band with 9ct yellow gold rails (left), \$680, Royal Jewellery Studio, Kingsland, Auckland.



PUNA PATTERNS

From Shane Te Ruki's Puna collection of silver pendants, earrings and cufflinks, the "Poutama" pendant is based on a classic tukutuku pattern, \$219, www.newzealandmintjewellery.com



FEATHER CHAINED

Boh Runga for the NZ Mint, Messenger Stories Karearea Wing bracelet with miromiro feather, \$279, www.bohrungajewellery.com and Redcurrent stores.



EAR EAR

Dem Penny Jewels Blackheart Lucy earrings, gold and silver chain plaited with costume, \$255, from Miss Crabb, Ponsonby.



CUFFED

Shane Te Ruki's "Pouaka" silver cufflinks feature a kowhaiwhai koru pattern, \$199, www.newzealandmintjewellery.com

