

The Man Page

On-trend picks that will score big points with the guy in your life.

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Summer is in high swing! Speedboats are on the water, smokers are sizzlin' and you can almost smell the season. So, get out the grill and lawn games, because it's time to soak up all that summer has to offer! This fashion brief is all about the guys. Golf and gaming aside, here are some other ways for men to enjoy themselves and spruce up their summer look. And don't forget—some of these gifts may be the perfect Father's Day treat for Dad!

Impress him with a Gents Spa Day, and Dad will come out turning heads. The Gents Spa Day includes a 7-Course Haircut Service, 30-Minute Massage and Old-Fashioned Shoe Shine and is available at a special rate of only \$100 for 435 *South* readers. This is a game-winning gift at an out-of-the-park price!

The 7-Course Haircut Service includes:

- Consultation, cut and style
- Energizing shampoo and conditioning with an invigorating scalp massage
- Steamed towel face refresher
- Neck, shoulder and arm massage
- Rejuvenating paraffin hand wax
- Old-Fashioned Shoe Shine

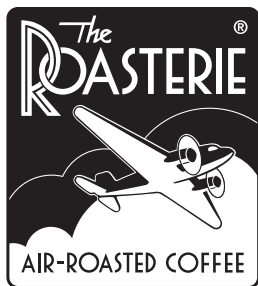
"Our Old-Fashioned Shoe Shine can bring life back into shoes that have been around the block a few times. We have more than 62 years of shoe-shine experience between our two shine specialists, T-Bone and Michael," says General Sales Manager Jessi Reutter.

The Gents Place

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For dining delights, the shops at One Nineteen have it all. Here's a great culinary package for Dad with gift cards from La Bodega, Roasterie Café and Glacé Ice Cream. From savory to sweet, your man (or Dad) can satisfy his stomach and treat his palate while dining on tasty tapas at La Bodega. He'll enjoy sipping air-roasted coffee from Roasterie Café, and indulging in artisan ice cream at the latest Glacé location, set to open in late July and owned by renowned chocolatier, Christopher Elbow.

The current Glacé location at 4960 Main Street in Kansas City just celebrated its one-year anniversary. If you can't wait until July, hop in the car and drive to the edge of the Plaza to try the salted caramel flavor. "It's our top seller," says Elbow. His favorite? "The salted pretzel. I love anything salty," he says.

Good Eats from One Nineteen

One Nineteen Shops located at 119th & Roe in Leawood
www.onenineteenshopping.com

TREND WATCH



Keeping time has never looked so good. Cartier, the renowned French jeweler and watchmaker, has been a name associated with class and quality for years. Get this classic, sporty timepiece and stay on time and on trend! “This watch by Cartier has taken the oldest, most respected and popular watch, the Santos, and turned it into a 44 mm chronograph with incredible features. The watch is titanium with a nylon band, unprecedented in Cartier history,” says Gary Peneer, Tivol’s Country Club Plaza store manager.

<< Stainless steel and titanium Santos 100 chronograph watch, extra large model, with mechanical movement and automatic winding by Cartier. \$11,600.00

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We all know KC is home of great barbecue—our town boasts some of the best restaurants in the country. But, if you haven’t tried smoking your own juicy meats, now may be the perfect time to try a hobby that satisfies more than a typical pastime. The All-Star from American Barbecue Systems earns its name because it is a smoker and grill in one. You can truly cook a masterpiece meal on this model. “With the option of smoking or grilling, the All-Star Smoker/Grill’s versatility and size makes it the preferred choice with backyard barbecue enthusiasts,” says American Barbecue Systems President Mark Hillman.

>> American Barbecue Systems All-Star Smoker/Grill starts at \$1,195
All-Star Custom Cover \$75 (not shown)

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When it comes to sunglasses, the renowned Smith brand is synonymous with style and quality. At Sitzmark, men can choose from myriad shades that are as sophisticated as they are sporty. Disguised within the timeless Smith Serpico aviator silhouette is a 9x3 toric lens that delivers a bold look and excellent coverage. Go ahead, keep your cool and stop squinting in those UV rays. Stylish accessories like these are trendy and timeless.

“This aviator is a proven classic with a twist,” says Sitzmark co-owner Steve Brace.

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