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What's black or white and watched all over? Answer: the rascals Erik Estrada will wear on the Emmy Awards this Sunday. Estrada will be making his first public appearance since his much-publicized motorcycle accident in either a black or white double-breasted tux designed by Keith Hodges. "He wants to wear which color he wanted so he asked me to make up two," explains Hodges. "His arm is still in a cast from the accident so I'm also designing a sling to match. It'll be either in gabardine to match the tux fabric or in silk satin to match the lapel trim."



Barbara Streisand



Erik Estrada

Hatch outsiders: the Playboy playmates are getting new playmates for their promotional tours. Their old black bodysuits with the rabbit logo over the breast will be replaced by several costumes, all styled in black and white Omani satin. According to Chicago designer Walter Holmes, the new look—which will be introduced at the Playboy Mansion West this weekend—includes a sleeveless coat with sweeping cape back, a blouse top with double neckline, short shorts, a short wrap skirt, skin-tight pants, an ankle-length side-wrap skirt that shows

lots of leg and a bat-wing sleeve jacket. The outfit will be accompanied with black leather high-heeled boots, black ankle-strap high boots, short black satin gloves, a fitted contour belt and a diamond pendant in the shape of the rabbit logo. "Composing these outfits was definitely a challenge," says Holmes, "because each had to include a strong corporate identity but also be sexy."

Joel Mitchell's band and road crew may be the best-dressed group on the circuit. The singer ordered 25 custom-made indigo raw silk sport jackets

from Maxfield Biles as souvenirs of her summer tour. The reconstructed three-button jackets were copied from a Private Label design and have an embroidered patch the Grammy winner designed herself. It reads, "Joel Mitchell and Friends/Summer Tour '79." "Joel told us she wanted something that would go with denim jeans, since everybody on her tour wears them," says Maxfield's Susan Epstein. "And she didn't want to give them the usual satin baseball jacket or T-shirt everyone gets on tour. She ordered one for herself, too."

The Golden Door, Deborah Sankley Mazzanti's Escondido health resort, has been known to provide classes as varied as tap dancing, foot reflexology and stress management. Now it's gardening. For some time, guests at the spa have had the opportunity to work in the Golden Door's gardens, learning such techniques as "companion planting" to avoid using pesticides on their vegetables and herbs. According to Mazzanti, Barbara Streisand so liked the idea that she had an instructor from the Golden Door come to her home to demonstrate the process. Soon there will be more. Mazzanti, whose "Secrets of the Golden Door" has been revised and recently issued in paperback, studied the history and development of English gardening this summer at Ox-

ford University. She expects what she learned to be incorporated in classes both at the Golden Door and at its sister spa, Rancho La Puerta, in Baja.

How should you wear your hair for disco roller skating? Rinkists, maybe? Umberto of the Guido Umberto salon in Beverly Hills tells *Listen* he's coiffing his well-wheeled clients in a look called "the bread sealer." A hairdresser design that can be molded into a French roll or twist, the new do is "ideal for keeping hair out of your eyes or your partner's face while skating," according to Umberto. Mrs. Peter (Shera Danese) Falk was one of the first to roll out of the salon in the \$50 do that lasts three or four days and takes 2 hours to create.

Spritz cologne on your light bulbs before you turn them on. Spray it on your ironing board while you iron. Toss a few drops into the rinse water with your lingerie. These aromatic suggestions are from Prince Matchless beauty consultant East Brunny, now touring the U.S. to promote not just any cologne, but her firm's new scent, Chimerre. Mrs. Brunny's own personal favorite trick, she says, is to sprinkle sheets with scented talcum before slipping into bed.

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