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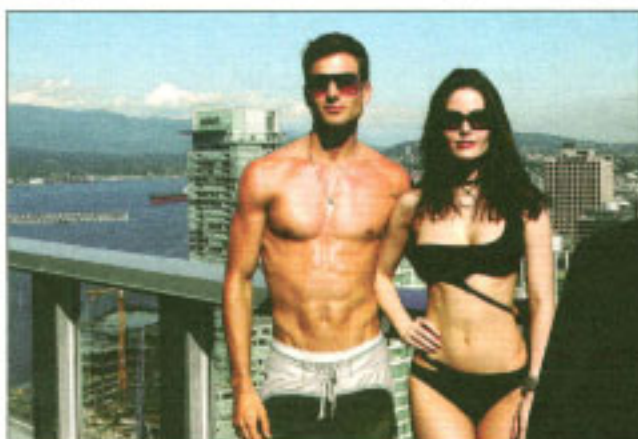


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ON THE TOWN

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Right: Located on the 44th floor, it is the highest roof deck pool and sky garden in the city, and you'd better believe the view is spectacular. Richard's models **Dave Brooke** and **Melissa Stefanopoulos** helped make the **Melville Splash, Splash Pool Party** a slightly pleasure. The invite-only event by **Amacon** real-estate developers showcased Vancouver's highest, most expensive real estate, a 5,800-sq.-ft. penthouse to die for.



Opening his Shaughnessy home for a good cause, TD Waterhouse's **Paul Pigeon** takes a break with supermodel **Noot Seear** during his **Quente 2007** exclusive fashion extravaganza with proceeds benefiting **Rose Charities**.



Wild Rice restaurant proprietors **Andrew Wong** and **Tom Poirier** are in good hands between chefs **Chris Chabot** and **Ryan Mah**. **Wild Rice** continues their seven-year tradition of innovative Chinese cuisine on the edge of Chinatown with their **Dumpling Tasting** (and wine pairing) menu. The restaurant is so committed to expanding its dumpling repertoire, that it will close from Aug. 1 through Aug. 7 to re-configure its kitchen to house a special dumpling station. The new menu will be launched when **Wild Rice** re-opens on Aug. 8 and will run through September.



Blo partners **Judy Brooks** and **Kevin Lai** share a laugh with pretty-in-pink **John Casablancas** models **Sophie Andrew** and **Aidan Dee** during the Yaletown "Blo is Hot" street party. **Blo** is Canada's first blow-dry bar, perfect for the wash, blow and go generation!



Chef Stuart Irving shares his delish "Nuevo Latino" cuisine with friends **Tina Johnston** and **24 hours' Pop Culture Graeme McRanor**, and hundreds of other lucky guests during his **Cobre** restaurant opening. **Cobre** promises to spice things up in Gastown!



Left: **Nu** restaurant and Lounge proprietor **Harry Kambois** and executive **Chef Robert Clark** love to use sustainable harvests from **Organic Ocean's** fisherman **Steve Johansen**. Naked, sustainable and within 100 miles, the city's food media were out tasting the big and sweet Pacific scallop now served at **Nu**, C restaurant and Raincity Grill.



And one more makes it seven! Sitting in the heart of Gastown, the **Modern** nightclub is the new seventh enterprise in the successful **Donnelly Group** of nightclubs, pubs and lounges. **Jeff Donnelly** smiled among partners **Paul Stoilen** and **Tony Heaney** and waitresses **Natasha Sarsthi** and **Breanne Seward** during the nightclub's wild launch weekend.



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