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Editors Wish List: This Week's Top Picks


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Editors' Wish List

This week 10 members of the MR PORTER Style Council talk us through the swimwear pieces they'll be packing on their next holiday

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Your choice of swimwear speaks volumes about your character, so even if your day-to-day wardrobe is of a more modest colour palette, look to swimwear for an opportunity to go for bolder and more playful prints. From Hollywood actors to professional cyclists, click through the slides, *above*, to find out the swimwear picks of 10 members of MR PORTER's *Style Council*...



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ORLEBAR BROWN SETTER SHORT-LENGTH SWIM SHORTS

MR OLIVIER LORDONNOIS – GM, THE MARK HOTEL, NEW YORK

“Perfect for my trips to St Barths, these swim shorts from Orlebar Brown are classic and simple, but the short cut makes them stylish. Plus they dry fast, which is great for when I want to take a quick jump in the water to cool off.”

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JAMES PERSE
Slub Cotton-Jersey T-Shirt

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01 ORLEBAR BROWN BULLDOG MID-LENGTH PRINTED SWIM SHORTS

MR ED STOPPARD – ACTOR, LONDON

“These guys nod to the style of the 1950s (when men’s fashion reached its zenith) and add modern panache. Just don’t let yourself be fooled that anyone other than Patrick Duffy in *Man from Atlantis* looks good in short-length trunks.”

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Fine Knit Merino Wool Sweater

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02 ORLEBAR BROWN SETTER SHORT-LENGTH SWIM SHORTS

MR RYAN RUSSELL – ARCHITECT, RUSSELL & GEORGE, MELBOURNE

“Sometimes a simple and bold colour statement reveals more about an individual. The added benefit of this pair is that you can wear them on the beach but also with a lightweight white cotton shirt, sandals and sunglasses while sipping cocktails poolside.”

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MARNI
Printed Canvas Tote Bag

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03 PAUL SMITH MID-LENGTH PRINTED SWIM SHORTS

MR JOHN PEARSON – MODEL/PRODUCER, LOS ANGELES

“There’s a retro hint to these shorts – they remind me of what my dad used to wear. The Tom Long rollneck sweater complements them perfectly for supper on the boat or beach when the temperature dips.”

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Tom Long Merino Wool Rollneck Sweater

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04 ORLEBAR BROWN BULLDOG MID-LENGTH SWIM SHORTS

MR DAN ROOKWOOD – STYLE DIRECTOR, MEN'S HEALTH, LONDON

“I like shorts that are smart enough to wear straight from the pool to a casual restaurant. These bright red mid-thigh ‘Bulldogs’ are very *Baywatch*: best accessorised with a chest rug and a pneumatic. Pamela Anderson.”

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CASTAÑER
Pablo Canvas Espadrilles

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ROBINSON LES BAINS OXFORD LONG SEERSUCKER SWIM SHORTS
MR ANDREW WEITZ - TALENT AGENT, LOS ANGELES
"This is the type of bathing suit men should be wearing today. I love the colour and white trim. The shorts are a great length too, and I especially like how there is no string tie, which makes for a neater poolside look."

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PINK HOUSE MUSTIQUE
Linen Shirt
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07
ORLEBAR BROWN BULLDOG MID-LENGTH PRINTED SWIM SHORTS
MR ROBERT KONJIC - MODEL, LONDON
"Perfect for light packers, I like these because they're two in one: swimwear that you can also wear as normal shorts. I already have them in several colours, while the Bottega Veneta glasses speak for themselves."

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VILEBREQUIN MOOREA MID-LENGTH SWIM SHORTS
MR PAUL ATTARD - BUILDER, SYDNEY
"The baby-doll pink is a great colour for summer. I really like that these are mid-length, lightweight and really comfortable."

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CONVERSE
Chuck Taylor Canvas Sneakers
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VILEBREQUIN OKOA LONG-LENGTH TURTLE-PRINT SWIM SHORTS
MR DAVID MILLAR - PROFESSIONAL CYCLIST, BARCELONA
"As I spend most of my time in Lycra shorts on the bike I like to 'dress down' when I go in the water, so I prefer longer surf wear type shorts. They'll also hide my horrendous tan lines."

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PINK HOUSE MUSTIQUE MID-LENGTH BUTTERFLY-PRINT SWIM SHORTS
MR CONSTANTIN BJERKE - CEO, CRANE.TV, LONDON
"In terms of swimwear (and summer clothing in general) I'm a fan of fuchsia, so these are the perfect choice. As far as I am concerned, the more relaxed and leisurely the outfit during the summer season, the better."

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