



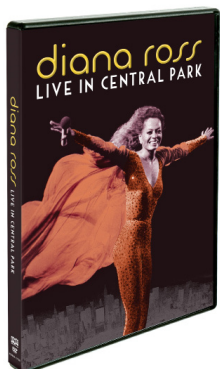
CABIN IN THE SKY

The Dreamliner has officially landed. We had the exclusive opportunity to tour the all-new Boeing 787 airplane, and we agree with Boeing director Tom Cogan's description of it as "a game-changing airplane." Once aboard, you are welcomed by a soft blue sky breaking through cumulus clouds, the effects of a dynamic LED lighting system able to simulate a sunrise in Tokyo or sunset in Los Angeles. Boeing's goal was to create a better flying experience by understanding how the human body reacts to flight conditions. Along with wider seats, one of our favorite features is the electro chromic window dimming system: With the touch of a button, passengers can change the tint of the window from fully transparent to completely dimmed. (Window shades? So last millennium.) Currently, All Nippon Airways and Japan Airlines are the only carriers with a Dreamliner in their fleet. The word is that United will be the first U.S. airline to launch this Rolls-Royce-powered dream later this year.—DERRICK HEMPHILL



GLOBAL SCENTSATION

Inhale. It's the first thing you do whenever you touch down in a new city. But that smell has been the one thing you couldn't bring back with you—until now. With their new unisex fragrance collection, The Scent of Departure, Magali Senequier, and Gérald Ghislain have captured the essence of 17 cities across Europe, Asia, and the Americas. Each of the rectangular spray bottles is labeled with baggage claim tags and the three-letter airport code of its namesake. New York's sweet apple and rose notes reminds us of cocktails and cabs on a balmy summer night; Miami conjures memories of mojitos on the beach; London smells like the guy you want to get to know better (Earl Grey tea, leather, and citrus); and orchid blossoms and woody spice define Singapore. The fragrances are available at Henri Bendel New York, Harvey Nichols in London, and Edition in Tokyo. 1.7 oz eau de toilette, \$45. thescentofdeparture.com
—CRYSTAL PARKER



BOSS UP

On July 21, 1983, Diana Ross ran out onstage to perform a highly anticipated free concert in New York's Central Park. Not long after she began, persistent winds began blowing the singer's famed mane, followed by a slight drizzle, then Mother Nature unleashed a torrential downpour. Undeterred, Ross screamed, "It took me a lifetime to get here, and I'm not going anywhere!" Unfortunately, city officials thought differently and shut down the show. Never one to disappoint her devoted fans, the Boss returned the next day for a performance people are still talking about almost 30 years later. On May 15, for the first time ever, Shout! Factory is releasing the DVD *Diana Ross: Live in Central Park*. Highlights include a Supremes medley, "I'm Coming Out," "Upside Down," "Ain't No Mountain High Enough," and plenty more. Our suggested title: *Diva 101*.
—A.H.