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Les Miserables: *It's not what you wear but how you mix the pieces that matter for young workout warriors. Left: Rugby stripe cropped top (\$25), purple pinstripe tights (\$32) and olive gym shorts (\$28). Right: Purple tank leotard (\$30), sienna demi bike tight (\$24), olive ankle tight (\$32). At Leotards Et Cetera, Bloomfield Plaza, Bloomfield Hills.*

it also was in the '30s that knitted jerseys, Fair Isle sweaters and the Lana Turner "sweater girl" came into its own.

"Knits play a very important essential this season," says Nat Forman from Jacobson's headquarters in Jackson. "From dresses to sportswear, sweater textures will range

from flat knits to beefy ethnic hand knits."

Fall fashions at Knit Knit in West Bloomfield are "long hand-knitted jumper dresses, short-knitted vests and long-knitted tunic vests, also crocheted and hand-knitted trim on sweaters and vests," says owner Rochelle Imber.

New Bohemians

Paying homage to the '60s Carnaby Street and the '70s bell-bottomed love child with a '90s interpretation as the "new Bohemians," "street chic" or grunge (last season's label). A mix and mix rebellious look that's still storming the teens scene.

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