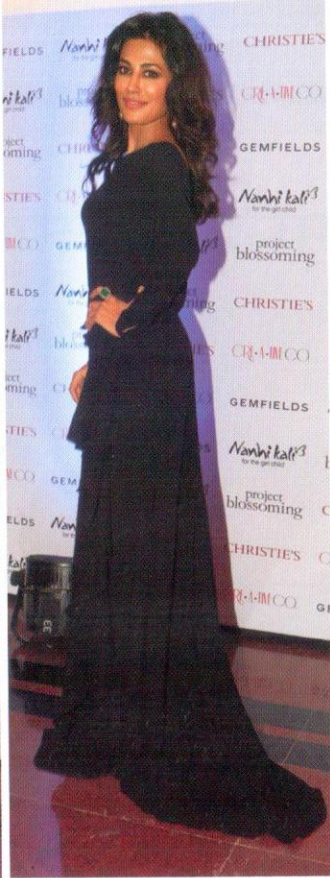


EVENTS



FASHION WITH A CAUSE

Gemfields hosted a magical evening in support of Project Nanhi Kali to raise funds for the education of underprivileged girl children. Project Blossoming Collection was auctioned by Christie's, at a glittering event in Mumbai. Spotted was the brigade of Bollywood celebrities at the evening Chitrangada Singh (Project Blossoming Ambassador); Julien Vincent Brunie of Christie's; Ian Harebottle, Gemfields CEO, Rajiv Dubey of Mahindra and Mahindra, Sheetal Mehta, Executive Director, KCMET, Manoj Kumar, CEO Nandi Foundation, Tisca Chopra, Preeti Jhangiani and Parvin Dabas, Aditya Hitkari, Nisha Jamwal, Rouble Nagi, Pria Kataria Puri and Naazneen Bedi.

INDIA AT FASHION PARADE IN LONDON

The much-awaited Fashion Parade 2014 concluded with great aplomb, where Aashni + Co presented alongside seven other Pakistan's top designers. Aashni Shah + Co showcased the best of Indian designs through a line of 12 couture looks that were a blend of striped metal and old world zardozi, conceived by the reputed designer, Anamika Khanna.

The ensembles were presented before an eclectic crowd, including Anna Orsini of the British Fashion Council and Singer-actor Ali Zafar.



INDIA COUTURE WEEK 2014

Fashion Design Council of India (FDCI)'s much-coveted India Couture Week (ICW) is scheduled to be held from July 15 to 20 at the Taj Palace Hotel, New Delhi. The fashionable affair will showcase India's finest design talent in exclusive shows by top Indian *couturiers* such as, Anamika Khanna, Rohit Bal, Manish Arora and Gaurav Gupta.